



This Tax Organizer is designed to help you gather the information needed to prepare your 2021 personal income tax return.

**Completion of the Questionnaire is mandatory in order for us to begin working on your return.**

Answer all questions and attach a statement, when necessary, for additional information.

The Tax Organizer worksheets following the Questionnaire are provided as a tool, and completion is not mandatory. However, please review sections "Personal Information" and "Direct Deposit/Electronic Funds Withdrawal Information", and note any changes.

You will also need to provide the following information, as applicable:

- **Forms W-2 for wages, salaries and tips.**
- **All Forms 1099 for interest, dividends, retirement, miscellaneous income, nonemployee compensation, Social Security, state or local refunds, gambling winnings, unemployment compensation, etc.**
- **Brokerage statements showing investment transactions for stocks, bonds, virtual currencies, etc.**
- **Schedule K-1 from partnerships, S corporations, estates and trusts.**
- **Statements supporting educational expenses, deductions or distributions, including any Forms 1098-T, 1098-E, or 1099-Q.**
- **All Forms 1095-A, 1095-B, and/or 1095-C related to health care coverage or the Premium Tax Credit.**
- **All Forms 1099-QA and/or 5498-QA related to ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience) account.**
- **All Forms 1099-H related to Health Coverage Tax Credit (HCTC) advance payments.**
- **Statements supporting deductions for mortgage interest (Forms 1098), taxes, and charitable contributions (including any Form 1098-C).**
- **Notice 1444-C and Letter 6475, Your 2021 Economic Impact Payment, showing the amount of the Economic Impact Payment (EIP3) you received. *\*Also known as Stimulus Payment***
- **Letter 6419 showing advanced Child Tax Credit (CTC) payments you received in July, August, September, October, November, and December.**
- **Notice CP-21 or CP-22 showing an adjustment to your refund (or balance due), for an IRS adjustment to your 2020 tax return, for the exclusion of unemployment compensation and/or Advance Premium Tax Credit as a result of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).**
- **Copies of closing statements regarding the sale or purchase of real property.**
- **Legal documents for adoption, divorce, or separation involving custody of your dependent children (if not provided to our office previously).**
- **Any tax notices sent to you by the IRS or other taxing authority (if not provided to our office previously).**
- **A copy of your income tax return from last year, if not prepared by this office.**



If you are delivering hard copy documents to our office, please do not include staples, paper clips, or unopened envelopes.

Due to continued IRS delays in processing tax returns, our office will automatically file an extension on your behalf. See *"How do extensions work?"* in *FAQs* section.

FYI: The IRS doesn't **initiate** contact with taxpayers by email, text messages or social media channels to request personal or financial information. This includes requests for PIN numbers, passwords or similar access information for credit cards, banks or other financial accounts. Phishing is a scam typically carried out through unsolicited email and/or websites that pose as legitimate sites and lure unsuspecting victims to provide personal and financial information. If you receive such an email from what appears to be the IRS, send a copy of the email to [phishing@irs.gov](mailto:phishing@irs.gov). Please do not respond to the email unless the email request you send to the IRS has been verified as legitimate. You may also contact our office regarding any correspondence, written or electronic, that you receive from the IRS.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Rochelle Chandler', written over a faint circular background.

Rochelle Chandler, CPA  
Founding Partner



## FAQs - Frequently Asked Questions

**What do I need to provide to you for my taxes to be prepared?** We need all of your supporting documents, the completed Questionnaire, and the completed Due Diligence Questions, if applicable. See "What are the Due Diligence Questions?" below.

**What are the Due Diligence Questions?** IRS regulations require that we, as your tax preparer, satisfy due diligence requirements regarding certain credits and/or tax filing statuses. If the Due Diligence section of questions is included with your Questionnaire, this likely applies to you. Include your completed Due Diligence questions with your tax information.

**I completed the Questionnaire last year. Do I really need to complete it again?**

Yes. There are changes to tax law every year, and each year's Questionnaire captures those tax law changes. Additionally, the Questionnaire is designed to ensure you're taking advantage of all allowable tax deductions and/or credits!

**How do I get my documents to you?**

1. Send via the Client Portal: <https://www.ChandlerKnowlesCPA.com/clients/client-secure-document-portal-2/>
2. Drop them off at our office. Should you arrive after hours, you can place them in the locked drop box next to our front door. *Please do not include staples, paper clips, or unopened envelopes.*

**I delivered my documents to your office. How are my documents returned to me?** Due to security concerns, you will need to pick up any hard copies delivered to our office within 3 weeks of your tax return being filed. Any documents that have not been picked up from our office within 3 weeks will be shredded. *Note that all documents used for tax preparation are available to you via the Portal.*

**I have moved. Can you still do my taxes?** Yes! We have many clients outside of the DFW area and out of state. We can prepare your federal tax return and any state returns that may be necessary. Important: Make sure you change your address with the IRS by submitting IRS Form 8822, available via [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov).

**I am waiting on a K-1 from a business or trust that has its return prepared by someone else. Should I wait until I receive it before providing the rest of my documents to you?** No, if you have everything else, please forward your information to us and include a note that you are waiting on a K-1.

**How long does it take to prepare my taxes?** We prepare tax returns on a first-in, first-out basis and time varies since every tax return is different. We do not begin the preparation of the tax return until all of your documents AND the completed Questionnaire are received.

**I started a new business or rental activity this year. What do I need to provide?**

Contact your tax preparer for a list of items needed.

**How will I know when my tax preparer has questions?** You will hear from your tax preparer during preparation. Once your tax return is ready, you will receive an email with instructions regarding reviewing your tax return, and the remaining steps to file your return. It is very important that we have your current email address to facilitate these communications.

**How will I know when my tax return has been e-filed?** You will receive an email when your return has been accepted by the IRS. Please be sure to add **efile@efileservices.net** to your Safe Senders list in order to receive this acceptance email.

**How can I check on the status of my refund?** After you receive the acceptance email, visit [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

**When will my package be ready for pick-up?** If you delivered hard copy documents to our office, your package will be ready for pickup 2-3 business days after you receive the e-mail confirmation that your return has been accepted.

**What if I need to file an extension?** Due to continued IRS delays in processing tax returns, our office will automatically file an extension on your behalf. See "**How do extensions work?**" below.

**How do extensions work?** An extension gives you more time to file your tax return, *but not more time to pay your tax*. If your return is filed after the April 15<sup>th</sup> deadline and you owe tax, and payment isn't made by April 15<sup>th</sup> with the extension, the IRS will assess late payment penalties. If you need our help with this calculation, submit your tax documents along with notes on the information you might still be waiting on as soon as possible.



## **Privacy Policy**

Like all providers of personal financial services, tax professionals are required by law to inform clients of their policies regarding privacy of client information. Our firm continues to adhere to professional standards of confidentiality that are even more stringent than those required by law. We have always protected the security and privacy of your personal and financial information.

### **Types of Nonpublic Personal Information We Collect**

The only nonpublic personal information we collect is provided to us by you or obtained with your authorization.

### **Parties to Whom We Disclose Information**

We do not disclose any nonpublic personal information obtained in the course of our practice except as required or permitted by law. Permitted disclosures may include providing information to our employees, or, in limited situations, to unrelated third parties who need that information to assist us in serving you. In all situations, we stress the confidential nature of the information being shared.

### **Protecting the Confidentiality and Security of Clients' Information**

We retain records relating to our professional services to better serve your professional needs and, in some cases, to comply with professional guidelines. In order to protect your nonpublic personal information, we maintain physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards that comply with our professional standards.

**Chandler & Knowles CPAs  
Questionnaire**

**PREFERRED CONTACT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BEST EMAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BEST PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please check the appropriate box and include all necessary details and documentation.**

**Yes      No**

**Personal Information**

Did your marital status change during the year? ☐      ☐

If yes, explain:

Did you live separately from your spouse during the last six months of the year? ☐      ☐

If you were newly married in 2021, provide the following **for your Spouse:**

Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Did your address change from last year? ☐      ☐

If yes, please provide current address:

\_\_\_\_\_

Important: You must notify the IRS of your address change by submitting Form 8822.  
The form is available via [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov).

Can you be claimed as a dependent by another taxpayer? ☐      ☐

Did you change any bank accounts, or did routing transit numbers (RTN) and/or bank account numbers change for existing bank accounts that have been used to direct deposit (or direct debit) funds from (or to) the IRS or other taxing authority during the tax year? If yes, note your new banking information on the tax organizer, or provide a copy of a canceled check. ☐      ☐

*Do not send your banking information via email. The most secure way to provide sensitive information is via the portal.*

Did you receive an Identity Protection PIN (IP PIN) from the IRS or have you been a victim of identity theft? If yes, include the IRS letter. ☐      ☐

Did you reside in or operate a business in a Federally declared disaster area? The Federally declared disaster areas include victims of hurricanes, tropical storms, floods, as well as wildfires. ☐      ☐

**COVID-19 Information**

Did you receive an Economic Impact Payment (EIP3), also known as Stimulus Payment? If yes, include Notice 1444-C and IRS Letter 6475. ☐      ☐

Did you receive an adjustment to your refund (or balance due) for an IRS adjustment to your 2020 tax return, for the exclusion of unemployment compensation and/or Advanced Premium Tax Credit as a result of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)? If yes, include Notice CP-21 or CP-22. ☐ ☐

Did you receive Advanced Child Tax Credit (CTC) payments in July, August, September, October, November, and December? If yes, include Letter(s) 6419. ☐ ☐  
**See "IMPORTANT: ADVANCED CHILD TAX CREDIT AND IRS LETTER 6419" at the end of this Questionnaire.**

Are you a telecommuting employee that was required to "shelter in place" due to local COVID-19 protocols while working in a state that was not your home state? ☐ ☐  
 Did you receive emergency leave sick pay? ☐ ☐  
 Did you receive emergency family leave wages? ☐ ☐  
 Did you receive any special unemployment benefits or compensation under the Coronavirus Relief Act during the year? ☐ ☐

If you are self-employed, Did you receive an Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) for your Schedule C Business in 2021?

If yes: Amount Received in 2021 \$ ☐ ☐

If you are self-employed, did you receive a Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan for your Schedule C Business in 2021?

If yes: Amount Received in 2021 \$ ☐ ☐

If yes, did you apply for Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan forgiveness?

If yes: Amount Forgiven \$ ☐ ☐

If you are self-employed, were you unable to perform your self-employed activities due to coronavirus related care you needed? ☐ ☐

If you are self-employed, were you unable to perform your self-employed activities due to coronavirus related care you provided to your son or daughter under the age of 18? ☐ ☐

If you are self-employed, were you unable to perform your self-employed activities due to coronavirus related care provided to another? ☐ ☐

## Dependent Information

Were there any changes in dependents from the prior year? ☐ ☐  
 If yes, explain: ☐ ☐

Do you have any children under age 19 or a full-time student under age 24 with unearned income in excess of \$2,200? ☐ ☐

If you have dependents who must file a tax return, do you need our assistance? ☐ ☐

Did you provide over half the support for any other person(s) other than your dependent children during the year? ☐ ☐

Did you pay for child care while you worked, looked for work, or while a full-time student? ☐ ☐

Did you pay any expenses related to the adoption of a child during the year? ☐ ☐

If you are divorced or separated with child(ren), do you have a divorce decree or other form of separation agreement which establishes custodial responsibilities? ☐ ☐

Did any dependents receive an Identity Protection PIN (IP PIN) from the IRS or have they been a victim of identity theft? If yes, include the IRS letter. ☐ ☐

## Purchases, Sales, Business, and Debt Information

Did you start a new business or purchase rental property during the year? ☐ ☐  
*If yes, do not provide receipts, for either income or expenses, to our office.*

Contact your tax preparer for a list of additional information required. ☐ ☐

Did you sell, exchange, or purchase any assets used in your trade or business? ☐ ☐

Did you acquire a new or additional interest in a partnership or S corporation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you sell, exchange, or purchase any real estate during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, include the Closing Disclosure.		
Did you purchase or sell a principal residence during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, include the Closing Disclosure.		
Did you foreclose or abandon a principal residence or real property during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you acquire or dispose of any stock during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you take out a home equity loan this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you refinance a principal residence or second home this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, please include the Closing Disclosure.		
Did you sell an existing business, rental, or other property this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you lend money personally with the understanding of repayment and this year it became totally uncollectable?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you have any debts canceled or forgiven this year, such as a home mortgage, student loan(s), credit card, or personal loan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you purchase a qualified plug-in electric drive vehicle or qualified fuel cell vehicle this year? If yes, include the receipt.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Income Information

Did you have any foreign income?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you have any interest or dividend income? If yes, include Form(s) 1099.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any income from property sold prior to this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, explain: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any unemployment benefits during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, include Form 1099-G.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any disability income during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any Medicaid waiver payments as difficulty of care during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive tip income not reported to your employer this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did any of your life insurance policies mature, or did you surrender any policies?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any awards, prizes, hobby income, gambling or lottery winnings?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any income considered to be nonemployee compensation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you expect a large fluctuation in income, deductions, or withholding next year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
At any time during 2021, did you receive, sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of any financial interest in any virtual currency (including from an airdrop or a hard fork), or did you use virtual currencies to pay for goods or services?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Retirement Information

Are you an active participant in a pension or retirement plan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any Social Security benefits during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, include Form SSA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any withdrawals from an IRA, Roth, Keogh, SIMPLE, SEP, 401(k), or other qualified retirement plan? If yes, include Form(s) 1099-R.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, were any withdrawals due to a Federally declared disaster?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you received any qualified disaster retirement plan distributions, did you repay any of the distributions in 2021?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any lump-sum payments from a pension, profit sharing or 401(k) plan? If yes, include Form(s) 1099-R.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any contributions to an IRA, Roth, Keogh, SIMPLE, SEP, 401(k), or other qualified retirement plan? If yes, include Form(s) 5498.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



## Education Information

Did you, your spouse, or your dependents attend a post-secondary school during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you have any educational expenses during the year on behalf of yourself, your spouse, or a dependent? If yes, include any Form(s) 1098-T and receipts for qualified tuition and related expenses.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did anyone in your family receive a scholarship of any kind during the year? If yes, were any of the scholarship funds used for expenses other than tuition, such as room and board?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any withdrawals from an education savings or 529 Plan account? If yes, include Form(s) 1099-Q.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, were any of these withdrawals rolled over into an ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience) account?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you pay any student loan interest this year? If yes, include Form(s) 1098-E.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you cash any Series EE or I U.S. Savings bonds issued after 1989?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Health Care Information

Did you have qualifying health care coverage, such as employer-sponsored coverage or government-sponsored coverage (i.e., Medicare/Medicaid) for your family? "Your family" for health care coverage refers to you, your spouse if filing jointly, and anyone you can claim as a dependent.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you enroll for lower cost Marketplace Coverage through healthcare.gov under the Affordable Care Act? If yes, attach any Form(s) 1095-A you received.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you enroll for lower cost Marketplace Coverage through healthcare.gov under the Affordable Care Act and share a policy with anyone who is not included in your family?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any contributions to a Health savings account (HSA) or Archer MSA? <i>Note: an HSA is different from a flex spending account/cafeteria plan.</i> If yes, include Form(s) 5498-SA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any distributions from a Health savings account (HSA), Archer MSA, or Medicare Advantage MSA this year? If yes, include Form 1099-SA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you pay long-term care premiums for yourself or your family?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any contributions to an ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience) account? If yes, include Form(s) 5498-QA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any withdrawals from an ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience) account? If yes, include Form(s) 1099-QA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you are a self-employed business owner, did you pay health insurance premiums for your employees this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive any Health Coverage Tax Credit (HCTC) advance payments? If yes, include Form(s) 1099-H.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Itemized Deduction Information

Did you incur a casualty or theft loss or any condemnation awards during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, did the loss occur in a Federally declared disaster area?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you pay out-of-pocket medical expenses (Co-pays, prescription drugs, etc.)? If yes, provide expenses in total by category. <i>Do not provide receipts to our office.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you make any cash or noncash charitable contributions (clothes, furniture, etc.)? If yes, provide evidence such as a receipt from the donee organization, a canceled check, or record of payment, to substantiate all contributions made.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you donate a vehicle or boat during the year? If yes, include Form 1098-C or other written acknowledgment from the donee organization.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you pay real estate taxes for your primary home and/or second home?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Did you pay any mortgage interest on an existing home loan? ☐ ☐

If yes, include Form(s) 1098. ☐ ☐

Did you incur interest expenses associated with any investment accounts you held? ☐ ☐

Did you make any major purchases during the year (cars, boats, etc.)? If yes, include receipts. ☐ ☐

### Miscellaneous Information

Did you make gifts of more than \$15,000 to any individual? ☐ ☐

Did you utilize an area of your home for business purposes? ☐ ☐

Did you engage in any bartering transactions? ☐ ☐

Did you retire or change jobs this year? ☐ ☐

Did you incur moving costs because of a permanent change of station as a member of the Armed Forces on active duty? ☐ ☐

Did you pay any individual as a household employee during the year? ☐ ☐

Did you make energy efficient improvements to your main home this year? If yes, include receipts. ☐ ☐

Did you receive a distribution from, or were you a grantor or transferor for a foreign trust? ☐ ☐

Did you have signature authority over any foreign financial accounts, have foreign assets, or hold interest in a foreign entity? ☐ ☐

Did you receive correspondence from any State or the IRS that has not already been provided? If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ ☐

Do you have previous years of tax returns that are either unfiled or filed with unpaid balances due? ☐ ☐

Do you wish to designate \$3 to the Presidential Election Campaign Fund? If you check yes, it will not change your tax or reduce your refund. ☐ ☐

If you are due a refund, would you like to have it applied to next year's taxes? ☐ ☐

If no, would you prefer to have it direct deposited into your bank account? ☐ ☐

If you have tax due, would you prefer to have it automatically withdrawn from your bank account? ☐ ☐

Did you make any 2021 estimated tax payments? ☐ ☐

If yes, please provide the amount and date of each payment made.  
For your reference, the due date for each 2021 estimated tax payment is provided below:

Due Date	Amount Paid	Date Paid
Q1 ES: 06/15/2021	_____	_____
Q2 ES: 06/15/2021	_____	_____
Q3 ES: 09/15/2021	_____	_____
Q4 ES: 01/18/2022	_____	_____

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## **IMPORTANT: ADVANCED CHILD TAX CREDIT AND IRS LETTER 6419**

If you received the Advanced Child Tax Credit in 2021, IRS Letter 6419 may contain incorrect or incomplete information. If the advanced child tax credit amounts issued by the IRS don't match what's reported on the tax return, the IRS may delay processing the return. Therefore, taxpayers should not rely solely on IRS Letter 6419 when reporting the amount of advanced child tax credit on their tax return.

Per the IRS: "We encourage taxpayers to thoroughly check their records before filing their taxes. For any recipient who doesn't receive their letter or is unsure of the amount they received in 2021, there are options to help. The IRS encourages people to check their Online Account on IRS.gov beginning January 31.

For taxpayers who are married filing jointly, as indicated on IRS Letter 6419, they are being sent to individual taxpayers. Therefore, married taxpayers will each receive a letter, and they will need to combine the information from the letters when they file their joint return."

What this means for you:

- We need all Form(s) 6419 both you and your spouse (if applicable) received, even if the figures on the forms are incorrect.

- Ensure the correct amount is reported on your return:

1. Check your records (i.e., bank statements) for the advanced child tax credit payments you actually received. If the total received does not match Form(s) 6419, note the total amount received here: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OR

2. Check your Online Account on IRS.gov beginning January 31. Note that this can be an arduous process, so have ample time available. If the total amount on your Online Account does not match Form(s) 6419, note the total amount here: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## DUE DILIGENCE QUESTIONS

Dear Client:

IRS regulations require paid tax preparers to perform a series of due diligence requirements for certain credits and/or filing statuses. **We believe you are/may be eligible for one or more of the credits or the filing status.** In order to comply with these requirements, we ask all clients for whom returns are prepared to answer the following due diligence questions. Please respond to the questions below by entering Y (yes) or N (no) where indicated.

### **Earned Income Credit - *Y or N***

Were you (taxpayer(s)) a US citizen or resident alien for all of 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

Are dependent(s) claimed on your tax return your: son, daughter, stepchild, foster child, or a descendant of any of them (for example, your grandchild), or brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister, stepbrother, stepsister, or a descendant of any of them (for example, your niece or nephew)? \_\_\_\_\_

Did any dependent(s) file a joint return with another person for 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

Did dependent(s) live with you in the United States for more than half of 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

\*You can't claim the EIC for a child who didn't live with you for more than half of the year, even if you paid most of the child's living expenses.

Do you believe dependent(s) could also meet the qualifications to be a qualifying child of another tax filer? \_\_\_\_\_

\*Sometimes a child meets the tests to be a qualifying child of more than one person. However, only one of these persons can actually treat the child as a qualifying child. Only that person can use the child as a qualifying child.

### **Child Tax Credit - *Y or N***

Are dependent(s) claimed on your tax return your: son, daughter, stepchild, foster child, brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half-brother, half-sister, or a descendant of any of them (for example, your grandchild, niece, or nephew)? \_\_\_\_\_

Did any dependent(s) provide over half of his or her own support for 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

Did all dependent(s) live with you for more than half of 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

Did any dependent(s) file a joint return with another person for 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

Are all dependent(s) a U.S. citizen, a U.S. national, or a U.S. resident alien? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes:

\*We are required to obtain from the taxpayer a document proving the existence of the child such as one of the following (**that would have the child's name on it**). Please upload:

- School record or statement
- Health care provider statement
- Child care provider record
- Place of worship statement

**American Opportunity Tax Credit- Y or N**

1. As of the beginning of 2021, has the student completed the first 4 years of postsecondary education (generally, the freshman through senior years of college), as determined by the eligible educational institution? \_\_\_\_\_

*If our office has prepared your tax returns for each of the last four years, you may skip to Question #3. If not, please answer:*

2. For the student, has either the American Opportunity Tax credit or the Hope Scholarship credit been claimed by you or anyone else for this student for any 4 tax years before 2021? \_\_\_\_\_

\*If the American Opportunity Tax credit (and Hope Scholarship credit) has been claimed for this student for any 3 or fewer tax years before 2021, this requirement is met.

3. For at least one academic period beginning (or treated as beginning) in 2021, has the student met both of the following? \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Was enrolled in a program that leads to a degree, certificate, or other recognized educational credential; and

(b) Carried at least one-half the normal full-time workload for his or her course of study, for at least one semester.

4. As of the end of 2021, has the student been convicted of a federal or state felony for possessing or distributing a controlled substance? \_\_\_\_\_

**Head of Household Filing Status - Y or N**

Are you, the taxpayer, unmarried on 12/31/2021 and do you provide more than half of the cost of keeping up a home for the year for a qualifying person (i.e., dependent)? \_\_\_\_\_

**General - Y or N**

Can you provide documentation to substantiate the above answers? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had any of these credits disallowed or reduced in the past? \_\_\_\_\_

Sincerely,

Chandler & Knowles CPAs, PLLC

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

General: 1040

## Personal Information

Filing (Marital) status code (1 = Single, 2 = Married filing joint, 3 = Married filing separate, 4 = Head of household, 5 = Qualifying widow(er)) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if you were married but living apart all year \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if your nonresident alien spouse does not have an ITIN \_\_\_\_\_

Taxpayer

Spouse

Social security number \_\_\_\_\_

First name \_\_\_\_\_

Last name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Designate \$3.00 to the presidential election campaign fund? (1 = Yes, 2 = No, 3=Blank) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if legally blind \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if dependent of another taxpayer \_\_\_\_\_

Taxpayer between 19 and 23, full-time student, with income less than 1/2 support? (Y, N) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death \_\_\_\_\_

Work/daytime telephone number/ext number \_\_\_\_\_

Do you authorize us to discuss your return with the IRS (Y, N) \_\_\_\_\_

General: 1040, Contact

## Present Mailing Address

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Apartment number \_\_\_\_\_

City/State postal code/Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Foreign country name \_\_\_\_\_

Foreign phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Home/evening telephone number \_\_\_\_\_

Taxpayer email address \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse email address \_\_\_\_\_

General: 1040

## Dependent Information

First Name	Last Name	Date of Birth	Social Security No.	Relationship	Months in home	Care expenses paid for dependent
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Credits: 2441

## Child and Dependent Care Expenses

Provider information:

Business name \_\_\_\_\_

First and Last name \_\_\_\_\_

Street address \_\_\_\_\_

City, state, and zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Social security number OR Employer identification number \_\_\_\_\_

Tax Exempt or Living Abroad Foreign Care Provider (1 = TE, 2 = LAFCP) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount paid to care provider in 2021 \_\_\_\_\_

Taxpayer

Spouse

Employer-provided dependent care benefits that were forfeited \_\_\_\_\_

Credits: AdvCTC

## Advanced Child Tax Payments

	Taxpayer	Spouse
Advanced Child Tax Payments received (Letter 6419):		
July	_____	_____
August	_____	_____
September	_____	_____
October	_____	_____
November	_____	_____
December	_____	_____

General: Bank

**Direct Deposit/Electronic Funds Withdrawal Information**

**Per IRS Security Summit requirements, verify the name of financial institution, routing transit number, account number, and type of account below. If you would like to have a refund direct deposited into or a balance due debited from your bank account(s), please enter information in the fields below. Note that electronic funds will be withdrawn only from the primary account listed below.**

Mark to verify all accounts listed below have been reviewed, updated as needed, and are correct. \_\_\_\_\_

Primary account:

Financial institution routing transit number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of financial institution \_\_\_\_\_

Your account number \_\_\_\_\_

Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 = IRA\*) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if married filing jointly and this is a joint account (Both taxpayer and spouse names are on the account) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if financial institution is foreign based (Not located in the territorial jurisdiction of the United States) \_\_\_\_\_

Enter the maximum dollar amount, or percentage of total refund Dollar \_\_\_\_\_ or Percent (xxx.xx) \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary account #1:

Financial institution routing transit number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of financial institution \_\_\_\_\_

Your account number \_\_\_\_\_

Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 = IRA\*) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if married filing jointly and this is a joint account (Both taxpayer and spouse names are on the account) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if financial institution is foreign based (Not located in the territorial jurisdiction of the United States) \_\_\_\_\_

Enter the maximum dollar amount, or percentage of total refund Dollar \_\_\_\_\_ or Percent (xxx.xx) \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary account #2:

Financial institution routing transit number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of financial institution \_\_\_\_\_

Your account number \_\_\_\_\_

Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 = IRA\*) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if married filing jointly and this is a joint account (Both taxpayer and spouse names are on the account) \_\_\_\_\_

Mark if financial institution is foreign based (Not located in the territorial jurisdiction of the United States) \_\_\_\_\_

Enter the maximum dollar amount, or percentage of total refund Dollar \_\_\_\_\_ or Percent (xxx.xx) \_\_\_\_\_

\*Refunds may only be direct deposited to established traditional, Roth or SEP-IRA accounts. Make sure direct deposits will be accepted by the bank or financial institution.

Electronic Filing: ID Auth

**Identity Authentication**

**Taxpayer -**

Form of identification ( 1 = Driver's license, 2 = State issued identification card, 3 = No applicable identification, 4 = Identification not provided) \_\_\_\_\_

Identification number \_\_\_\_\_

Issue date \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Location of issuance \_\_\_\_\_

Document number (New York only) \_\_\_\_\_

**Spouse -**

Form of identification ( 1 = Driver's license, 2 = State issued identification card, 3 = No applicable identification, 4 = Identification not provided) \_\_\_\_\_

Identification number \_\_\_\_\_

Issue date \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Location of issuance \_\_\_\_\_

Document number (New York only) \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTES/QUESTIONS:**

Credits: Rebate

**Economic Impact Payment (EIP)/Stimulus Payment**

Please provide all copies of Notice 1444-C that you receive.

Look up your EIP3 amount by creating or viewing your IRS online account at <https://www.irs.gov/payments/view-your-tax-account>

Taxpayer

Spouse

Economic impact payment(s) 3 (EIP3) received

Mark if taxpayer or spouse, if married, was member of US Armed Forces in 2021

Income: W2

**Salary and Wages**

Please provide all copies of Form W-2 that you receive.

Below is a list of the Form(s) W-2 as reported in last year's tax return. If a particular W-2 no longer applies, mark the not applicable box.

T/S	Description	Prior Year Information	Mark if no longer applicable
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Retirement: 1099R

**Pension, IRA, and Annuity Distributions**

Please provide all copies of Form 1099-R that you receive.

Below is a list of the Form(s) 1099-R as reported in last year's tax return. If a particular 1099-R no longer applies, mark the not applicable box.

T/S	Description	Prior Year Information	Mark if no longer applicable
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Income: K1, K1T

**Schedules K-1**

Please provide all copies of Schedule K-1 that you receive.

Below is a list of the Schedule(s) K-1 as reported in last year's tax return. If a particular K-1 no longer applies, mark the not applicable box.

T/S/J	Description	Form	Mark if no longer applicable
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Income: W2G

**Gambling Income**

Please provide all copies of Form W-2G that you receive.

Below is a list of the Form(s) W-2G as reported in last year's tax return. If a particular W-2G no longer applies, mark the not applicable box.

T/S	Description	Prior Year Information	Mark if no longer applicable
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Educate: 1099Q

**Qualified Education Plan Distributions**

Please provide all copies of Form 1099-Q that you receive.

Below is a list of the Form(s) 1099-Q as reported in last year's tax return. If a particular 1099-Q no longer applies, mark the not applicable box.

T/S	Description	Prior Year Information	Mark if no longer applicable
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____



Income: B1

**Interest Income**

Please provide all copies of Form 1099-INT or other statements reporting interest income.

T/S/J	Payer Name	Interest Income	Prior Year Information
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Income: B3

**Seller Financed Mortgage Interest**

T, S, J \_\_\_\_\_ Payer's name \_\_\_\_\_ Payer's social security number \_\_\_\_\_  
Payer's address, city, state, zip code \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount received in 2021 \_\_\_\_\_ Amount received in 2020 \_\_\_\_\_

Income: B2

**Dividend Income**

Please provide copies of all Form 1099-DIV or other statements reporting dividend income.

T/S/J	Payer Name	Ordinary Dividends	Qualified Dividends	Prior Year Information
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Income: D

**Sales of Stocks, Securities, and Other Investment Property**

Please provide copies of all Forms 1099-B and 1099-S.

T/S/J	Description of Property	Date Acquired	Date Sold	Gross Sales Price (Less expenses of sale)	Cost or Other Basis
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Income: Income

**Other Income**

Please provide copies of all supporting documentation.

		2021 Information	Prior Year Information
State and local income tax refunds		_____	_____
T/S	Agreement Date	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
Alimony received	_____	_____	_____
		Spouse	Prior Year Information
Unemployment compensation		_____	_____
Unemployment compensation repaid		_____	_____
Social security benefits		_____	_____
Medicare premiums to be reported on Schedule A		_____	_____
Railroad retirement benefits		_____	_____

T/S/J

2021 Information

Prior Year Information

Other Income:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

1040 Adj: IRA

**Adjustments to Income - IRA Contributions**

Please provide year end statements for each account and any Form 8606 not prepared by this office.

Taxpayer

Spouse

**Traditional IRA Contributions for 2021 -**

If you want to contribute the maximum allowable traditional IRA contribution amount,

enter the applicable code: (1 = Deductible only, 2 = Both deductible and nondeductible)

Enter the total traditional IRA contributions made for use in 2021

**Roth IRA Contributions for 2021 -**

Mark if you want to contribute the maximum Roth IRA contribution

Enter the total Roth IRA contributions made for use in 2021

Educate: Educate2

**Higher Education Deductions and/or Credits**

Complete this section if you paid interest on a qualified student loan in 2021 for qualified higher education expenses for you, your spouse, or a person who was your dependent when you took out the loan.

T/S	Qualified student loan interest paid	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Complete this section if you paid qualified education expenses for higher education costs in 2021.

Qualified education expenses include tuition and fees required for enrollment or attendance at an eligible educational institution.

Please provide all copies of Form 1098-T.

T/S	Ed Exp Code*	Student's SSN	Student's First Name	Student's Last Name	Qualified Expenses	Prior Year Information
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

\*Education Expense Code: 1 = American opportunity credit; 2 = Lifetime learning credit; 3 = Tuition and fees deduction

The student qualifies for the American opportunity credit when enrolled at least half-time in a program leading to a degree, certificate, or recognized credential; has not completed the first 4 years of post-secondary education; has no felony drug convictions on student's record.

1040 Adj: 3903

**Job Related Moving Expenses**

Complete this section if you moved to a new home due to service in the armed forces.

Description of move

Taxpayer/Spouse/Joint (T, S, J)

Mark if the move was due to service in the armed forces

Number of miles from old home to new workplace

Number of miles from old home to old workplace

Mark if move is outside United States or its possessions

Transportation and storage expenses

Travel and lodging (not including meals)

Total amount reimbursed for moving expenses

1040 Adj: OtherAdj

**Other Adjustments to Income**

Alimony Paid:

T/S	Date*	Recipient name	Recipient SSN	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Street address

City, State and Zip code

\*Enter the divorce/separation agreement date

Taxpayer

Spouse

Prior Year Information

Educator expenses:

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Other adjustments:

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Itemized: A1

**Medical and Dental Expenses**

T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— Medical and dental expenses	_____	_____
— Medical insurance premiums you paid***	_____	_____
— Long-term care premiums you paid***	_____	_____
— Prescription medicines and drugs	_____	_____
— Miles driven for medical items	_____	_____

\*\*\*Do not include pre-tax amounts paid by an employer-sponsored plan, amounts paid for your self-employed business, or Medicare premiums entered on Form Lite-3

Itemized: A1

**Tax Expenses**

T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— State/local income taxes paid	_____	_____
— 2020 state and local income taxes paid in 2021	_____	_____
— Sales tax paid on actual expenses	_____	_____
— Real estate taxes paid	_____	_____
— Personal property taxes	_____	_____
— Other taxes	_____	_____

Itemized: A2

**Interest Expenses**

T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— Home mortgage interest From Form 1098	_____	_____
— Other home mortgage interest paid to individuals:		
T/S/J	Payee's Name	SSN or EIN
—	_____	_____
	Address	City
	_____	State
		Zip Code
	_____	_____
T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— Investment interest expense, other than on Sch K-1s:	_____	_____
Refinancing Information:	Refinance #1	Refinance #2
T/S/J	_____	_____
Recipient/Lender name	_____	_____
Total points paid at time of refinance	_____	_____
Date of refinance	_____	_____
Term of new loan (in months)	_____	_____
Reported on Form 1098 in 2021	_____	_____

Itemized: A3

**Charitable Contributions**

T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— Contributions made by cash or check	_____	_____
— Volunteer miles driven	_____	_____
— Noncash items, such as: Goodwill, Salvation Army	_____	_____

Itemized: A3, A-St

**Miscellaneous Deductions**

T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
Other expenses	_____	_____
— _____	_____	_____
— Gambling losses (enter only if you have gambling income)	_____	_____
***STATE USE ONLY - Complete the following fields only if you file a state return in AL, AR, CA, HI, MN, NY or PA		
T/S/J	2021 Information	Prior Year Information
— Unreimbursed expenses***	_____	_____
— Union dues, other than amounts reported on Form W-2***	_____	_____
— Tax preparation fees***	_____	_____
— Other expenses, subject to 2% AGI limitation***:	_____	_____
— _____	_____	_____
— _____	_____	_____
— Safe deposit box rental***	_____	_____
— Investment expenses, other than on Schedule(s) K-1 or Form(s) 1099-DIV/INT***	_____	_____

**Recovery Rebate Credit (Economic Impact Payment)****Please provide copies of all Notice(s) 1444-C and Letter(s) 6475**

A third round of stimulus payments was issued in 2021 for qualifying individuals. The third economic impact payment, referred to as EIP3, was issued in 2021 to qualifying individuals. Refer to the IRS notice or letter indicating the payment amount received. You can look up your EIP3 amount by either creating or viewing your IRS online account at <https://www.irs.gov/payments/view-your-tax-account>.

The EIP3 was an advance on a 2021 tax credit. The payments will be used to determine if you qualify for an additional recovery rebate credit on your 2021 return. The EIP3 will not increase the total amount of tax you pay but may reduce the amount owed or increase a tax refund.

	<b>Taxpayer/Joint</b>	<b>Spouse</b>
<b>Economic impact payment (EIP). Enter a zero (0) if none was received:</b>		
EIP no. 3 reported on Notice 1444-C	+ _____ [1]	+ _____ [2]
Mark if taxpayer, or spouse (if filing jointly) was a member of the US Armed Forces in 2020		_____ [3]
EIP3 amount projected from your prior year return		+ _____ [4]
EIP3 projection tax year		_____ [5]
Mark if the EIP3 you received matches the <b>EIP3 amount projected from your prior year return</b>		_____ [6]

**NOTES/QUESTIONS:**