
Guide to Filing Your Own Taxes

For Foreign Students- All Countries

This Guide is for:

- Students on F, J, M, or Q Visa
- Annual household income of \$84,000 or less
- Non-Resident Aliens

If you are unsure of your residency status for tax purposes, use this tool for assistance:

<https://tools.nrvtap.com/aminra>



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If you are:

- ✓ A non-resident alien, and
- ✓ Have no earned income in the US in 2025

You only need to complete [Form 8843](#) and mail it in **before June 15, 2026**.

Submitting this form will keep you exempt from a taxable residency status while you are a student in the United States.

[Mail it to this address:](#)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service Center
Austin, TX 73301-0215

Go to [MyFreeTaxes.com](https://www.myfreetaxes.com)

Select File My Own Taxes



HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO FILE YOUR TAXES?



File My Own Taxes

- Our most popular option
- Self-file and get help when you need it
- Fastest (takes most filers an hour or less)

Select option



Have My Taxes Prepared for Me

- Have your return prepared for you online or in-person
- Typically takes 1-2+ weeks
- For filers who make about \$60,000 or less

Select option



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Answer the following questions:

LET US HELP YOU FILE YOUR OWN TAXES FOR FREE.

This is a great option for people who:

- Are filing a current year return (for 2024 taxes)
- Are comfortable using tax software, or want to learn.

DID YOU EARN LESS THAN \$84,000 IN 2024?

YES NO

WHAT IS YOUR ZIP CODE?

Zip code:

DO YOU HAVE INCOME FROM SELF-EMPLOYMENT?

YES NO



I WOULD LIKE TO OPT-IN TO BE CONTACTED BY UNITED WAY (OPTIONAL).

Scroll down and select
“File Now”

Select Continue...

Welcome to the TaxSlayer VITA/TCE self-prep kiosk

- No current year preparation or electronic filing Fees
- Unlimited current year states
- Access to prepare and e-file 1040-NR
- Access to prepare and e-file 1040PR

For assistance while completing your return, please contact the free tax assistance program where you received the referral link to this software. They have IRS-certified specialists available to assist you.

Click the Continue button to create a new account or login with an existing account.

CONTINUE

Sign In

It should look like this:



Log In

Need a TaxSlayer account? [Create account.](#)

Username

Password

[Forgot Username](#) | [Forgot Password](#)

LOG IN

By clicking Log In, you agree to TaxSlayer's [License Agreement](#), [Privacy Policy](#), and [Terms of Service](#).

If this is your first time doing your own taxes using TaxSlayer, click on "Create Account."



If you did your tax return here last year, enter your username and password from last year. Select "Forgot" Username or Password if needed.



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Create Your Account



Create your account.

Already have an account? [Log In](#)

Email address

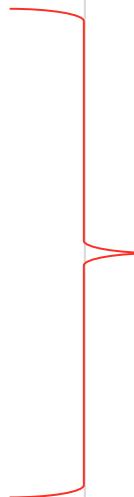
Username

Password

Mobile phone

CREATE ACCOUNT

By clicking 'Create Account', you agree to TaxSlayer's [License Agreement](#), [Privacy Policy](#), and [Terms of Service](#).



If this is your first time doing your own taxes using TaxSlayer, complete the required fields to create an account!



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Success!



Success! Your TaxSlayer account
has been created.

Now, let's keep going.

CONTINUE

← Click Continue

Let's get this out of the way.

Review the legal info below, give us your autograph, and you'll be on your way to a faster, easier tax filing experience – created with you in mind.

Sign by typing your name and the date in the boxes below

Use of Information

Section 301-7216 of the Internal Revenue Code specifically governs the use and disclosure of Tax Return Information. Some states may also have additional laws and regulations related to use and disclosure of the same information. We use your Tax Return Information only in accordance with those applicable laws and regulations to prepare and assist in preparing your tax return, to provide services associated with preparing your tax return, and to provide you with other products and services you specifically request or consent to.

We use the information you provide (discussed above) to complete services and products you request. That is, we may use your information to show you additional products (if applicable) such as options to pay for tax preparation services (e.g. Refund Transfer), various ways to receive a refund disbursement, personalized tax tips, and other relevant products and services based upon your Tax Return Information. These offers may come from us or a third-party

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Leave these items blank!

Full Name *

Date *

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I am filing with my spouse.

REMIND ME LATER

CONTINUE

Click "Remind Me Later"

Personal Information

Personal Information

Taxpayer's Information 

Primary First Name MI

Last Name Suffix (Jr, Sr, etc.) 

Social Security Number - -

Date of Birth   

Occupation

 **Tip:** If you have multiple first names and it can't fit into this field, the IRS only needs the first of your first names. So just use the first one.

Personal Information

What's your mailing address?

Country

United States of America

Address (street number & name) *

123 Silverado st

Apartment (provide apartment number only)

ZIP code *

90301

City, town, or post office *

Inglewood

State *

South Carolina

Residency Status *

- Please Select -

 Residency Status is required.

I have a stateside military address.

Personal Information

Use a U.S. address.



Select Full Resident of this State.

Additional Information

Nicole Information

Check all that apply:

Nicole can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's return. 

Nicole was over age 18 and a full-time student at an eligible educational institution. 

Nicole is blind.

Nicole is deceased.

Nicole wishes to contribute \$3 to the Presidential Election Campaign Fund.

Nicole served in a combat zone during the current tax year. 

Nicole was affected by a natural disaster during the current tax year.

Nicole received, sold, exchanged, gifted, or disposed of a digital asset (or financial interest in a digital asset) in the current tax year.

Nicole prefers to receive written communications from the IRS in a language other than English.

Nicole prefers to receive written communications from the IRS in an accessible format.

DO NOT PUT A CHECK MARK IN ANY OF THESE BOXES.

Select continue.

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What's your filing status? ?

- Single
- Married Filing Jointly
- Married Filing Separately
- Head of Household
- Qualifying Surviving Spouse
- Nonresident Alien

Need help determining your filing status?

[FILING STATUS WIZARD](#)

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Filing Status

**SELECT
NONRESIDENT
ALIEN**

If you choose the wrong filing status, you must delete this return and start over.



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Filing Status

If you are not married, select “Single nonresident alien”

If you are married, select “Married nonresident alien”

Select “continue”

What's your filing status? [Learn more](#)

- Single nonresident alien
- Married nonresident alien
- Qualifying widow(er) with dependent child

WAIT! This isn't what I wanted!

[SHOW RESIDENT OPTIONS](#)

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Dependents

Dependents or Qualifying Person(s)

Do you have children or relatives who rely on you for support and live in your home? If so, you might be able to receive potential tax credits and tax exemptions that could save you money on your tax bill. But before you get too excited, there are some situations when a child's exemption status is a little more complicated. The IRS does have special rules for those situations. 

Do you have any dependents or qualifying person(s) to claim on your return?

Yes
 No

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Select the answer that applies to you.

If you have dependents, complete this section with their information.

IP PIN

Select the answer that applies to you. The most common answer is “No.”

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IRS Identity Protection PIN

Did you or anyone on your tax return receive a CP01A notice from the IRS containing a 6-digit Identity Protection PIN? [?](#)

- Yes, someone on my return received an Identity Protection PIN.
- No, no one on my return received an Identity Protection PIN.

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Basic Information



Personal Information

EDIT



Filing Status

EDIT



Dependents / Qualifying Person

BEGIN



IRS Identity Protection PIN

BEGIN

1040NR Schedule OI

BEGIN

Select BEGIN next to 1040NR Schedule OI 

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CONTINUE

Schedule OI

Start with General Information

Schedule OI

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General Information	 BEGIN
Dates Entered and Departed the U.S. in Current Year	BEGIN
Income Exempt from Tax	BEGIN
	CONTINUE

Schedule OI

Complete the information according to your situation

Schedule OI - General Information

General Information

Type of 1040NR Entity *

- Please Select -



Select "Individual"

Country of Citizenship *

- Please Select -

Country of Residence *

- Please Select -

U.S. Travel Information

-- Please Select --

Select type of U.S. Visa *

Please Select



Select "Non Immigrant Visa"

Check if you have ever applied for a U.S. Green Card

Check if you have ever been a citizen of the U.S.

Check here if you have ever had a green card.

Check if you have ever changed your Visa Type.

Days Present in the U.S.

Number of days in the U.S. for 2019.

Number of days in the U.S. for 2018.

Number of days in the U.S. for 2017.



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Schedule OI

If you are from India, ignore this section

Income Exempt from U.S. Tax

- Check if you were subject to tax in a foreign country on U.S. exempt income.
- Check if you used an alternate method to determine the source of the income.

Wages Exempt by a Treaty (reduces 1040-NR line 8)



If you completed the proper forms before beginning your job and received an accurate Form 1042 S, leave this blank. If you did not, add the amount of wages that should be exempt based on the treaty for your country.

Real Property Election

Have you ever made an election to treat income from real property located in the United States as effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business under section 871(d)?

- Yes
- No

Look up the treaty benefits for your country in the Pub 4011, pages 17-18:
<https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p4011.pdf>

Note: If you made less than the treaty benefit, put the full amount of income earned in Amount of Exempt Income.

Schedule OI

If you left the country during the tax year, record it in this section.

Schedule OI

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General Information	BEGIN
Dates Entered and Departed the U.S. in Current Year	BEGIN
Income Exempt from Tax	BEGIN

CONTINUE



Schedule OI

Look up the treaty benefits for your country in the Pub 4011, pages 17-18: <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p4011.pdf>

If you are from India, ignore this section

- Under Basic Information –
 - Select Country of Residence
 - Number of Months Claimed on Prior returns
 - Amount of Exempt Income (found in the Pub 4011 under treaty benefits)



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Schedule OI - Income Exempt from Tax

Name of the Country *

Number of months claimed on prior tax returns

Amount of exempt income \$

CANCEL CONTINUE

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Note: If you made less than the treaty benefit, put the full amount of income earned in Amount of Exempt Income.

Select continue until you see this page:

Income

W-2 (Most Common Form)

?

Wages and tax statement

If you have a W-2, select BEGIN. If not, skip this section.



BEGIN

1099-G Box 1

?

Unemployment compensation

BEGIN

1099-G Box 2

?

State or local income tax refunds, credits, or offsets

BEGIN

1099-INT, DIV, OID

?

Interest income, dividends, and distributions

BEGIN

1099-K

?

Payment card and third party network transactions

BEGIN

1099-MISC

?

Miscellaneous income

BEGIN

1099-NEC



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Form W-2

W-2

Check any of these that apply to you:

Don't worry, most people won't need to check these boxes.

- This is a corrected W-2
- This is a substitute W-2
- This is a railroad W-2

b Employer identification number (EIN) *

c Employer's name *

Country *

United States

Address (number and street) *

ZIP Code *

City *

State *

-- Please Select --

Enter the information exactly as it is on your W-2 form

1 Wages, tips, other

\$

2 Federal tax withheld

\$

3 Social security wages

\$

4 Social security tax withheld

\$

5 Medicare wages and tips

\$

6 Medicare tax withheld

\$

7 Social security tips

\$

8 Allocated tips

\$

9 IRS verification code

10 Dependent care benefits

\$

11 Nonqualified plans

\$

Unreported tips

\$

12 [\(?\) Learn More](#)

a - Code

After completing your W-2, scroll down to **Scholarships and Fellowship Grants**

Profit or loss from business 

Reported on Schedule C

BEGIN

Profit or Loss From Farming 

Reported on Schedule F

BEGIN

Scholarships And Fellowship Grants

Taxable portion of a scholarship/grant must be included in gross income

Enter the amount of scholarships and grants received minus your country's treaty amount.



BEGIN

SSA-1042S and RRB-1042S

Retirement benefits for nonresident aliens

Look up the treaty benefits for your country in the Pub 4011 Page 16 <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p4011.pdf>

BEGIN

Supplemental Income and Loss 

Reported on Schedule E

If your treaty benefit is higher than your scholarships and grants amount, leave this section blank.

BEGIN

Less Common Income 

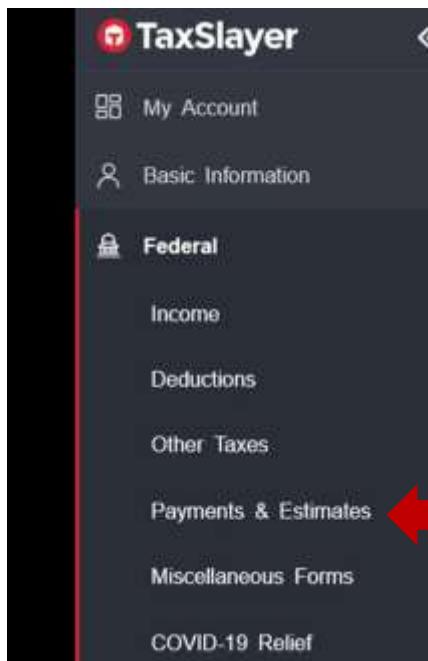
K-1 earnings, gambling winnings, cancellation of debt, etc.

BEGIN



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Entering the Form 1042-S



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- My Account
- Basic Information
- Federal**
 - Income
 - Deductions
 - Other Taxes
 - Payments & Estimates** 
 - Miscellaneous Forms
 - COVID-19 Relief

Payments and Estimates

- Amount Paid with Extension** 
Amount paid with Form 4868 
- Apply Overpayment to Next Year's Taxes** 
Option to apply all or part of your refund to next year's taxes 
- Federal Estimated Tax Payments** 
Federal tax payments already made for 2020 
- Foreign Partner's Information Statement**
Form 8805 
- Foreign Person's U.S. Source Income Subject to Withholding** 
Form 1042-S 
- Other Federal Withholdings** 
Federal withholdings you haven't already entered 

Entering the Form 1042-S

Form 1042-S Foreign Person's U.S. Income Subject to Withholding

Select chapter: Box 3

Tax Rate: Box 3b

Unique Form Identifier:

Is this an amended form? Yes No

Pro-rata basis reporting? Yes No

Have you deposited tax with the IRS pursuant to escrow procedure? Yes No

Select an income code: Box 1

Gross Income: (Gross income will not be carried to your return. Please enter it on the applicable form.) \$ Box 2

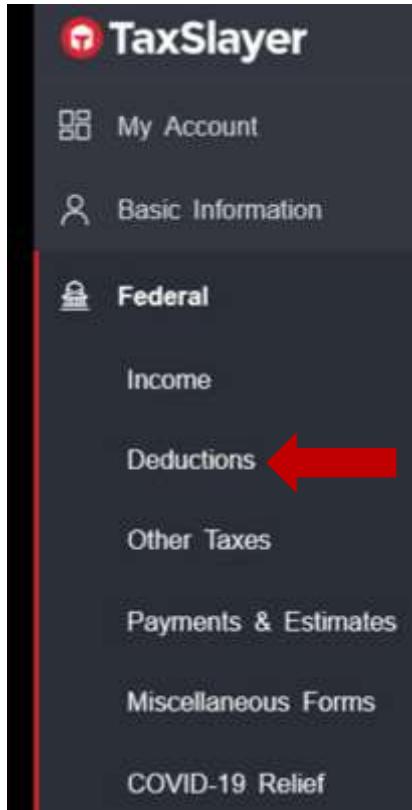
Withholding Allowance: \$ \$ Box 5

Net Income: \$ \$ Box 6

Note: This statement is not true for scholarships, ignore it in this situation

Enter exactly as shown on your 1042-S form.

Deductions: INDIA RESIDENTS ONLY



If you are from India, you have a treaty to qualify for the standard deduction.

1.

Deductions

Adjustments to Income

Educator expenses, medical savings accounts, student loan interest, etc.

BEGIN

Credits

Child and dependent care credit, education credits, mortgage interest credit, etc.

BEGIN

Itemized Deductions

Charitable contributions, mortgage interest, property taxes, etc.

Select “Itemized Deductions.”



BEGIN

BACK

CONTINUE

2.

Itemized Deductions

Use Standard or Itemized Deduction



BEGIN

Taxes You Paid

BEGIN

Gifts to Charity

BEGIN

3.

Force Itemized

Standard Deduction

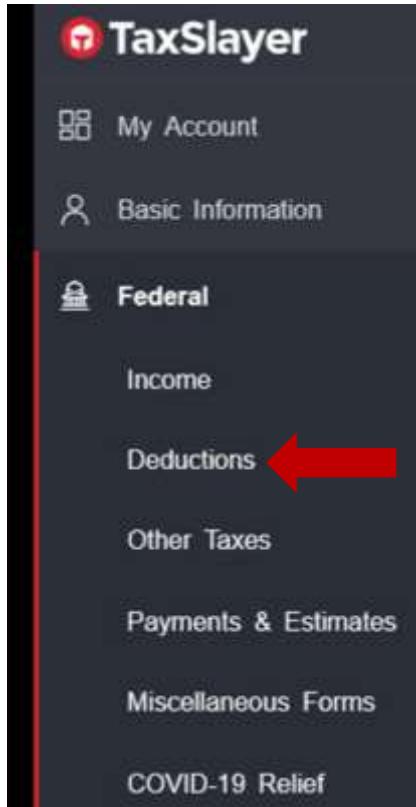
Select “Use Standard or Itemized Deduction.”



Select “Standard Deduction” and click continue.



Deductions: ALL OTHERS



If you are not from India, you will use itemized deductions.

The screenshot shows the 'Deductions' screen. It lists three categories:

- Adjustments to Income** (with a 'BASIC' button)
- Credits** (with a 'BASIC' button)
- Itemized Deductions** (with a 'BASIC' button)

A red arrow points to the 'Itemized Deductions' section, and the text 'Select "Itemized Deductions."' is overlaid in red. At the bottom are 'BACK' and 'CONTINUE' buttons.

Deductions

If you are not from India, you will use itemized deductions.
Complete any of the sections that pertain to you.

Itemized Deductions

Use Standard or Itemized Deduction BEGIN

Taxes You Paid • Learn more BEGIN

Gifts to Charity • Learn more BEGIN

Unreimbursed Employee Business Expense • Learn more BEGIN

Job-Related Travel Expenses Form 2106 • Learn more BEGIN

Miscellaneous Deductions BEGIN

Less Common Deductions BEGIN

CONTINUE



Only record Gifts to Charity if
the Charity is within the U.S.

Form 8843

All non-resident aliens are required to complete Form 8843.

TaxSlayer <<

- My Account
- Basic Information
- Federal Section**
 - Income
 - Deductions
 - Other Taxes
 - Payments & Estimates
 - Miscellaneous Forms** 
 - COVID-19 Relief

Miscellaneous Forms

Aliens Exempt for Medical Conditions/Other Reasons Reported on Form 8843	 BEGIN
Allocation of Tax Amounts for Individuals in Certain States  Reported on Form 8958 (Only for married filing separately and some domestic partnerships)	BEGIN
Application for Automatic Extension of Time to File  Applied for on Form 4868	BEGIN
Closer Connection Exception Statement for Aliens Reported on Form 8840	BEGIN
Initial and Annual Expatriation Statement Reported on Form 8854	BEGIN
Injured Spouse Allocation  Reported on Form 8379	BEGIN
Installment Agreement Request  Requested on Form 9465	BEGIN

Form 8843

Students on F or J Visas complete Part I and Part III

Form 8843 - Exempt and Individuals With a Medical Condition

Part I - General Information  **EDIT**

Part II - Teachers and Trainers **BEGIN**

Part III - Students  **BEGIN**

Part IV - Professional Athletes **BEGIN**

Part V - Individuals with a Medical Condition **BEGIN**

CONTINUE

Form 8843 Part I

Complete with your information.

Form 8843 Part I - General Information

DELETE

CANCEL

Type of U.S. Visa/Immigration Status

Select type of U.S. Visa *

Nonimmigrant Visa

Nonimmigrant visa type code

F1

Date entered U.S.

MM DD YYYY

Visa Change Information

Have you changed your visa type (nonimmigrant status)?

Yes

No

Current non-immigrant status

General Information

Of what country were you a citizen during 2023?

India

What country issued you a passport?

- Please Select -

Passport number

Days in the U.S. in 2023

Days in the U.S. in 2022

Days in the U.S. in 2021

Days in 2023 you claim you can exclude (substantial presence test)



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Form 8843 Part III

Complete with your information.

Form 8843 Part III - Student

DELETE

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Academic institution where you attended

Institution Name *

Institution Phone Number*

Institution Address*

Country *

United States

Address (street number & name) *

ZIP code *

 -

City, town or post office *

State *

Director of Academic Program

Director Name *

Director Phone Number*

Director Address*

Country *

United States

Address (street number & name) *

ZIP code *

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City, town or post office *

State *

U.S. presence

Were you present in the U.S. as a teacher, trainee, or student for any part of more than 9 calendar years?

Yes

No

During the last year, did you apply for, or take affirmative steps to apply for, lawful permanent resident status or have an application pending to change your status to that of a lawful permanent resident?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2017

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2018

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2019

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2020

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2021

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

No

Visa held during 2022

Did you have a visa in this year?

Yes

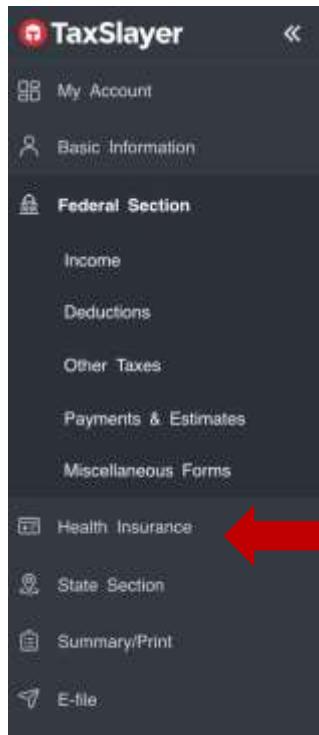
No



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Health Insurance



The image shows a screenshot of the TaxSlayer software interface. The main title 'Health Insurance' is at the top. On the left, there is a vertical navigation menu with the following items: 'TaxSlayer' (with a logo), 'My Account', 'Basic Information', 'Federal Section' (selected, indicated by a blue background), 'Income', 'Deductions', 'Other Taxes', 'Payments & Estimates', 'Miscellaneous Forms', 'Health Insurance' (highlighted with a red arrow pointing to it), 'State Section', 'Summary/Print', and 'E-file'.

If you had Marketplace Health Insurance through the government, complete this section using your Form 1095-A.

If you did not have Marketplace Health Insurance, select "No" and Continue

Affordable Care Act Insurance Plans

Reported on Form 1095-A

Did you, your spouse, or a dependent have insurance under the Affordable Care Act?* ?

If so, select Yes – you must report Form 1095-A for the IRS to accept your return. If you did not have an Affordable Care Act insurance plan, select No.

Yes

No



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Nice work
on your
federal
return!

Congrats! Now
you're ready to
move on to your
state return.

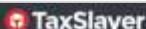
HELP UP

Let's get started on your state return

Let's transfer your information from your federal to your state return automatically, so this should be quick! You'll enter some state-specific information, and we'll help you find all possible tax breaks.

If you qualify for a free federal return, you can file a free state return for the following states:
Arizona, Arkansas, Dist. of Columbia, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia

Return for all other states use \$100



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Help & Support

My Account

Basic Information

Federal Section

Health Insurance

State Section

Summary/Print

E-File

2019 Amended Return

Mailbox

Settings

Toolbox

Save & Log Out

Select your State Return

Please select the state that you would like to complete below.

Only states that accept tax returns for which you have not already created a state tax return are listed here. The following states do not have individual income tax returns: Alaska, Florida, Nevada, New Hampshire, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Washington and Wyoming



Choose State
- Please Select -

CANCEL

CONTINUE

State Return

You have completed your
Federal Return.

Continue on to the State
Section.

Select the state you work or
attend school in.

Click Continue.

State Return

Regardless of the state you live in, because you are a non-resident alien for tax purposes, you are considered a non-resident for state tax purposes, as well.

Select Non-Resident



Select your California Return Residency

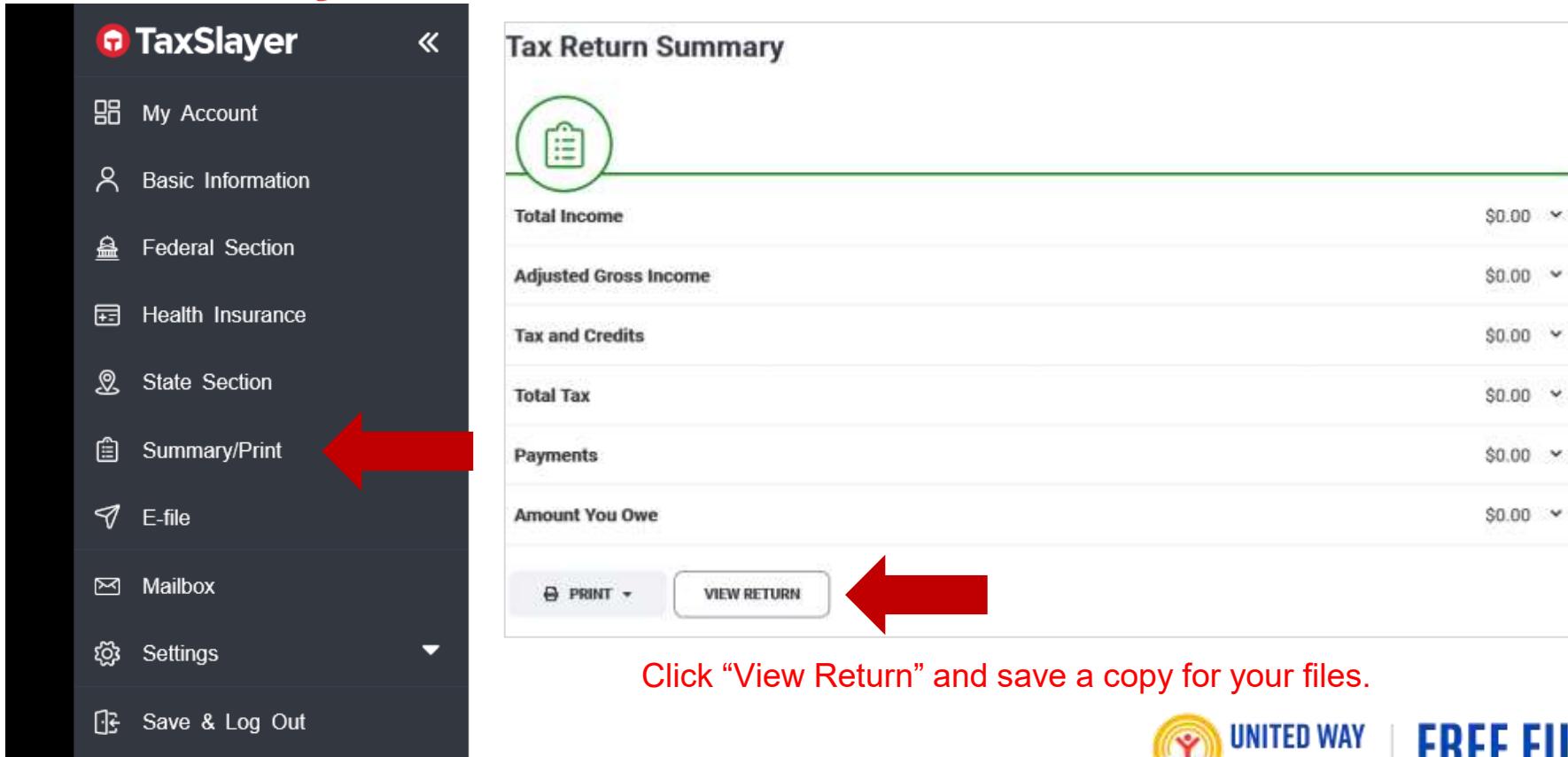
Please choose a return type

- Resident:** You are a resident of California if your domicile/permanent home is in California regardless of brief, infrequent absences.
- Part Year**
- Non-Resident:** You are a Nonresident of California if you do not maintain a permanent place to live in California during the tax year.

CANCEL

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Summary/Print

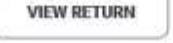


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- Summary/Print** 
- E-file
- Mailbox
- Settings
- Save & Log Out

Tax Return Summary

	Total Income	\$0.00
	Adjusted Gross Income	\$0.00
	Tax and Credits	\$0.00
	Total Tax	\$0.00
	Payments	\$0.00
	Amount You Owe	\$0.00

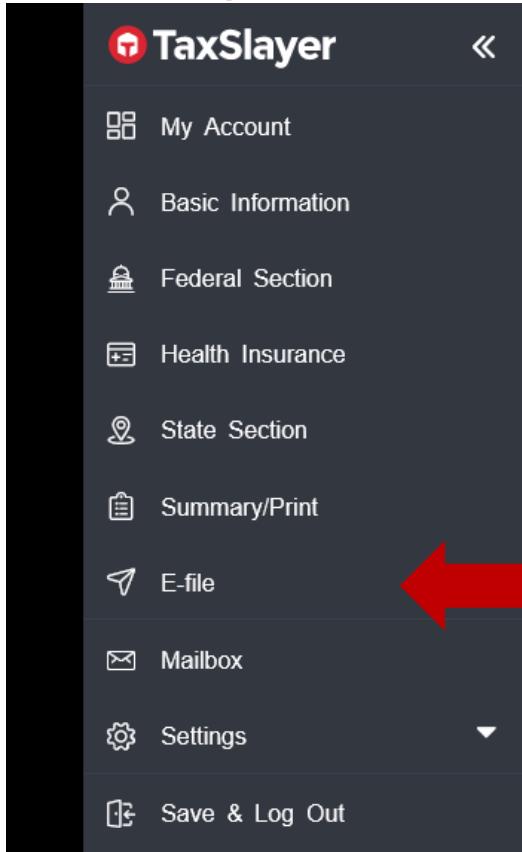
 PRINT  VIEW RETURN 

Click "View Return" and save a copy for your files.



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Ready to File?

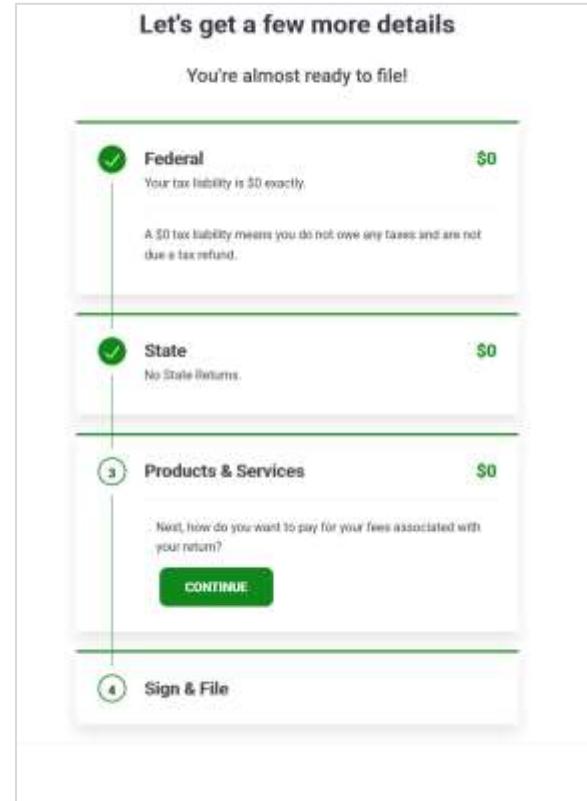


The image shows the mobile application interface for TaxSlayer. At the top is a header bar with the TaxSlayer logo on the left and a back arrow on the right. Below the header is a vertical navigation menu with the following items: My Account, Basic Information, Federal Section, Health Insurance, State Section, Summary/Print, E-file, Mailbox, Settings, and Save & Log Out. The 'E-file' option is highlighted with a large red arrow pointing to it from the left.

- My Account
- Basic Information
- Federal Section
- Health Insurance
- State Section
- Summary/Print
- E-file**
- Mailbox
- Settings
- Save & Log Out

If you have viewed your return and ensured it is accurate, it is now time to file. In most cases, you can e-file your return.

Select e-file and continue through each part if it looks accurate.



The image shows a step-by-step process for filing a tax return. The current step is 'Let's get a few more details'. The screen displays the following information:

- Federal:** Your tax liability is \$0 exactly. A \$0 tax liability means you do not owe any taxes and are not due a tax refund.
- State:** No State Returns.
- Products & Services:** Next, how do you want to pay for your fees associated with your return? (with a 'CONTINUE' button)
- Sign & File:** (This step is currently not visible)

Payment/Refund Method

Federal Payment Method

How would you like to pay your federal amount due of **\$556**?



Direct debit



Mailed payment

Select how you would like to receive your refund or how you would like to pay your tax.

I understand that TaxSlayer has no control over the IRS or the bank and therefore makes no guarantees as to the number of days it takes for you to receive your refund. TaxSlayer will make every effort to expedite your filing process; however, if the IRS delays or holds your refund, TaxSlayer will not be held responsible.

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Getting Ready to File

- It may ask you to add your ID. This section is optional.
- It will ask you if you filed taxes last year. If you did, it will ask you to provide your Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) from last year. This will be on your 1040 from last year.

 Tip: If you do not have this information, you can create an account at <https://www.id.me/> to find past tax records.

- It will then ask you to create a 5-digit PIN number. It can be any 5 numbers you'd like.

Now, create a Self-Select PIN for this year

Create a 5-digit PIN for this year's tax return. We'll import it for you when you file next year.

*You may be asked for this PIN in the future so the IRS can confirm your identity. We recommend making note of your PIN and keeping track of it.

Taxpayer's 5-digit PIN *

CANCEL

CONTINUE

Direct Debit or Direct Deposit Information

Next, you will add your bank account and routing number if you chose direct debit or direct deposit.

Bank Name	
<input type="text" value="Bank of America"/>	
Routing Number *	Bank Account Number *
<input type="text" value="*****"/>	<input type="text" value="*****"/>
Confirm Routing Number *	Confirm Bank Account Number *
<input type="text" value="*****"/>	<input type="text" value="*****"/>

Your Name Your Address	123	
PAY TO THE ORDER OF	\$ <input type="text"/>	
Your Bank	DOLLARS	
For		
012345678	1001001234	0123
ABA/Routing Number	Check Number	
Account Number		



Tip: enter these carefully. You can access your account and routing number on your mobile app, by calling the bank, or by looking at a check.

E-File Your Tax Return

Click E-File and you are finished!!

It will be **rejected** or **accepted** within a few minutes.

If it is **rejected**, you may be able to fix the error. See this site for help:

<https://www.taxslayerpro.com/blog/post/common-irs-error-reject-codes-and-suggested-solutions>

If you still cannot fix it, you will need to mail in your return. See the next page for assistance in mailing in a return.

Paper Filing (Mail Your Return)

Print 2 copies.

1. Mail one to the IRS for Federal Income Tax



Federal Income Tax

Form	NOT Enclosing payment	Enclosing payment
1040 NR Non-resident	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Austin, TX 73301-0215	Internal Revenue Service PO Box 1303 Charlotte, NC 28201-1303
Form 8843 Only Non-resident form	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Austin, TX 73301-0215	This is only if you are <u>not</u> filing a tax return and <u>only</u> filing Form 8843

2. Mail the second copy to South Carolina Department of Revenue for State Tax



South Carolina Income Tax (SC 1040/SC 1040NR)

Refunds or No Tax Due



SC1040 Processing Center
PO Box 101100
Columbia, SC 29211-0100

All Balances Due



Taxable Processing Center
PO Box 101105
Columbia, SC 29211-0105

Correspondence



SC Dept of Revenue Income Tax
PO Box 125
Columbia, SC 29214-0400

Other Resources:

1. <https://www.vitaresources.net/foreignstudent.html>
2. <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/international-taxpayers/foreign-students-scholars-teachers-researchers-and-exchange-visitors>
3. <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p4011.pdf>
4. United Way of Pickens County
Michelle Lyons, Free File Manager
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864-826-8132