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You may be eligible for a refund of up to \$632.00

Your 2024 tax return shows that you have earned income and might qualify for extra cash through the Earned Income Credit (EIC), but you did not claim the EIC on your return.

What you need to do

- See if you qualify by reviewing the attached Form 15112, Earned Income Credit Worksheet, or by visiting [IRS.gov/EIC](https://www.irs.gov/EIC) and using the "Check if You Qualify" button.
- If you do qualify and want to claim the EIC, complete the Form 15112 and return it to us.
- The fastest way to send us the completed Form 15112 is by using the Document Upload Tool. To use the tool, you will need to visit [IRS.gov/DUTReply](https://www.irs.gov/DUTReply) or use your smartphone to scan the QR code. Enter access code  and follow the rest of the on-screen instructions.
- Alternatively, you can mail it to us using the enclosed envelope. Make sure to include the stub in the envelope.
- If you are not eligible or do not want to claim this credit, you can ignore this notice.



What comes next after you submit your forms

1. You will receive a refund check in 6-8 weeks, after we check your forms and confirm you qualify.
 - If you owe other taxes or debts, we'll reduce what you owe by your credit amount and refund the balance.
 - If you do not qualify, we will explain why in another letter.
2. Next year, claim the EIC when filing your taxes if you qualify. File your taxes electronically to help you claim all credits you qualify for. Visit [IRS.gov/Filing/E-File-Options](https://www.irs.gov/Filing/E-File-Options) for more information about how to electronically file your taxes for free.



To learn more

- Visit [IRS.gov/CP27](https://www.irs.gov/CP27).
- Check out Publication 596, Earned Income Credit, on [IRS.gov/PUB596](https://www.irs.gov/PUB596).
- You can also find tax forms and instructions online at [IRS.gov/Forms](https://www.irs.gov/Forms) or call 800-TAX-FORM (800-829-3676).
- If you can't find what you need online, contact us at 800-829-0922.



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Please detach and return this stub with your completed Form 15112



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Earned Income Credit Worksheet (CP 27)**Contact information**

Your name	Social Security Number
Your spouse's name	Spouse Social Security Number

If your address has changed, provide the current address below, call 800-829-0922 or visit www.irs.gov.

Address		City	State	ZIP code
Primary telephone number	Best time to call ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	Secondary telephone number	Best time to call ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	

Step 1**IMPORTANT:** Before you file your next tax return, use the EITC Assistant toolkit on our website at [IRS.gov/EITCAssistant](https://www.irs.gov/EITCAssistant) to see if you may qualify for the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC).

If any of the statements below describes you or describes your spouse (if you and your spouse filed a joint return for 2025) place a check mark in the box.

- ☐ I did not live in the United States for more than 6 months in 2025. (U.S. military personnel stationed outside the United States on extended active duty (extended active duty means you are called or ordered to active duty for an indefinite period or for a period of more than 90 days) are considered to have lived in the U.S. during that period for purposes of the EITC.
- ☐ I can be claimed as a dependent by another person and did not file a joint return for 2025.
- ☐ My Social Security card reads "Not Valid for Employment," and was issued to receive a federally funded benefit, such as Medicaid.
- ☐ I am an EITC qualifying child of another person for 2025. Check this box if you meet all the following criteria:
- You were permanently and totally disabled.
 - You lived with another person in the United States for more than 6 months in 2025.
 - You are that person's son, daughter, stepchild, grandchild, or eligible foster child. Or you are that person's brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister, stepbrother, or stepsister (or the child or grandchild of that person's brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister, stepbrother, or stepsister).
 - You did not file a joint return for 2025.
- If you **checked any** of the boxes, stop here, **you do not qualify** for the EITC. You don't need to respond.
- If you **did not check any** of the boxes, continue to Step 2.

Step 2

Sign, date and return this form if you qualify for the EITC.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that this information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Your signature	Date
Your spouse's signature	Date