

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Sites in Cameron County, Texas 2017 (Tax Year 2016)

Call 2-1-1 to find the most updated list of free tax assistance VITA sites near you in the Rio Grande Valley!



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VITA Site Location	Address	Appointment or Walk-In	Opening and Closing Dates	Day	Time
BISD- Hanna Early College High School	2615 Price Road Brownsville 78521	Walk In *	January 31 - March 21 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 21, 9am-2pm (Closed March 14 Spring Break)</i>	Tues.	4:30pm - 7:30pm
BISD- Lopez Early College High School	3205 S Dakota Ave. Brownsville 78521	Walk In *	January 25 - March 1 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 21, 9am-2pm</i>	Wed	4:30pm - 7:30pm
BISD- Pace Early College High School	314 W. Los Ebanos St. Brownsville 78520	Walk In *	January 25 - February 22 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 21, 9am-2pm</i>	Wed	4:30pm - 7:30pm
BISD- Porter Early College High School	3500 International Blvd Brownsville 78521	Walk In *	January 30 - March 6 <i>Tentative-Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 21, 9am-2pm</i>	Mon	4:15pm - 7:15pm
BISD- Rivera Early College High School	6955 FM 802 Brownsville 78521	Walk In *	January 30 - March 6 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 21, 9am-2pm</i>	Mon	3:30pm - 6:30pm
Brownsville Public Utilities Board (PUB)	1425 Robin Hood Drive Brownsville 78523	Walk In *	January 31 - February 23 <i>(Closed Feb. 21)</i>	Tues Thurs	5:30pm - 8:00pm 5:30pm - 8:00pm
Community Development Corp. of Brownsville (CDCB)	901 East Levee St Brownsville 78520	Walk In -evenings. For appointment on Mondays and Wednesdays call (956) 541-4955.	January 23 - April 14 <i>* Posted hours are for walk-ins. Please call to see if there are appointments available from 1-4pm.)</i>	Mon* Wed *	5:30pm - 7:30pm * (1/23-4/14) 5:30pm - 7:30pm * (1/23-3/15)
Texas Southmost College ITECC Room F-6	301 Mexico Blvd. (Former Amigoland Mall) Brownsville 78520	<u>Appointment:</u> Call (956) 295-3761 and leave name and phone number for call back starting Jan. 16.	January 23 - April 18 <i>(Charro Days: Early closing at noon Feb 23-24 and closed Feb 25. Spring Break: Closed Mar 11, reduced hours March 13-15 and closed March 16-18. Easter: Closed April 14-15) * Saturdays close at Noon starting March 4.</i>	Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri Sat Sat *	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 8:00 pm 9:00am - 8:00 pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 3:00 pm (1/28-2/18) 9:00am - Noon (3/4, 3/25-4/8)*
		1040EZ only! Walk In: VITA Express: Drop off tax documents and pick up your tax return later!	January 23 - April 14 <i>(Holiday schedule same as ITECC above.) Note: For VITA Express you must have a 1040EZ, and health insurance tax forms 1095. See notice at VITA site for more details.</i>	Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 2:00pm
UTRGV- Foreign Student returns only	1 West University Blvd. Brownsville 78520 UTRGV Main 2.512	Appointment Only (956) 882-5816	February 3 - April 14 <i>(Closed Spring Break March 17)</i>	Fri	2:00pm - 5:00pm

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Harlingen Outreach Center (HOC)	1102 S. Commerce St. Harlingen 78550	Walk In *	January 27 - March 24 <i>(Closed Mon Feb 20 Presidents' Day)</i>	Mon Wed Fri	4:00pm - 8:00pm 4:00pm - 8:00pm 4:00pm - 8:00pm
La Hacienda Casitas	3567 W. Business 83 Harlingen 78552	Walk In *	January 24 - April 11 <i>(Closed Feb 25 and April 15)</i>	Tues Sat	5:30pm - 8:00pm (1/24-3/14) 10:00am - 1:00pm (1/24-4/18)
La Feria High School	901 N Canal St La Feria 78559	Walk In *	January 30 - March 6	Mon	5:00pm - 8:00pm
Los Fresnos High School with Ethel Whipple Memorial Library	LFHS 907 N. Arroyo Blvd Los Fresnos 78566	Appointment Only (956) 233-5330	January 26 - March 2	Thurs	5:15pm - 7:15pm
Boys & Girls Club of Laguna Madre	190 Port Rd. Port Isabel 78578	Walk In *	January 25 - March 8	Wed	5:00pm- 7:00pm
Riverside Middle School	35428 Padilla St. San Benito 78586	Appointment Only (956) 361-6450	February 1 - March 8	Wed	4:30pm- 7:00pm
San Benito High School	450 S. Williams Rd. San Benito 78586	Appointment Only (956) 361-6450	January 30 - March 6	Mon	4:30pm- 7:00pm
www.myfreetaxes.com	File your own tax return online (free for those with income under \$64,000). Helpline for those using MyFreeTaxes is 1-855-698-9435.				
UTRGV- U Central Learn To File using MyFreeTaxes.com	University of TX RGV U Central - Main 2.503 1 West University Blvd. Brownsville 78520	Walk In- Learn to file your own tax return using MyFreeTaxes.com	February 1 - March 3 <i>(Early closing at noon Feb 23-24)</i>	Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm

What you need to bring:

- Valid photo identification.
- Original Social Security Cards for all household members. (Mandatory for all clients this year, even returning clients!)
- A copy of last year's tax return if available.
- Health Insurance Forms: **If you purchased insurance through Healthcare.gov you must bring Form 1095-A.** Forms 1095-B/C for other types of insurance are optional this year, but you must know your coverage dates for all household members.
- Income documents such as Forms W-2, W-2G, & 1099 from all employers and other sources (social security, unemployment, pension, etc.).
- Interest and dividend statements from banks (Forms 1099).
- Bank Routing Numbers and Account Numbers for Direct Deposit of refund.
- For students with post-secondary tuition expenses or grant income bring Form 1098-T.
- Total paid for day care provider and the day care provider's tax identifying number.
- Identity Theft prevention pin, if assigned by the IRS.
- Both spouses must be present to sign the required forms for Married Filing Jointly returns.



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