



TAX RETURN CHECKLIST – SOLE TRADER

Please check the following list. Bring along all relevant documentation to support in the preparation of your tax return

Personal:

- Tax File Number
- Drivers Licence
- ABN Number (if applicable)
- Medicare card

Income:

- Trading income (sales, fees, contract income, commissions)
- Refunds and rebates from suppliers
- Interest received (term deposit, cash management trust, bonus saver account, GST account etc.)
- Dividends received on shares and managed fund statements
- Rental Income
- Government payments (i.e. diesel fuel tax credits rebate, grants, subsidies, apprentice/trainee payments)
- Sale of asset proceeds and dates
- Insurance recoveries compensation payments
- Foreign income & foreign tax credits

Documentation:

- Back-up of computer bookkeeping file (eg. CFM, QuickBooks, MYOB etc.) Plus username and password
- If cloud based (i.e. Xero) please invite accountant to access file
- Manual cash book (i.e. money column or ledger book)
- Business bank account statements – Including cash management accounts
- Business loan bank statements
- Motor vehicle / equipment chattel mortgage
- Lease or hire purchase contracts
- Copies of tax invoices for new assets
- Copies of business activity statements
- Copy of staff PAYG withholding payment summaries and statement
- WorkCover remuneration certificate
- Debtors (receivables) and/or creditors (payables) at 30 June
- Value of closing stock at 30 June
- Work related travel and motor vehicle expenses (kms, logbook)
- Details of depreciable assets purchased or disposed during financial year including: date of acquisition & disposal, consideration paid & received.
- Bad debts or pre-paid expenses
- Superannuation fund intent to claim form
- Superannuation statements and records
- Home loan statements
- Income protection, life insurance renewal notices
- Sub-contracting payment including:
Full name – address – ABN – Amount Paid – GST paid

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