

# **AARP** Foundation<sup>®</sup> Tax-Aide

**Would you like to  
prepare your own  
taxes with remote  
assistance from an  
IRS-certified  
AARP Foundation  
Tax-Aide counselor?**



## **TEXAS**

**is participating in the  
Alternative Tax  
Preparation Program**

## **DATES**

**February 1 – April 15, 2026**

### **If you wish to participate:**

- Your Adjusted Gross Income for last year must be under \$84,000\*.
- You will do your own data entry into the free tax preparation software we provide. The Tax-Aide volunteer will assist you, but they will not prepare the return for you.
- You will need to have all your necessary tax documents available and be ready to file your return. Learn more at [aarpfoundation.org/taxaideselfprep](https://aarpfoundation.org/taxaideselfprep).

\* Counselor assistance is available to taxpayers with higher AGIs who purchase their own software.

- You will need access to the internet. We recommend using a computer, but we are also able to offer limited assistance for other devices such as smartphones and tablets.
- If you do not have internet access or the necessary hardware or are not comfortable with entering your own data in an online software program, you can seek the assistance of a trusted friend or relative.
- You will be responsible for the completeness and accuracy of your own return.
- You can keep a copy of your tax return by printing or saving it. You will lose access to your online return at the end of the filing season (October).

**Does this program sound like a good fit for you?**

**Please go to [aarpfoundation.org/taxaideselfprep](https://aarpfoundation.org/taxaideselfprep) and fill out a request.**



**Tax Documents**



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