# Retirement & Social Security

#### RETIREMENT EARNINGS

Under full retirement age \$19,560 Full retirement age reached No limit

If full retirement age is reached in 2022, the limit is \$51,960 for months prior to attainment.

#### SOCIAL SECURITY

2022 Taxable Wage Base	\$147,000
2023 Taxable Wage Base	\$160,200

#### RETIREMENT PLANS

Individual Retirement Account (IRA)	\$6,000
- Age 50+ Additional Contribution	\$1,000
401(k) Plans	\$20,500
- Age 50+ Additional Contribution	\$6,500

### Investments

Capital gain and divided tax rates

Short-term capital gain rates (capital asset held one year or less): same as ordinary income, rates up to 37%

## General long-term capital gain rates

(capital asset held more than one year):

## **Taxpayers**

in the 10% and 12% tax brackets	0%
in the 22%, 24%, 32% and 35% tax brackets	15%
in the 37% tax bracket	20%

### Maximum long-term capital gain rate

from	the	sale	of	real	estate	with	
unreca	apture	ed dep	recia	ation (	often ref	ferred	25%
to as u	ınreca	pture	d Sed	ction 1	250 prop	ertv)	

### Long-term capital gain rate for collectibles

and certain small business stock 28%

#### Qualified dividend income tax rates for taxpayers:

in the 10% and 12% tax brackets	0%
in the 22%, 24%, 32% and 35% tax brackets	15%
in the 37% tax bracket	20%

## **Estate and Gift Taxes**

For 2022, the top estate and gift tax rate is 37%. Estate tax and lifetime gift exemption amount is \$12,060,000. The annual gift tax exclusion is \$16,000 of an individual gift.

For 2023, the exemption amount increased to \$12,920,000, with \$17,000 as the annual exclusion.

# **College Savings Incentives**

#### SECTION 529 PLANS

No federal tax need to be paid on the income earned on amounts accumulated in a state-sponsored Section 529 plan. When withdrawals are made and used for qualified education expenses (college or up to \$10,000 of elementary or secondary school expenses), they won't be taxed either.

COVERDELL EDUCATION SAVINGS ACCOUNTS (CESAs) You can contribute up to \$2,000 a year per child to a CESA. Earnings grow tax-free as long as withdrawals are used for qualified education expenses. Eligibility to contribute the full amount phases out between a modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) of \$95,000 and \$110,000 (singles), between \$190,000 and \$220,000 (married filing jointly).

#### AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY TAX CREDIT

The maximum American Opportunity Tax Credit is 100% of the first \$2,000 and 25% for the next \$2,000 of qualified tuition and related expenses. The credit phases out at MAGI of \$160,000-\$180,000 for marrieds filing jointly (\$80,000-\$90,000 for singles).

## LIFETIME LEARNING CREDIT

20% of first \$10,000 of qualified tuition and related expenses (max. \$2,000) per tax return. The credit phaseout at modified adjusted gross income ranges from \$80,000-\$90,000 (single, head of household) and \$160,000-\$180,000 (married filing jointly).

#### US SAVINGS BONDS INCOME EXCLUSION

For 2022 the income from certain US Savings Bonds used to pay qualified higher-education expenses may be excluded from tax. Eligibility for the exclusion phases out from \$128,650 to \$158,650 for marrieds filing jointly, \$85,800 and \$100,800 for all other returns.

## INTEREST DEDUCTION FOR EDUCATION LOANS

A tax deduction is available for up to \$2,500 in qualified education loan interest. Eligibility for the deduction phases out between MAGI of more than \$70,000 and \$85,000 (singles), between \$145,000 and \$175,000 (marrieds filing jointly).









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### 2022 INCOME TAX RATES

## Married individuals filing jointly or Qualifing Widow(er)

If taxable income is: The tax is: Not over \$22,000 10% of the taxable income Over \$22,000 but not over \$89,450 \$2,200 plus 12% of the excess over \$22,000 Over \$89.450 but not over \$190.750 \$10,204 plus 22% of the excess over \$89,450 Over \$190,750 but not over \$364,200 \$32,580 plus 24% of the excess over \$190,750 Over \$364.200 but not over \$462.500 \$74,208 plus 32% of the excess over \$364,200 Over \$462,500 but not over \$693.750 \$105.664 plus 35% of the excess over \$462.500 Over \$693.750 \$186,601.50 plus 37% of the excess over \$693,750

#### Single

If taxable income is: The tax is: Not over \$11.000 10% of the taxable income Over \$11,000 but not over \$44,725 \$1,100 plus 12% of the excess over \$11,000 Over \$44,725 but not over \$95,375 \$5,147 plus 22% of the excess over \$44,725 Over \$95.375 but not over \$182.100 \$16,290 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,375 Over \$182.100 but not over \$231.250 \$37.104 plus 32% of the excess over \$182.100 Over \$231,250 but not over \$578,125 \$52,832 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,250 Over \$578.125 \$174,238.25 plus 37% of the excess over \$578,125

## Married filing separately

If taxable income is: The tax is: Not over \$11,000 10% of the taxable income Over \$11.000 but not over \$44.725 \$1,100 plus 12% of the excess over \$11,000 \$5,147 plus 22% of the excess over \$44,725 Over \$44.725 but not over \$95.375 Over \$95.375 but not over \$182.100 \$16,290 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,375 Over \$182,100 but not over \$231,250 \$37,104 plus 32% of the excess over \$182,100 Over \$231,250 but not over \$346,875 \$52,892 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,250 Over \$346.875 \$93.300.75 plus 37% of the excess over \$346.875

#### Head of Household

If taxable income is: The tax is: Not over \$15,700 10% of the taxable income Over \$15.700 but not over \$59.850 \$1,570 plus 12% of the excess over \$15,700 Over \$59,850 but not over \$95,350 \$6,868 plus 22% of the excess over \$59,850 Over \$95,350 but not over \$182,100 \$14,678 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,350 Over \$182 100 but not over \$231 250. \$35.498 plus 32% of the excess over \$182.100 Over \$231.250 but not over \$578.100 \$51,226 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,100 Over \$578.100 \$172,623.50 plus 37% of the excess over \$578,100

2023

#### **BUSINESS**

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### Standard Mileage Rates

2022

**Business** 62.5c per mile\* 65.5c per mile the second half of 2022 Moving 18c per mile\*\*~ 22c per mile~ \*\*A 0.4c increase from 18c rate applied during Medical 18c per mile\*\* 22c per mile the second half of 2022 Charitable 14c per mile 14c per mile ~For certain members of the US Armed Forces

\*A 0.3c increase from 58.5c rate applied during

## STANDARD DEDUCTION

	2022	2023
Married filing jointly	\$25,900	\$27,700
Singles	\$12,950	\$13,850
Married filing separately	\$12,950	\$13,850
Head of household	\$19,400	20,800

#### ADDITIONAL STANDARD DEDUCTIONS

	2022	2025
At least age 65 and single	\$1,750	\$1,850
At least 65 and married	\$1,400	\$1,500
Married, both over 65	\$2,800	\$3,000
Single and blind	\$1,750	\$1,850
Married and blind	\$1,400	\$1,500

#### **HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS**

	2022	2025
Single	\$3,650	\$3,850
Family	\$7,300	\$7,750
Age 55+ Catch-up	\$1,000	\$1,000

# Affordable Care Act (ACA) Taxes

ADDITIONAL MEDICARE TAX	0.9% tax on wages and
	self-employment income over:
Married filing jointly	\$250,000

2022

Singles \$200,000
Married filing separately \$125,000

NET INVESTMENT INCOME TAX Additional 3.8% tax on net investment income if Modified

Adjusted Gross Income exceeds:

2023

Married filing jointly\$250,000Singles\$200,000Married filing separately\$125,000Head of Household\$200,000Qualifying Widow(er)\$250,000

#### Section 179 Expense

	2023	2022
Maximum expense election	\$1,160,00	\$1,080,00
Phaseout threshold	\$2,890,000	\$2,700,000