



MAURITIUS REVENUE AUTHORITY
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FREE INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (FITA) SCHEME 2008 HOW TO FILL IN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX RETURN 2008/2009

1. In order to assist taxpayers to fill in their individual Income Tax returns for the year of assessment 2008/2009, the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) will operate Free Income Tax Assistance (FITA) scheme on **Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st September 2008 from 08h30 to 16h30** in the following FITA centres:

Region	Centre
Port Louis	MRA, Headquarters
Quatre Bornes	Louis Nellan Govt School Baichoo Madhoo Govt School
Curepipe	Royal College Curepipe
Phoenix	Mesnil Govt School
Vacoas	Aryan Vedic Hindu Aided School
St Pierre	St Pierre RCA
Beau Bassin	Phillippe Rivalland Govt School
Triolet	Maheswarnath Govt School
Goodlands	D. Hurry Govt School
Flacq/Quartier Militaire	Rajcoomar Gujadhur Govt School R. Edward Walker Govt. School
Riviere du Rempart	Riviere du Rempart Social Welfare Centre
Mahebourg/Savanne	Willoughby Govt School R. des Anguilles Govt School

2. According to law, return of income should be filled in and forwarded so as to reach the office of the Director General, MRA, not later than 30 September 2008 by every person who:
 - (i) has a chargeable income
 - (ii) has been allotted a Tax Account Number; or
 - (iii) at any time during the income year ended 30 June 2008 was an owner of:
 - (a) any residential property on which the National Residential Property Tax is payable;
 - (b) more than one residence;
 - (c) one or more immovable property acquired for an aggregate price exceeding Rs 2 million or on which he has incurred expenditure for the construction of a building or any other structure of an aggregate amount exceeding Rs 2 million;
 - (d) a car with an engine capacity exceeding 2000 cc; or
 - (e) a pleasure craft as defined in the Tourism Act 2004.
3. The forms may also be **downloaded** from the MRA website: <http://mra.gov.mu>
4. Any person requiring information and assistance may call at any FITA centre nearest to his place of residence and bring with him the original of the Statement of Emoluments and Tax Deduction duly certified and signed by his employer.
5. Facilities will be made available at every FITA centre for employees to file their returns electronically.