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Child Tax Credit Payments Notice

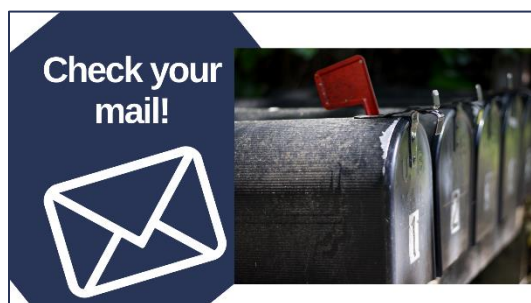
IRS sending out important information regarding advance payments

PROVIDENCE, R.I. – The Rhode Island Division of Taxation is alerting taxpayers to an important document being distributed by the IRS. Taxpayers who received advance Child Tax Credit payments should be on the lookout for IRS letter 6419. This letter is an important component of your tax documents for this year.

Families who received advanced payments will need to file a 2021 tax return and compare the advance Child Tax Credit payments they received in 2021 with the letter 6419 that the IRS is sending to these taxpayers throughout January. The letter will help you report your advance payments correctly and claim the remaining half of your Child Tax Credit. Additionally, using the amounts in the IRS letter can help you quickly and accurately file your tax return and avoid delays in processing your return and sending your refund.

Did you receive a Child Tax Credit payment in 2021?

Look out for IRS letter 6419 in your mail. You'll need it to complete your tax return.



On the following page, you can find an FAQ page regarding the letter 6419. The Division also reminds taxpayers that gathering your important tax documents for the year now is a crucial step in easy return preparation and filing. Receiving this notice is a great prompt to locate and organize all the documents you will need for tax preparation.

The Rhode Island Division of Taxation, part of the Rhode Island Department of Revenue, is open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. business days. For more information, contact the Division of Taxation at (401) 574-8829 or see <https://tax.ri.gov/about-us/contact-us>.

Letter 6419 FAQs

What is letter 6419?

The letter 6419 is the official IRS document that has details you need to report your advanced Child Tax Credit (CTC) payments. This letter shows you:

- The total aggregate amount of advance CTC payments you received in 2021. This information will be used on IRS schedule 8812, lines 14f or 15e as applicable.
- Number of qualifying children taken into account in determining the advanced CTC.

In addition to the details above, the letter 6419 outlines how the IRS determined your payment amounts and the conditions of repayment.

Who will receive a letter 6419?

Anyone who received at least one advance Child Tax Credit payment from July to December 2021. Even if you stopped payments at some point, you should still expect to receive a letter.

What if I can't find my letter 6419?

You can also check the amount of your payments by using the [CTC Update Portal](#) available on [IRS.gov](#).

Where can I learn more?

For more information about the 2021 Child Tax Credit, visit www.IRS.gov/advctc.