



# Coastal Bend COLLEGE

## **CBC to offer Free Tax Preparation Services at Three Campus Sites**

BEEVILLE – Coastal Bend College is offering free tax preparation services through the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. Members of the community with household incomes of \$66,000 or less are eligible to receive free basic tax preparation services. Free tax preparation services will be provided at three CBC locations until the deadline of April 18.

The location and hours of operation for each are as follows:

**Coastal Bend College Beeville** – 3800 Charco Road, George Elam Building, Room 116

Open Monday – Thursday 9am – 2pm (Contact Lupita Ramirez at (866)722-2838 x2573).

Closed March 12th – 16th.

**Coastal Bend College Alice** – 704 Coyote Trail, Room 206A

Open Monday – Thursday 1pm – 7pm (Contact Crissy Hernandez at (866)891-2981 x3060).

Closed March 12th – 16th.

**Coastal Bend College Pleasanton** – 1411 Bensdale, Room 130

Hours by appointment. (Contact Julia Garcia at (866)361-4222 x1221).

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### ***To help accurately determine EITC eligibility and prepare their returns, taxpayers should bring:***

- Government-issued photo identification
- Valid Social Security cards for the taxpayer, spouse and dependents
- Birthdates for primary, secondary and dependents on the tax return
- Wage and earning statement(s) Form W-2, W-2G, 1099-R, from all employers
- Interest and dividend statements from banks (Forms 1099)
- Forms 1095-a B or C Affordable Care Act Statement
- A copy of last year's federal and state returns, if available
- Bank routing numbers and account numbers if requesting direct deposit
- Proof of daycare expenses paid in 2017 including provider's name, address and Federal ID number
- If married and filing jointly, both spouses must be present

Questions regarding CBC's free tax preparation services should be directed to CBC's Associate Professor of Accounting Lupita Ramirez at (361)354-2505 or via email at [gramirez@coastalbend.edu](mailto:gramirez@coastalbend.edu).

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