**Being a foster care provider or adoptive parent may impact your taxes….**

So be sure to check with your tax professional.

**Tax Tip Training for Foster and Adoptive Families**

AZ Association for Foster & Adoptive Parents (AZAFAP) will be hosting two “2019 Tax Tips for Foster and Adoptive Families” classes.

For those in the Maricopa County area, the class will be held on **Thursday, January 24, 2019**, from 6:00 pm until 9:00 pm at St. Patrick’s Catholic Church in Scottsdale (10815 North 84th Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85260).

For those in the Pima County area, the class will be held on **Monday, January 21, 2019**, from 6:00 pm until 9:00 pm at Gap Ministry in Tucson (2861 North Flowing Wells, Suite 16; Tucson, AZ 85705).

The class is free but you must RSVP by clicking [here](https://fs3.formsite.com/AZAFAP/1elh9o8usv/index.html). The class fills up fast each year, and attendees will receive a 3 hour training certificate via email the week after the class. Call AZAFAP at (602) 884-1801 if you have any questions.

Please note that childcare is not provided for either of these trainings.

**Free Tax Return Preparation Help for Qualifying Taxpayers**

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program offers free tax help to people who generally make $54,000 or less, persons with disabilities and limited English speaking taxpayers who need assistance in preparing their own tax returns. [Click here](https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p3676bsp.pdf) for information about services provided and documentation and information you **must** bring to the site in order for the IRS-certified volunteers to help you. [Click here](https://irs.treasury.gov/freetaxprep/) to find a site near you.