

2022-23 ITR Checklist (Tax Deductibles)

Do you have any of these deductions to the extent used for work-related purposes?

Description	Yes	No
Airport lounge membership		
Annual practicing certificate		
Bank charges		
(Note: allowed only for accounts that mainly earns interest)		
Briefcase		
(Note: fully deductible if cost is ≤ \$300)		
Calculators and electronic organisers		
(Note: fully deductible if cost is ≤ \$300)		
Clothing, uniforms, glasses & goggles, and footwear		
(Note: only applicable for compulsory & non-compulsory uniforms,		
occupational specific, and protective gears)		
Coaching classes		
(Note: only applicable for performing artists to maintain existing skills or		
obtain related skills)		
Computer and software		
(Note: fully deductible if cost ≤ \$300, otherwise deductible over 2.5 years)		
Conferences, seminars, and courses		
(Note: only applicable if the purpose is to maintain or increase employee's knowledge, skills, or ability)		
Depreciation		
(Note: outright depreciation on acquisition if cost is ≤ \$300)		
First aid course		
Gaming Licence		
(Note: only applicable for Hospitality industry)		
Gifts / Donations of \$2 or more		
(Note: only applicable if made to an approved "deductible gift recipient" body		
or fund;		
gifts to clients are deductible if it is related to earning assessable		
income)		
Home office expenses		
(Note: may be able to claimed as a deduction for the costs incurred in running a		
home office only to the extent of the portion used as a place of business)		
Examples: Running expenses - electricity, gas, and depreciation of office		
furniture		
Occupancy expenses - rent, insurance, rates and land tax		
Income protection insurance		
(Note: only applicable if the proceeds upon a claim are assessable)		
Insurance - sickness or accident		
(Note: only applicable for Hospitality industry)	<u> </u>	

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Description	Yes	No
Interest	163	NO
(Note: only applicable if money is borrowed for work-related purposes or to		
finance income earning assets;		
General interest charge on tax is also deductible;		
Interest on capital protection loans is also deductible except for a non-		
deductible capital protection component)		
Internet and computer equipment		
Laundry, dry cleaning, and maintenance		
(Note: only allowed an unsubstantiated reasonable claims of up to \$150 when		
the clothing expense is treated as a tax deductible)		
Legal expenses		
Meals		
(Note: only applicable for those acquired during work-related overnight travel		
and overtime meals if the allowance is received under an award)		
Medical examination		
(Note: only applicable if there is a referral of a work-related business licence		
and shown on your payment summary)		
Parking fees and tolls		
(Note: NOT including fines)		
Photographs - Performing Arts		
(Note: only applicable for the cost of maintaining portfolio)		
Practising Certificate		
Prepaid expenses		
(Note: Non-business individuals and Small Business Entity taxpayers claim is		
fully deductible if services are to be performed in a period not exceeding		
12 months		
Other taxpayers must apportion claim over the period of service)		
Professional Library		
(Note: New books = full claim if cost is ≤ \$300		
New books = depreciation if cost is > \$300)		
Examples: books, CDs, videos, etc.		
Protective equipment		
Repairs		
Self education costs		
(Note: claims for fees, books, travel, equipment, and etc. is only allowed if it		
is directly related to the person's income earning activities;		
No claim for the first \$250 if the course is undertaken in an		
educational institution)		
Stationery		
Subscriptions		
(Note only applicable if publications are directly related to income earned)	<u> </u>	
Sun Protection		
(Note: only allowed for taxpayers who work outside)		
Superannuation Contributions		

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Description	Yes	No
Tax agent fees		
Technical and professional publications		
Telephones and other telecommunication equipment		
(Note:only allowed if cost is for work-related telephone calls including rental charges)		
Tools		
(Note: deductible only if work-related cost is ≤ \$300;		
depreciable if work-related cost is > \$300)		
Travel expenses		
(Note: applicable only if employee has no usual place of employment; working before		
leaving home; must transport bulky equipment; travelling from home		
to alternate workplace; travelling between normal workplace and		
alternate place of employment; travel between two work places; and		
travel in course of employment)		
Union and professional association fees		