

Getting in the Game: Taxes for Artists



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Common Tax Questions

- Why do I owe taxes? I hardly made any money!
- Wait – Do I have to collect sales tax on that?
- Is this deductible?
- What do you mean supplies may not be deductible?
- All my receipts are crumpled in this box. Is that okay?

Resources

- General Guidance from Tax Experts
 - [“Publication 15: Employer’s Tax Guide.”](#) IRS. 2012.
 - [“Publication 535: Business Expenses.”](#) IRS. March 13, 2012.
 - [“Publication 583: Starting a Business and Keeping Records.”](#) IRS. December 2011.
 - [“Taxation and Tax Deductions for the Visual Artist”](#) by Peter Jason Riley.
- Cost of Goods Sold and Inventory Topics
 - [“Cost of Goods Sold and the Tax Gap.”](#) IRS. July 2006.
- Other Recent Deduction News
 - IRS [Rev. Proc. 2013-13](#) regarding the home office deduction safe harbor
 - Articles on the topic in [Inc.](#) and [Forbes](#)
- Sales & Use Tax in Ohio
 - [Ohio Sales & Use Tax](#) and [Ohio Vendor Licenses](#)
 - [“Internet Sales Tax Faces a Tougher Sell in the House After Passing Senate”](#) by Tim Devaney