

Basic Star Exemption Form

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Application for School Tax Relief (STAR) Exemption

Dear Property Owner,

If you own property and it is your primary residence, you are probably eligible for a STAR school property tax exemption. To receive your exemption complete the following sections, sign, date and return this form to your local assessor by taxable status date. The assessor may require proof of residency and ownership.

Name and telephone number of owner(s) _____ Mailing address of owner(s) _____

Day Number () _____
E-Mail Address _____

Location of Property _____
Street address _____ Village (if any) _____
City/town _____ School district _____

Tax map number or section/block/lot _____ (Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll))

Do you or your spouse own any other property that is currently receiving the STAR exemption? Yes ☐ No ☐
Do you or your spouse own property in another state that you are claiming as your full-time residence and are receiving a residency tax benefit, such as the Florida Homestead exemption? Yes ☐ No ☐
If yes, please give the address of each such property: _____

You may be eligible for a larger school property tax savings if you meet these age and income requirements:

1. If you are applying for STAR for the 2011-2012 school year:
a) Will all owners be at least 65 years of age as of December 31, 2011? OR
b) If the property is owned by a husband and wife or by siblings, will at least one of the spouses or siblings be at least 65 years of age as of December 31, 2011? Yes ☐ No ☐
2. Is the total 2009 income of all the owners, and if any owners' spouses residing on the premises, \$79,050 or less? (See definition of income for STAR purposes on back of form.) Yes ☐ No ☐

If the answer to both questions 1 and 2 is yes, all owners, including non-resident owners, must attach a copy of either their 2009 federal or 2009 State income tax return (if filed). (Tax schedules and tax form attachments are not routinely required.) The assessor may require proof of age. Return this form to your local assessor by taxable status date. Do not file this form with the New York State Office of Real Property Services.

CAUTION: Anyone who misrepresents his or her primary residence, age or income shall be subject to a \$100 penalty, shall be prohibited from receiving the STAR exemption for five years, and may be subject to criminal prosecution.

I (we) certify that all of the above information is correct and that the property listed above is owned by me (us) and is my (our) primary residence. I (we) understand it is my (our) obligation to notify the assessor if I (we) relocate to another primary residence and to provide any documentation of eligibility that is requested.

All resident owners must sign and date.

Signature _____	Date _____
Signature _____	Date _____
Signature _____	Date _____

Supporting Documents

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