

Starter checklist

Instructions for employers

This Starter Checklist can be used to gather information about your new employee. You can use this information to help fill in your first Full Payment Submission (FPS) for this employee. You need to keep the information recorded on the Starter Checklist record for the current and previous 3 tax years. Do not send this form to HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC).

Instructions for employees

As a new employee your employer needs the information on this form before your first payday to tell HMRC about you and help them use the correct tax code. Fill in this form then give it to your employer. Do not send this form to HMRC. It's important that you choose the correct statement. If you do not choose the correct statement you may pay too much or too little tax. For help filling in this form watch our short youtube video, go to www.youtube.com/hmrcgovuk

Employee's personal details	
1 Last name	5 Home address
2 First names Do not enter initials or shortened names such as Jim for James or Liz for Elizabeth	Postcode
	6 National Insurance number if known
3 Are you male or female?	
Male Female	7 Employment start date DD MM YYYY
4 Date of birth DD MM YYYY	

Employee statement

8 Choose the statement that applies to you, either A, B or C, and tick the appropriate box.

Statement A	Statement B	Statement C
Do not choose this statement if you're in receipt of a State, Works or Private Pension.	Do not choose this statement if you're in receipt of a State, Works or Private Pension.	Choose this statement if: • you have another job and/or • you're in receipt of a State, Works
Choose this statement if the following applies.	Choose this statement if the following applies.	or Private Pension
This is my first job since 6 April and since the 6 April I've not received payments from any of the following: • Jobseeker's Allowance • Employment and Support Allowance • Incapacity Benefit	Since 6 April I have had another job but I do not have a P45. And/or since the 6 April I have received payments from any of the following: • Jobseeker's Allowance • Employment and Support Allowance • Incapacity Benefit	
Statement A applies to me	Statement B applies to me	Statement C applies to me

Student loans		
9 Tell us if any of the following statements apply	Types of Student Loan	
 to you: you do not have any Student or Postgraduate Loans you're still studying full-time on a course that your Student Loan relates to you completed or left your full-time course after the start of the current tax year, which started on 	 You have Plan 1 if any of the following apply: you lived in Northern Ireland when you started your course you lived in England or Wales and started your course before 1 September 2012 You have a Plan 2 if: You lived in England or Wales and started your course on or after 1 September 2012. 	
 6 April you're already making regular direct debit repayments from your bank, as agreed with the Student Loans Company 		
If No, tick this box and go to question 10 If Yes, tick this box and go straight to the Declaration	You have a Plan 4 if: You lived in Scotland and applied through the Students Award Agency Scotland (SAAS) when you started your course.	
To avoid repaying more than you need to, tick the correct Student Loans that you have - use the guidance on the right to help you. Please tick all that apply Plan 1 Plan 2 Plan 4 Postgraduate Loan (England and Wales only)	 You have a Postgraduate Loan if any of the following apply: you lived in England and started your Postgraduate Master's course on or after 1 August 2016 you lived in Wales and started your Postgraduate Master's course on or after 1 August 2017 you lived in England or Wales and started your Postgraduate Doctoral course on or after 1 August 2018 	
Employees, for more information about the type of loan you have, Employers, for guidance go to www.gov.uk/guidance/special-rules-f		
Declaration I confirm that the information I've given on this form is correct		
Signature	Full name	
	Date DD MM YYYY	