Cumberland County Tax Bureau collects the earned income/compensation tax and the net profits tax for the following school districts and municipalities. If you were a resident of any of the listed municipalities and school districts for any portion of the tax year, you are required to file a return with this bureau.

Cumberland, Franklin and York County Taxing Jurisdictions							
School District	Township/Borough	Res. Rate	PSD	School District	Township/Borough	Res. Rate	PSD
Big Spring	Cooke Twp	1.65%	210101	Mechanicsburg	Mechanicsburg Borough	1.70%	210601
	Lower Frankford Twp	1.65%	210102	11	Shiremanstown Borough	1.70%	210602
	Lower Mifflin Twp	1.65%	210103	1	Upper Allen Twp	1.70%	210603
	Newville Borough	1.65%	210104		Shiremanstown Annex	1.80%	210604
	North Newton Twp	1.65%	210105	Shippensburg Area	Hopewell Twp	1.40%	210701
	Penn Twp	1.65%	210106		Newburg Borough	1.40%	210702
	South Newton Twp	1.65%	210107		Shippensburg Borough	1.40%	210703
	Upper Frankford Twp	1.65%	210108		Shippensburg Twp	1.40%	210704
	Upper Mifflin Twp	1.65%	210109	11	Southampton Twp (Cumberland)	1.40%	210705
	West Pennsboro Twp	1.65%	210110		Orrstown Borough (Franklin)	1.40%	210706
Camp Hill	Camp Hill Borough	2.00%	210201		Southampton Twp (Franklin)	1.40%	210707
Carlisle Area	Carlisle Borough	1.60%	210301	South Middleton	South Middleton Twp	1.60%	210801
	Dickinson Twp	1.60%	210302	West Shore	Lemoyne Borough	1.45%	210901
	Mt Holly Springs Borough	1.60%	210303		Lower Allen Twp	1.55%	210902
	North Middleton Twp	1.60%	210304		New Cumberland Borough	1.45%	210903
Cumberland Valley	Hampden Twp	1.60%	210401		Wormleysburg Borough	1.45%	210904
	Middlesex Twp	1.60%	210402	1	Fairview Twp (York)	1.45%	210905
	Monroe Twp	1.60%	210403		Goldsboro Borough (York)	1.45%	210906
	Silver Spring Twp	1.70%	210404		Lewisberry Borough (York)	1.45%	210907
East Pennsboro	East Pennsboro Twp	1.60%	210501	11	Newberry Twp (York)	1.45%	210908

Non-Resident tax rates are available upon request.

The examples below do not limit the resolution(s)/ordinance(s) provisions and are not exhaustive. Please contact CCTB with your questions.

Earned Income Compensation Examples

SalariesBonusesFeesNational Guard Pay (except Active Duty)WagesTipsStipendsEmployee Contributions to Retirement AccountsCommissionsIncentive Payments1-W Classification PayAny expense reimbursement in excess of the actual expense

Drawing Accounts - if amount received as a drawing account exceeds the salary or commissions earned, the tax is payable on the amount received. If the employee subsequently repays the employer any amount not in fact earned, the tax shall be adjusted accordingly.

Benefits accruing from employment, including but not limited to annual leave, vacation, holiday, sabbatical leave, compensation received

in form of property shall be taxed at its fair market value at the time of receipt, Jury Duty Pay, payments received from weekend meetings National Guard or reserve units, sick pay (if employee received a regular salary during period of sickness or disability by virtue of employment agreement), separation payments and taxes assumed by the employer.

What Is Not Subject To Tax

3rd Party Sick Scholarships Cash or Property received as a gift, by Will or Statute of Descent or Distribution

Disability Benefits Death Benefits Retirement Distributions (except codes 1, 2, E, J, L and U)

Capital Gains/Losses Interest/Dividends Boarding or Lodging of employees for the convenience of the employer Life Insurance proceeds Social Security Benefits Active Duty military pay (please contact the Bureau if prior to 2016)

Unemployment Compensation Personal Injury Damages Supplementary Unemployment Benefits

Gambling/Lottery winnings Cafeteria plans Clergy Housing Allowance

Personal use of a company car Pensions Public Assistance

Limited liability partnership profits (real estate, oil, mining or similar investments)

Unreimbursed Business Expenses PA Schedule - UE DOES NOT cover the below examples:

Personal, living or family expenses Costs of meals when working late (except while in work-travel status)

Tempoarary housing expense Campaign or political contributions

 Subscriptions to publications
 Charitable contributions

 Dues to professional or fraternal societies
 Commuting Expenses

 Chamber of Commerce or recreational dub memberships
 OPT/EMST/LST

Child/Elder care expenses Malpractice Insurance premiums (except where required by law)

Life Insurance premiums, disability income Pension Contributions

Health services, Insurance premiums Fines, Penalties, legal fees (except to recover back wages)

Bad Debt Bribes, Kickbacks and other illegal payments

Eligible job hunting expenses and pre-employment expenses Residential phone service (charges for business purposes may be deducted)

Capital Expenditures except through depreciation. Certain depreciation expense exclusions may be taken. Federal depreciation or cost recovery deductions are acceptable for PA PIT purposes as an administrative convenience to compute allowable business expense deductions.

Net Profits

While the definition of "net profit" in the Local Tax Enabling Act includes net income from the operation of a business, profession or other activity, it does not include income from corporations.

Most distributions passed through a taxpayer by an S Corporation are considered investment income and not subject to the earned income tax, unless the distributions are based on services provided by the taxpayer.

For taxpayers engaged in the business, profession or activity of farming, the term shall not include: Any interest earnings generated from any monetary accounts or investment instruments of the farming business; Any gain on the sale of farm machinery; Any gain on the sale of livestock held twelve months or more for draft, breeding or dairy purposes; Any gain on the sale of other capital assets of the farm.

Net profits do not include income that is "not paid for services provided" or that is in the nature of earning from an investment (passive income). Persons engaging in more than one business activity during the tax year may offset a loss in one activity against the gain of another.