

Tax Write Offs for Truck Driver

While we're not tax experts we can offer some guidance in the area of what truck drivers can write off. We do suggest that you speak with a professional about your taxes before filing. This list includes many items, but is not all inclusive. There may be things missing, but we hope that this, at the very least, gives you an idea of the type of items that you can write off. You must make sure that you have valid receipts for all items and that you have log books to show you were over the road.

Cleaning Supplies

- Air Fresheners
- Armour-All
- Broom and Dustpan
- Laundry Soap
- Paper Towels
- Trash Bags
- Window Cleaner
- Vacuum

Clothing

- Boots
- Hard Hat
- Safety Glasses
- Safety Vests
- Gloves
- Travel Bags

Electronics

- Antenna
- CB Radio
- Cell Phone
- Cell Phone Fees
- Circuit Tester
- GSP Unit
- GPS Map Update Fees
- Power Boosters
- Power Converters
- Power Cords

Fees

- ATM Fees
- Association Fees/Dues
- CDL Driver's License
- Copy/Fax Fees
- Criminal Record Check Fees
- Driver's Abstract Fees
- Parking Fees
- Scale Fees
- Toll Fees

In Cab Living

- Alarm clock
- Bedding
- Cab Curtains
- Coffee Maker
- Cook Top
- Cooking Utensils
- First Aid Kit
- Lap Desk
- Microwave
- Refrigerator
- Tupperware/storage bins
- Thermos

Load Securement

- Bunge Cords
- Load Chains
- Load Bars
- Load Straps
- Locks

Office Supplies

- Atlas
- Briefcase
- Calculator
- Clipboard
- Log Books
- Log Book Binder
- Maps
- Notebooks
- Paper
- Pens/Pencils

Personal Hygiene

- Hand Sanitizer
- Laundry
- Showers
- Shower Shoes

Tools

- Bolt Cutters
- Buffer
- Crowbar
- Duct Tape
- Electrical Tape
- Fifth Wheel Puller
- Flashlight
- Hammer
- Pliers
- Screwdrivers
- Tire Iron
- Wrenches

Transportation & Lodging

- Air Fare
- Bus Fare
- Cab Fare
- Hotel/Motel Stays

