

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/oryou're in receipt of a State, Works or Private Pension
Choose this statement if the following applies.	Choose this statement if the following applies.	
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 AllowanceEmployment and Support AllowanceIncapacity 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 Loan	Postgraduate Loan	
For more guidance about repaying, go to www.gov.uk/repaying-your-student-loan	For more guidance about funding and repaying, go to www.gov.uk/funding-for-postgraduate-study	
9 Do you have one of the Student Loan Plans described below which is not fully repaid?	For more guidance for employers, go to www.gov.uk/guidance/special-rules-for-student-loans	
Yes If Yes, go to question 10	13 Do you have a Postgraduate Loan which is not fully repaid?	
No If No, go to question 13	Yes If Yes, go to question 14	
10 Did you complete or leave your studies before 6th April? Yes If Yes, go to question 11	No If No, go to the Declaration You'll have a Postgraduate Loan if: • you lived in England and started your Postgraduate Master course on or after 1 August 2016 • you lived in Wales and started your Postgraduate Master's course on or after 1 August 2017	
No If No, go to question 13		
11 Are you repaying your Student Loan directly to the Student Loans Company by direct debit?	 you lived in England or Wales and started your Postgraduate Doctoral course on or after 1 August 2018 	
Yes If Yes, go to question 13	14 Did you complete or leave your Postgraduate studies before 6th April?	
No If No, go to question 12	Yes If Yes, go to question 15	
I2 What type of Student Loan do you have? Plan 1 Plan 2 Both	No If No, go to the Declaration 15 Are you repaying your Postgraduate Loan direct to the	
Student Loan Plans	15 Are you repaying your Postgraduate Loan direct to the Student Loans Company by direct debit?	
You'll have a Plan 1 Student Loan if:		
• you lived in Scotland or Northern Ireland when you started your course (undergraduate or postgraduate)	Yes	
 you lived in England or Wales and started your undergraduate course before 1 September 2012 	No	
 You'll have a Plan 2 Student Loan if: you lived in England or Wales and started your undergraduate course on or after 1 September 2012 your loan is a Part Time Maintenance Loan your loan is an Advanced Learner Loan 	Fill in the declaration.	

• your loan is a Postgraduate Healthcare Loan

Declaration

I confirm that the information I've given on this form is correct.

Signature

Full name
Date DD MM YYYY