

# Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)

**What:** VITA is an IRS-sponsored program that provides free tax assistance to low-to-moderate income individuals (mid-70,000s or lower) who require help in preparing their tax returns or cannot afford the services of a paid professional. *Free e-file.*

**Who:** TCC students enrolled in the Federal Income Tax course will be participating in the VITA program. Each student volunteer must pass an IRS test to become certified.

## **When and Where:**

- Wednesday, February 24, 2010 from 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM at the Plaza Middle School Library

*Bring a valid picture ID, SSN, 2008 tax return, and 2009 tax documents. No appointments needed; first come, first serve basis.*

A partial listing of items outside the scope of VITA (and therefore not eligible for free tax assistance) include noncash donations greater than \$500, depreciation calculations, income from rental property, royalties, partnerships, estates, trusts, farm income, household employers, kiddie tax, foreign tax credit using Form 1116.