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AM I TAX ELIGIBLE?

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Am I Tax Eligible? (Quick Quiz)

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Before we dive in: This isn't to be taken as financial advice. This ebook is for educational purposes only. Always confirm your personal tax obligations with a professional or the relevant tax authority. Or, you can connect with a tax agent through TaxC.

Introduction

Not sure whether you're meant to pay tax in Nigeria? Don't worry, this quick quiz will help you find out in under one minute. Just answer honestly, and by the end, you'll know exactly where you stand.

Let's get started.

Quick Quiz: Am I Tax Eligible?

1. Do you earn money from a job, business, freelancing, or any service?

If YES → You are tax-eligible.

If NO → Go to the next question.

2. Do you earn money from rent, commissions, digital work, or any side income?

If YES → You are tax-eligible.

If NO → Next question.

3. Do you work for a foreign company while living in Nigeria (183+ days)?

If YES → You are tax-eligible.

If NO → Next question.

4. Do you run a small business or hustle (online or offline)?

If YES → You are tax-eligible.

If NO → Next question.

5. Are you a student who earns income (freelancing, business, content creation, etc.)?

If YES → You are tax-eligible.

If NO → You are NOT tax-eligible.

Reminder: Money from parents is NOT taxable income.

Results Summary

If you answered “YES” to any question, you are tax-eligible under Nigeria’s Personal Income Tax rules.

If you answered “NO” to all questions, you are not required to pay tax because you do not earn taxable income.

What To Do Next

If you are tax-eligible:

- Use the TaxC Calculator to see exactly how much you should pay.
- Read “How Much Tax Should I Pay? (Mini Guide)”.

If you are not tax-eligible:

- Keep this guide in mind for when you eventually start earning income.
- Explore other TaxC ebooks to understand tax before you start working.

Conclusion

Knowing whether you are tax-eligible is the first step to staying compliant and avoiding penalties. You don't need to guess, now you know exactly where you stand.

Next up: “Top 5 Tax Myths Nigerians Believe”, let's clear up the biggest misconceptions!