

# Credit for Previously Owned Clean Vehicles

## What is the credit for previously owned clean vehicles?

If you are interested in claiming the clean vehicle credit for purchasing a **previously owned clean vehicle** beginning in 2023, a tax credit is available only for qualifying clean vehicles.



Here is what you should know:

- The credit is available to all qualified buyers who are not claimed as a dependent on someone else's tax return.
- The maximum amount of the credit is: Lesser of \$4,000 or 30% of the sales price.
- Qualified buyers cannot claim the credit more than once every three years.
- The credit is allowed if the sale price is less than \$25,000.

## What are the **income limits** for the credit?

You may be eligible for the credit if your modified adjusted gross income\* (MAGI) for the current year or prior year is less than or equal to:

- **\$150,000** for married filing jointly or filing as a qualifying surviving spouse or a qualifying widow(er)
- **\$112,500** for head of household
- **\$75,000** for all other filers

*\* Modified adjusted gross income means **adjusted gross income** increased by any amount excluded from gross income because it was received from a foreign source.*

## What **vehicles** qualify for the credit?

- The previously owned vehicle has a model year at least 2 years earlier than the calendar year when you buy it. For example, a vehicle purchased in 2023 would need a model year of 2021 or older.
- The previously owned vehicle transfer to the qualifying buyer must be the first transfer to a qualified buyer since August 16, 2022.
- The previously owned vehicle must be purchased from a dealer and weigh less than 14,000 pounds.
- The previously owned vehicle must be a plug-in hybrid electric, or electric vehicle, or a hydrogen fuel cell vehicle.

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