

2009 Adoption Tax Credit

Did you finalize an adoption during 2009?

If you did, then you may be eligible to claim a credit against your federal income tax for up to \$12,150.

If you finalized an adoption in 2009 and the child or children you adopted was considered "Special Needs" (eligible for a subsidy); the law permits the use of an Adoption Tax Credit that can be claimed against your federal income tax.

You do not have to have qualifying expenses to be eligible for this credit, but you must complete Form 8839 and file it with your Form 1040.

For specific details contact the IRS at www.IRS.Gov or 800- 829-1040.