

# FLASHLINE Employee Self Service

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### **Introduction – About Employee Self Service**

Through Employee Self Service, the employees of an institution can access their personal information. Employees modify retirement, health and benefit, and beneficiary information on the web. Employees view pay, job, and tax information on the web.

The Human Resources Office enables all forms to allow for viewing on the web, and is responsible for setting up the rules that enable employees to access their records. Human Resources updates Banner data and forms based on information updated by employees on the web.

# **Accessing Employee Self Service**

- You may use any internet computer on or off campus to access FlashLine.
- Special locations for Kent Residence Services staff: Johnson, Centennial, Tri-Towers, Beall, McSweeney, Dunbar.
- Special locations for Kent Campus Facilities Planning & Operations staff: Taylor, Moulton, Smith, MACC, KSC.
- Ask your supervisor about computer locations and assistance.

# Help

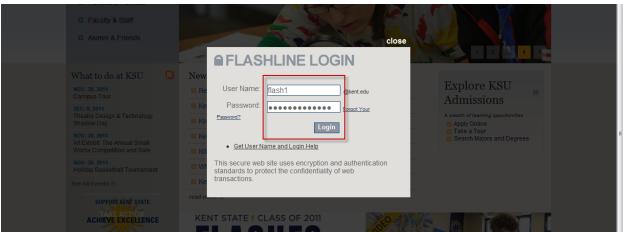
- Look for the correct tab and channel.
- Access to tabs and tools is permission-based.
- Contact the **Help Desk** (672-HELP) whenever a tab, channel, or tool is missing from your FlashLine view. If your status changes (student to employee, or employee registering for classes, for example; your new access status may not be reflected immediately in FlashLine.)

Note: actual screen text may vary slightly from the screens depicted here.

For assistance with Employee Self Service, contact the Help Desk: 330 672-HELP, support.kent.edu

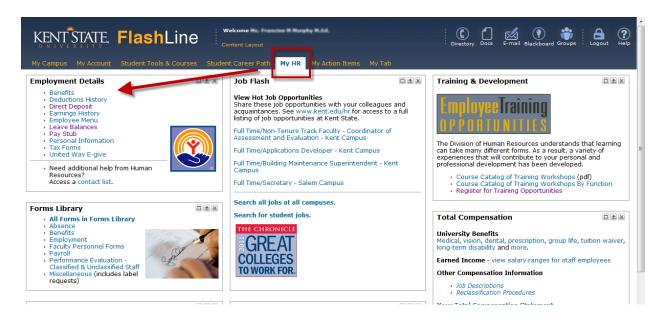
# Log In to FlashLine.





Step	Action
1.	Open a web browser, go to <b>www.kent.edu</b> (FlashLine login link is available on
	most Kent State University pages
2.	Locate the FlashLine Login link, the FlashLine Login page will open
3.	Enter your FlashLine ID and password, and click: Login
4.	For help with your FlashLine ID and password, contact the Help Desk 672-HELP.

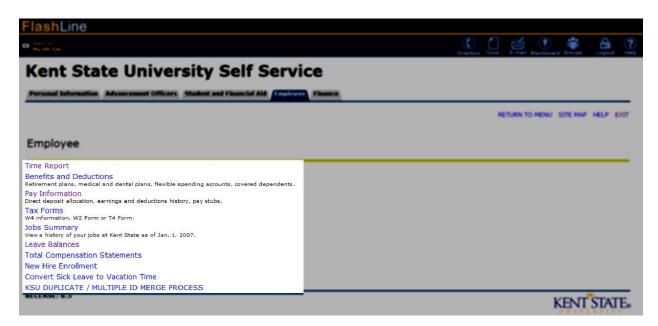
# My HR Tab



Step	Action
1.	Click the <b>My HR</b> tab to view information channels for Kent State employees.
2.	Look for the <b>Employment Details</b> channel (or window.)
3.	Click any item in the menu.
4.	The <b>Employment Details</b> channel will expand for full-screen viewing.
5.	Note: you may also click the <b>Maximize</b> button in any channel to expand the view.

# **Employee Self Service Menu**

Note: Your tabs/menus may differ from screen shots in this document





Step	Action
1.	Click any of the menu items to view your personal information.
2.	Click the <b>Personal Information</b> tab to view and change your personal contact
	information.
3.	Click the <b>Back</b> button (double arrow) to leave the expanded channel view, and
	return to the My HR tab.

### **Personal Information Tab**



# **Kent State University Self Service**

Personal Information | Advancement Officers | Student and Financial Aid | Employee | Finance

RETURN TO MENU SITE MAP HELP EXIT

#### Personal Information

**Current Surveys** 

View Addresses and Phones

Update Addresses and Phones

View E-mail Addresses

Update E-mail Addresses

View Emergency Contacts

**Update Emergency Contacts** 

Name / Marital Status Change Information

Online Phone Directory

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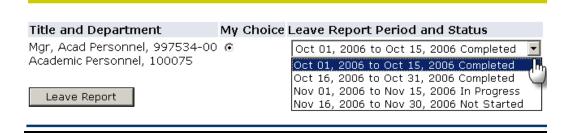
Step	Action
1	Click the <b>Personal Information</b> tab to view your contact information.
	Note: some of the menu options pictured above may not be available to all users.
2	Click a menu item to view your current information in that category.
3	Click <b>Update Information</b> to change an item of information.
4	Click <b>Save</b> to save the changes.
5	Click the <b>Employee</b> tab to return to the Employee menu.
6	Note: Details of the options available on the Personal Information tab will be
	added to this manual after January 1, 2007.

# **Leave Report**

#### Read this important information before you use Leave Report:

- 1. Banner Leave Reporting is set up for Unclassified staff and Faculty only. Classified, Hourly Unclassified, and Student employees should use Kronos, accessed through the Kronos channel on the Action Items tab in FlashLine.
- 2. You may only submit leave ONCE per pay period, preferably at or near the end of the period. You may enter hours and save them, but do not click SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL until your report is complete.
- 3. In the event that you submit an error, or your leave time changed, contact your approving supervisor. If the supervisor has not yet approved the period, they can either correct the hours, or return the form to you for correction. If leave has been submitted and approved, contact HR to make further changes.
- 4. Leave Report is only used for reporting leave that has been taken. Your internal department procedures to request and grant leave still apply.

# Leave Report Selection



Step	Action
1	Select Leave Reporting from the Employee menu.
2	Click the dot next to your Title and Department, if you have a dual appointment.
3	Select a Leave Report Period from the pulldown menu.
4	Click the <b>Leave Report</b> button to proceed to the next screen.

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### **Leave Report Entry (continued)**

Leave Report

Title and Number:Mgr, Acad Personnel -- 997534-00Department and Number:Academic Personnel -- 100075Leave Report Period:Nov 16, 2006 to Nov 30, 2006Submit By Date:Dec 31, 2006 by 12:00 A.M.

Earning: Vacation Pay
Date: Nov 17, 2006
Hours: 8

Save Copy

Earning	Total Hours		Thursday Nov 16, 2006	Friday Nov 17, 2006	Saturday Nov 18, 2006	•	Monday Nov 20, 2006		Wednesday Nov 22, 2006
Vacation Pay	16		8	8	Enter Hours				
Sick Leave Pay	0		Enter Hours	Enter Hours	Enter Hours				
Personal Leave Pay	0		Enter Hours	Enter Hours	Enter Hours				
Total Hours:	16		8	8	0	0	0	0	0
Total Units:		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Positio	n Selec	tion	Comme	nts P	review	Submit f	or Approva	l Res	start Next

Step	Action
1	Note: the <b>Hours</b> field and <b>Save</b> button will not appear until you have clicked an
	Enter Hours link under a day column.
2	The first week of a pay period appears. Click the <b>Next</b> button to view the second week of the period.
3	Find the day for which you wish to report leave. Click the <b>Enter Hours</b> button in
	the row corresponding to the type of leave you wish to record, Vacation, Sick, or
	Personal leave.
4	Type the number of leave hours for that day in the <b>Hours</b> field.
5	Click the <b>Save</b> button.
6	Click <b>Copy</b> to copy the same hours to other days in the period.
7	To print a Leave Report screen, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.
8	You may exit at this point with your hours saved but not submitted to an approver.
8	Click <b>Submit for Approval</b> to pass the report to your supervisor.

### **Benefits and Deductions Menu**

# Benefits and Deductions

Retirement Plans Health Benefits Flexible Spending Accounts Miscellaneous Open Enrollment Beneficiaries and Dependents Benefit Statement

Step	Action
1	Click <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> in the Employee menu.
2	Click any item on the Benefits and Deducations menu to view your personal
	information.
3	Contact Human Resources if you have questions about your Benefit and Deductions
	options.
4	Note: Open Enrollment for medical benefits is available during designated enrollment
	periods
5	Note: screens may display explanatory information and important supporting
	A
	information as seen in the example below. Read these flagged notices carefully.



🔍 Your current health benefit elections are listed below.

You are only able to make changes to your health benefits during the annual open enrollment period each Fall or within 31 days of a qualifying life status

Please refer to the Change of Employee Personal Information form if you have experienced a qualifying life status event or contact the Benefits Office at 330-672-3107 or benefits@kent.edu for questions.

### **Retirement Plans**

# Retirement Plans

Select Add a New Benefit Or Deduction to add a new benefit.

#### 403(b) ING Financial Serv

Benefit or Deduction as of date: Dec 05, 2006

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Active

Start Date: Jul 01, 2006

End Date:

Employee Deduction Amount: 25.00

**Employee Annual Limit:** 

History | Contributions or Deductions

#### OH Public Emp Retirement Sys

Benefit or Deduction as of date: Dec 05, 2006

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Active

Start Date: Jul 01, 2006

End Date:

Plan: **OPERS** Employee Percent of Gross Pay: 9.0000 Employer Percent of Gross Pay: 13.5400

History | Contributions or Deductions

#### Add a New Benefit Or Deduction

Steps	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select <b>Retirement Plans</b> from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Scroll down the screen to view your retirement plan information.
4	Click <b>History</b> under a plan to view the plan history.
5	Click <b>Contributions or Deducations</b> to view this information regarding the plan.
6	Click Add a New Benefit or Deduction to initiate addition of another retirement
	plan.
7	To print Retirement Plan information, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

### **Health Benefits**

# Health Benefits

Select Add a New Benefit to add a new health benefit.

#### Medical Mutual PPO 12 Month

Benefit or Deduction as of date: Dec 05, 2006

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Active

Start Date: Jul 01, 2006

End Date:

Filing Status: Med Mutual 90/70 Single

28,690.08 Annual Salary:

History | Contributions or Deductions

#### Medical Mutual PPO Dental Plan

Benefit or Deduction as of date: Dec 05, 2006

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Active

Start Date: Jul 01, 2006

End Date:

Plan: MM PPO Dental Single

Employee Deduction Amount: .0000

History | Contributions or Deductions

#### Add a New Benefit

Steps	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select <b>Health Benefits</b> from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Scroll down the screen to view your health benefits information.
4	Click <b>History</b> under a plan to view the plan history.
5	Click <b>Contributions or Deducations</b> to view this information regarding the plan.
6	Click <b>Add a New Benefit</b> to initiate the addition of another health plan.
7	To print Health Benefits information, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

# Flexible Spending Accounts

# Flexible Spending Accounts

Select Add a New Spending Account to add a new flexible spending account .

#### Dependent Care Spending Accnt

Benefit or Deduction as of date: 05/31/06

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Not Yet in Effect

Start Date: 02/16/08

End Date:

Deduction Amount: 100.00 **Deduction Annual Limit:** 1,200.00

History | Update | Details

#### Add a New Spending Account

Steps	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select Flexible Spending Accounts from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Click <b>History</b> to view the Flexible Spending account history.
4	Click <b>Update</b> to update the Flexible Spending account information.
5	Click <b>Details</b> to view the Flexible Spending account balance.
6	Click Add a New Spending Account to initiate setup of another account.
7	To print Flexible Spending account information, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web
	browser menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

#### **Miscellaneous Benefits and Deductions**

# Miscellaneous



Select Add a New Benefit or Deduction to add a new record.

#### Parking

Benefit or Deduction as of date: Dec 12, 2006

Status of Benefit or Deduction: Active

Start Date: Jul 01, 2006 May 31, 2007 End Date:

Plan: Parking Employee Deduction Amount: 5.5000 **Employer Amount:** 1.7500 **Employee Annual Limit:** 132.00

History | Contributions or Deductions

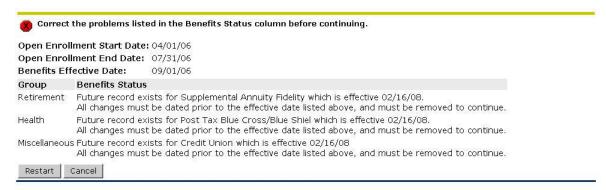
#### Add a New Benefit Or Deduction

Step	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select <b>Miscellaneous</b> from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Click <b>History</b> to view your history of a benefit or deduction.
4	Click <b>Contributions or Deductions</b> to view this information regarding the benefit
	or deduction.
5	Click Add a New Benefit or Deduction to initiate creation of a new benefit or
	deduction.
6	To print the Miscellaneous benefits and deductions report, select <b>File – Print</b> from
	your web browser menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Open Enrollment**

Open Enrollment is only available during the designated Open Enrollment period.

### Open Enrollment



[ Retirement Plans | Health Benefits | Flexible Spending Accounts | Miscellaneous | Beneficiaries and Dependents | Benefit Statement ]

Step	Action
1	Select Leave Reporting from the Employee menu.
2	Click the dot next to your Title and Department, if you have a dual appointment.
3	Select a Leave Report Period from the pulldown menu.
4	Click the <b>Leave Report</b> button to proceed to the next screen.

# **Beneficiaries and Dependents**

# Beneficiaries and Dependents



Select the Name to change information for an individual. Choose Add A New Person to make additions. Select the name in the Benefit Coverage table to add or change coverage.

#### Beneficiaries and Dependents Information

Name	SSN	Relationship	Birth Date	Gender	College Status
Edward L. Norton	123451234	Husband	Aug 24, 1968	Male	Does not attend college

#### Add a New Person

#### Benefit Coverage

Name	Benefit Description and Status
Edward L. Norton, Husband	No Coverage

[ Retirement Plans | Health Benefits | Flexible Spending Accounts | Miscellaneous | Open Enrollment | Benefit Statement ]

Step	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select <b>Beneficiaries and Dependents</b> from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Scroll through the list of your beneficiaries and dependents to view all.
4	Click a name to change information for that beneficiary or dependent.
5	Click <b>Add A New Person</b> to initiate creation of a new beneficiary or dependent
	record.
6	To print Beneficiary information, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

### **Benefit Statement**

### Benefit Statement Date Criteria

As of date: CURRENT 🔻	
Select	

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# Benefit Summary

### Statement for Phillippa Prentice-Hall as of Dec 12, 2006 Current Date is Dec 12, 2006

#### Personal Data

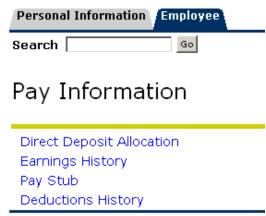
**Department:** Academic Personnel **Benefit Category:** Full Time Benefit Eliqible

Date of Birth: Apr 30, 1954
 Original Hire Date: Oct 14, 1985
 Current Hire Date: Jan 01, 1996
 Adjusted Service Date: Oct 14, 1985

403B Tax Deferred Annuity | Basic Group Life Insurance | Dental Insurance | Misc Benefits & Deductions | Primary Retirement | State Taxes

Step	Action
1	Select <b>Benefits and Deductions</b> from the Employee menu.
2	Select <b>Benefit Statement</b> from the Benefits and Deductions menu.
3	Use the <b>As of date</b> drop down menu to select the date range for which you want to
	see details.
4	Click the <b>Select</b> button to view the benefit statement.
5	Note: The summary screen displayed above is only the top of a much longer screen
	which displays detail for all of the menu items listed: Annuity, Life Insurance,
	Dental Insurance, Benefits and Deducations, Primary Retirement, and State Taxes.
6	To print your benefit statement, select <b>File – Print</b> from your browser menubar, or
	print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Pay Information Menu**



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Step	Action
1	From the <b>Employee</b> menu, select <b>Pay Information</b> .
2	Select a menu item to view your information in that area.
	Note: availability of some menu options may vary.

# **Direct Deposit Allocation**

### Direct Deposit Allocation

The following accounts are listed in the order in which your pay will be distributed.

#### Pay Distribution as of Oct 13, 2006

Bank NameRouting NumberAccount NumberAccount Type Net Pay DistributionKey Bank012345678876543210Checking1,289.70Total Net Pay1,289.70

#### Proposed Pay Distribution:

Bank NameRouting NumberAccount Number Account Type PriorityAmount or Percent Net Pay DistributionKey Bank012345678876543210Checking1100.00%1,289.70Total Net Pay1,289.70

Update Direct Deposit Allocation

Step	Action
1	Select <b>Direct Deposit</b> from the <b>Employee</b> menu.
2	Until notified otherwise, you must initiate direct deposit changes and new direct
	deposit accounts by using the paper form required by Payroll. This information is
	not updatable in FlashLine.
3	To print Direct Deposit information select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Earnings History**

# Earnings History

Select Earnings Type to access additional information.

Earnings from January 2006 to May 2006 Earnings Type Total Gross Pay Total Hours

16,666.66 253.33 Regular Pay

[ New Date Range ]

Step	Action
1.	From the Pay Information menu, select Earnings History.
2.	Enter the date information and select the <b>Display</b> option.
3.	View your earnings history.
4.	Click the type of pay to view the detail of your earnings.
5.	To print Earnings History information select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Pay Stub**

# Pay Stub

Choose a year and then select Display.

Pay Stub Year: 2006 🔻

Display

# Pay Stubs

Select the Pay Stub Date to access additional information.

### Pay Stubs for 2006

### Pay Stub Date Pay Period Begin Date Pay Period End Date Gross Pay Net Pay

08/31/06	08/01/06	08/31/06	12,666.58 8,743.49
04/30/06	04/01/06	04/30/06	8,333.33 5,905.04
01/31/06	01/01/06	01/31/06	8,333.33 5,526.91

Change Year

Step	Action
1.	From the Pay Information menu, select Pay Stub.
1.	Choose a year within which to view a Pay Stub.
2.	Click the Display button. The Pay Stubs list will appear.
3.	Select the Pay Stub period to view. Click on the period date.
4.	The Pay Stub detail for that period will appear.

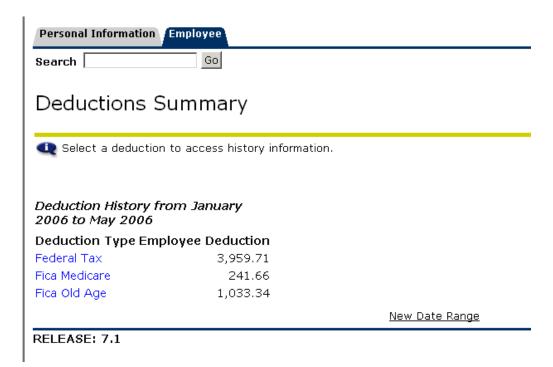
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### Pay Stub Summary (continued from previous page)

Pay Stub Summ	nary				
Pay Stub Date:			Oct	13, 2006	
Gross Amount:					1,445.42
Total Personal D	eductions:				355.72
Net Amount:					1,389.70
Total Employer	Contributions:				144.84
Check or Direct	Deposit				
Number	Document Type	Bank Name	Account Type	Amount	
1162	Direct Deposit	Key Bank	Checking		1,189.70
Earnings					
Туре		Hours	Rate	Amount	
Regular Earnings					1,445.42
Benefits or Dedu	uctions				
Туре		Personal Deduction	Employe	r Contribution	
403(b) ING Financ	cial Serv		25.00		
Federal Income Tax			156.88		
Kent City Taxes			48.91		
Medical Mutual PPO 12 Month			21.25		
OH Public Emp Retirement Sys			120.09		131.11
Ohio State Incom	e Tax		78.09		
Parking			5.50		1.75
Workers Compens	sation		.00		11.98

Step	Action
1.	Scroll to view the complete Pay Stub Summary for the period you selected.
2.	To print the Pay Stub Summary, select <b>File – Print</b> from your browser menubar, or
	print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Deductions History**



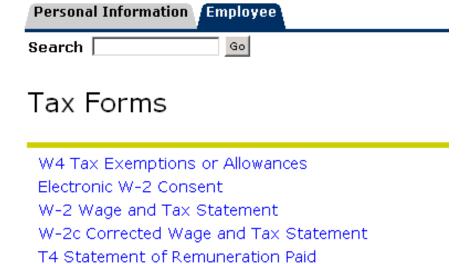
Step	Action
1.	From the Pay Information menu, select Deductions History.
2.	Deductions from a specific date range will be displayed.
3.	Click <b>New Date Range</b> to change the date range.
2.	To print the Deductions Summary, select <b>File – Print</b> from your browser menubar,
	or print as you normally would print any web page.

### **Tax Forms**

#### **General format of the Tax Forms pages**

The Tax Forms page gives you access to your year-end tax statements. The following links are displayed:

- W4 Tax Exemptions or Allowances
- Electronic W-2 Consent
- W-2 Wage and Tax Statement
- W-2c Corrected Wage and Tax Statement
- T4 Statement of Remuneration Paid



Step	Action
1	From the <b>Employee</b> menu, select <b>Tax Forms</b> .
2	Select a menu item to view your tax information.

# **W4 Tax Exemptions**

The W4 Tax Exemptions page displays your W-4 Information (for US employees) as of the current date.



# **W4 Tax Exemptions or Allowances**

Federal Income Tax
As of Date: Dec 27, 2006

Status: Active
Start Date: Jul 01, 2006

End Date:

Filing Status: Single

Number of Allowances: 00 Additional Withholding: .00

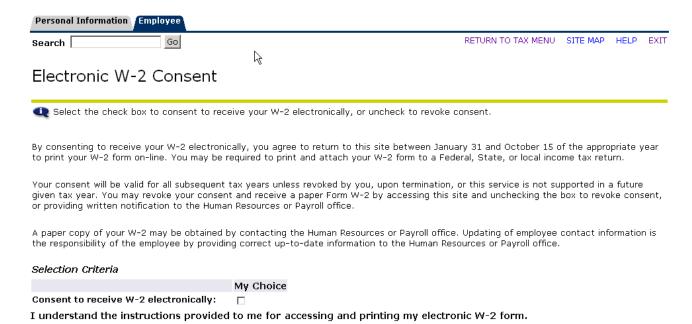
History | Update | Contributions or Deductions

[ W2 Year End Earnings Statement ]

Step	Action
1	From the Tax Forms menu, select <b>W4 Tax Exemptions</b> .
2	View your tax information.

### **Electronic W-2 Consent**

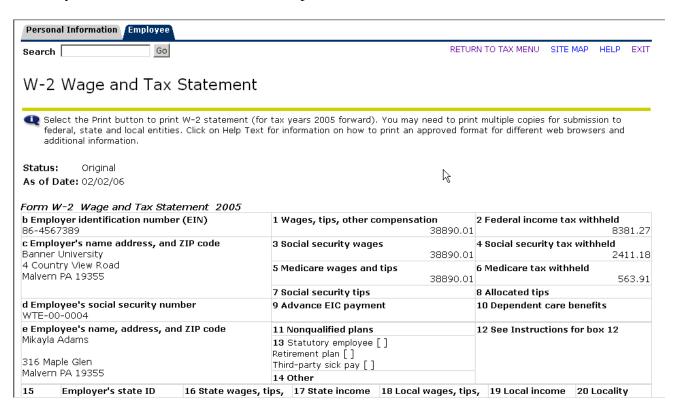
Employees can confirm or revoke consent to receive their W-2 Wage and Tax Statement online through Employee Self-Service. Access this page by selecting the Electronic W-2 Consent menu item from the Tax Forms Menu. Indicate your consent and select the **Submit** button.



Step	Action			
1	Select Electronic W-2 Consent from the Tax Forms menu.			
2	Click the Consent to receive W-2 electronically checkbox.			
	Note: By giving your consent to receive this document electronically, you may not receive a paper copy from your institution.			
3	Click the <b>Submit</b> button			

# W-2 Wage and Tax Statement

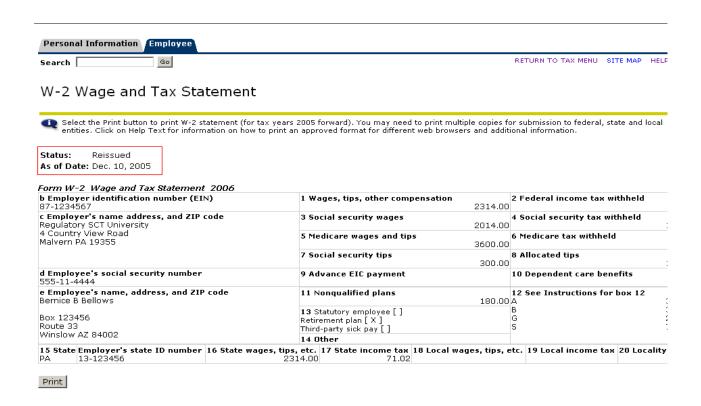
The W-2 Year End Earnings Statement page allows you to access your W2 Statement (for US employees) for a specified year. The status and date at the top of the page lets you know if this is an Original issue W-2 or a Reissued W-2 along with the date it was created. You can use your browser and the Print button to print the W-2.



Step	Action
1	Select W2 Wage and Tax Statement from the Tax Forms menu.
2	Select the <b>Tax Year</b> for which you wish to review the W-2 statement.
3	Select your <b>Employer</b> or <b>Institution</b> from the corresponding pull-down list.
4	Click the <b>Display</b> button.
5	Select the <b>Print</b> button.
6	Select the Print option from the File menu of your web browser.

# W-2c Corrected Wage and Tax Statement

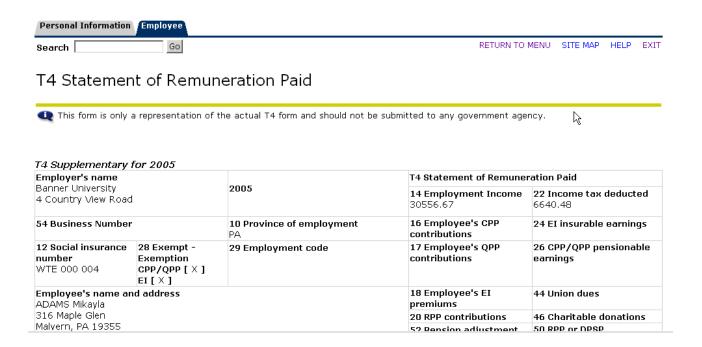
If your information provided by your institution to the government has been changed after it was submitted to the IRS, you can print a corrected W-2c Wage and Tax Statement. The **Status** field on the W-2 states it is reissued and the **As of Date** field displays the reissue date.



Step	Action
1	Select W-2c Corrected Wage and Tax Statement from the Tax Forms menu.
2	Select the <b>Tax Year</b> for which you wish to review the W-2 statement.
3	Select your <b>Employer</b> or <b>Institution</b> from the corresponding pull-down list.
4	Click the <b>Display</b> button.
5	Select the <b>Print</b> button.
6	Select the Print option from the File menu of your web browser.

### **T4 Statement of Remuneration Paid**

The T4 Earnings Statement page allows you to access your T4 Statement (for Canadian employees) for a specified year.



Step	Action
1	Select <b>T4 Statement of Remuneration Paid</b> from the Tax Forms menu.
2	View your tax information.

# **Jobs Summary**

# Jobs Summary



Select the Job Title for more detailed information.

### List of Jobs

Title	Begin Date End Date
Director of Alumni Relations	01/01/06
Administrator	01/01/04

Step	Action
1	From the <b>Employee</b> menu, select <b>Jobs Summary</b> .
2	Note: only your job or jobs since July 1, 2006 appear here.
3	Click a <b>title</b> to view details of that position.
4	To print a Job Summary, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser menubar, or
	print as you normally would print any web page.

# **Leave Balances**

### Leave Balances

 $\ensuremath{ \blacksquare }$  Select the link under the Type of Leave column to access detailed information.

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#### List of Leave Types

TYPE of Leave	Hours or Days	Available Beginning Balance	Earned as of 05/31/06		Available Balance as of 05/31/06
Personal Pay	Hours	.00	16.00	.00	16.00
Sick Pay	Hours	65.34	33.34	.00	98.68
Vacation Pay	Hours	30.00	44.00	.00	74.00

Step	Action
1	From the <b>Employee</b> menu, select <b>Leave Balance</b> .
2	Scroll down to view your leave balance information
3	Click the type of leave links to view leave by job information
4	To print the Leave Balance report, select <b>File – Print</b> from your web browser
	menubar, or print as you normally would print any web page.

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