

## Financial Literacy Month Webinar Series: Planning & Saving for the Future

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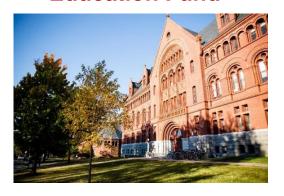
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# Why is it important to set financial goals and objectives?

### Why is it important to set financial goals and objectives? What are your goals?

**Education Fund** 



**Pay Off Debt** 



**Vacation Fund** 



**Down Payment** 



**Dream Wedding** 



**Comfortable Retirement** 

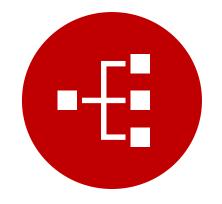


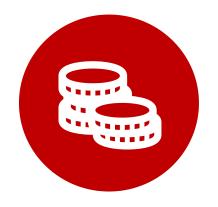


Pro tip: make your goals specific by including dollar amounts and time frames

### Why is it important to set financial goals and objectives? Turn goals into reality!









### Identify

• 1, 3, 5, 10, 20+ years down the road

### Categorize

- S.M.A.R.T. goals
- Short-, medium-, or long-term

### Determine Funding

- Short-term saving strategies
- Long-term saving strategies
- Factor in risktolerance

#### **Start Saving**

- Automate
- Review and adjust often

### Why is it important to set financial goals and objectives? Start investing early! Even small consistent contributions can add up over time!



This is a hypothetical example to show the benefits of making monthly investments over time. It assumes an annual return of 6%, compounded annually. This chart does not represent any actual investment, and the projections are before taxes. The value and return may vary, and different investments may perform better or worse than this example.



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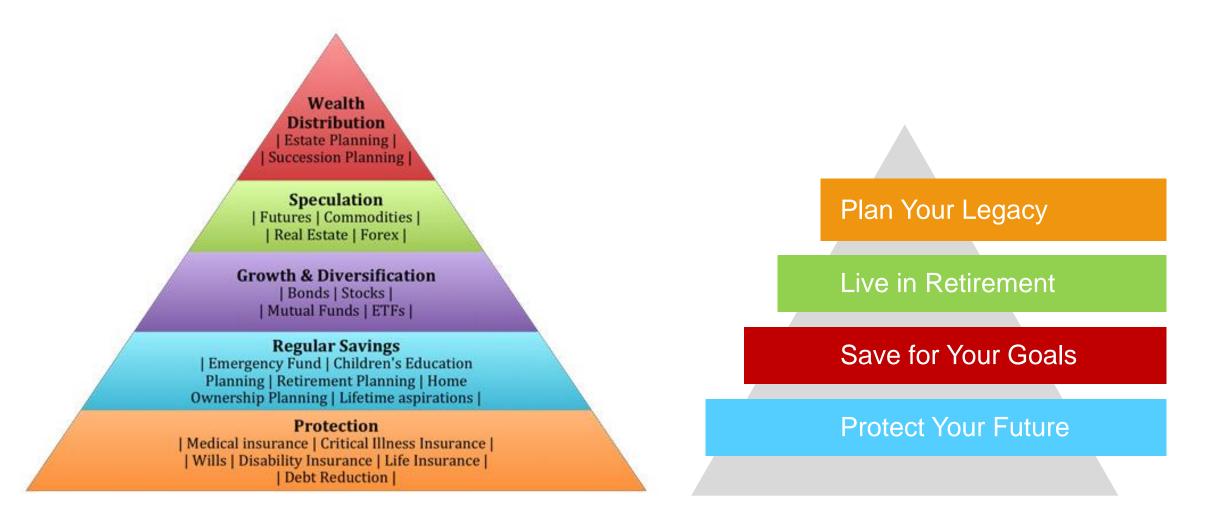
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### **STRATEGIES**

- Spending < Earnings</li>
- List your "Goals"
- First "Plan to Save"
- Start Early...Today!!!
- Pay Yourself First
- Stay Committed
- Create a "Budget"
- Delay Gratification
- Choose Investments
- Monthly Investment Plan
- Dollar Cost Averaging

### **VEHICLES**

- RRSP, TFSA, RESP
- Defined Work Pensions
- Real Estate
- Small Business
- Stock Options
- Cash, T-Bill, GIC, Bonds
- Stocks, Mutual Funds
- ETF, Index Funds
- Commodities, Futures
- Segregated Funds, Annuity
- Alternative Investments

### What government and workplace savings programs should I be aware of?

#### **GOVERMENT**



**RRSP** 



**TFSA** 



**RESP** 



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#### **WORKPLACE**



**DCPP** 



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Employee Stock Purchase Plans



Stock Option Plans



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