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Be Empowered


The 123 of Money Lessons

Teaching children the essence of money from an early age is important. That will help them understand the value of money, how much effort it goes in earning money, and why it is important to save and spend wisely, and not be a spendthrift

Children learn their lessons in money management through experience. Whether it is receiving money as a gift from family or relatives on festivals or occasions, or spending that at the school canteen, or raising funds for a charity.



As most schools in India impart little to no training on how to handle money, the responsibility of teaching children the fundamentals often falls on the parents. The easiest way to do that is by making money a part of the child's everyday experiences. Here are some ways to develop the right habits.

Make It Fun

Playing games related to money could help familiarise children with the concept.

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Source & Courtesy: Meghna Maiti - Outlook Money



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Key To Financial Goals Planning And Intelligent Investing

Financial planning is the bedrock of thoughtful investing. Without proper financial planning, investments can go haywire. But it is easier said than done. Financial planning requires diligent understanding of one's financial resources, future goals and how those resources can be utilised in pursuit of such goals.

A recent discussion with Ghazal Jain, Fund Manager - Alternative Investments, Quantum Mutual Fund, as part of Outlook Money's 'Investment Made Easy' webinar series threw some light on the strategy one should adopt for thoughtful financial planning. Jain was in conversation with Sutirtha Sanyal, Assistant Editor, Outlook Money.

Here are some edited excerpts from the discussion:

How would you define financial planning for thoughtful investors?

Financial planning is a long-term strategy for intelligently managing your money so that you are able to accomplish your goals and objectives in life, while you navigate the ups and downs that inevitably come at every stage of life.

What would you define as the four-five stages of financial planning?

The foremost would be having an emergency fund.

Source & Courtesy: Outlook Money

Attractive Fixed Deposits

Compiled as on 22/11/22

Name	Credit Rating	Period in months	Individual (%)	Sr.Citizen (%) (60+)
Bajaj Finance Ltd.	FAAA	44	7.70	7.95
HDFC Ltd.	FAAA	45	7.50	7.75
LIC Housing Finance	FAAA	60	7.40	7.65
ICICI Home Finance	FAAA	65	7.05	7.30
Mahindra Finance	FAAA	36	7.50	7.75
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Shriram Transport Finance	AA+	36	8.05	8.55
Sundaram Home Finance	AAA	36	7.30	7.65



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If your child starts dreaming early... You too must start investing early. Plan to support your child's aspirations with Children-Oriented Mutual Funds.



SET GOALS 1) Observe your children's interests and aspirations for their future. 2) Identify the target amount required to meet those aspirations, cost of higher education or capital for their own venture. 3) Take the help of a financial adviser if required. **INVEST** 1) Start investing early to give your investments the gift of time to grow. 2) Equity as an asset class is suitable when planning long-term goals. 3) Increase your investment amount with every rise in your income to keep up with the current costs of the set goals. 4) Stay invested over a long term to create the required corpus for your child's goals. **CHOOSE CHILDREN-ORIENTED INVEST MUTUAL FUNDS FOR THEIR GOALS** 1) Offers plans with different mix of equity and debt to

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Selected Children's Funds

- SBI Magnum Children's Benefit Fund
- ICICI Pru Child Care Fund
- Aditya Birla Sun Life Bal Bhavishya Yojna
- HDFC Childrens Gift Fund
- Tata Young Citizens Fund
- Axis Childrens Gift Fund

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Mutual fund investments are subject to market risks, read all scheme related documents carefully.

"Remember that inflation will eat into your savings."

Returns on risk-free cash investments always sound good. But take into consideration the effects of inflation and you won't be impressed. Equity-oriented investments are more suited to generate better post-inflation returns.

Thoughtful Inspirational Quotable Quotes

"Legendarty investor Peter Lynch always emphasized the importance of being patient: 'Frequently, years of patience are rewarded in a single year.'"

- Francois Rochon

"The object of education was to produce a desire to serve the community as a whole and to apply the Knowledge gained not only for personal but for public welfare."

- Jawaharlal Nehru

"When you stop chasing the wrong things, you give the right things a chance to catch you."

- Lolly Daskal

"Try to be a rainbow in someone's cloud."

- Maya Angelou

"I firmly believe that nature brings solace in all troubles."

- Anne Frank

- Mutual Funds ● Fixed Deposits / Small Savings ● RBI Floating Rate Savings Bonds ● Capital Gain Bonds (u/s 54EC) ● Tax Saving Schemes ● IPOs / FPOs / NCDs ● Stock Broking ● Insurance (Life / Health / General) ● Tax Free / Sovereign Gold Bonds ● NPS / PAN Services ● Loan Against Shares

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Equity Funds - IDCW* Track record & Performance at a glance

Sl. No.	Fund Name	Launch Date	Value research Rating	AUM (₹ Crs.)	NAV as on 16/11/2022		Year wise IDCW in ₹			Return (%)				Since Inception (%)	Sl. No.
					IDCW	Growth	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years		
Balanced Advantage Funds (BAFs) / Dynamic Equity Funds (DEFs) Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	Aditya Birla SL Balanced Advantage Fund	Apr-00	****	6,843	23.13	76.12	--	1.259	1.289	2.81	11.43	8.77	11.3	9.41	1
2	DSP Dynamic Asset Allocation Fund	Feb-14	***	4,433	11.759	20.031	0.16	0.48	0.6	-0.51	7.63	7.17	-	8.23	2
3	HDFC Balanced Advantage Fund	Feb-94	***	49,709	30.565	323.305	3.41	2.76	2.94	14.03	17.7	10.97	14.42	18.07	3
4	Edelweiss Balanced Advantage Fund	Aug-09	****	8,927	20.32	36.94	1.35	2.11	1.71	1.07	14.47	11.06	11.52	10.37	4
5	Tata Balanced Advantage Fund	Jan-19	****	6,069	15.3749	15.3749	--	--	--	4.64	12.65	-	-	11.98	5
6	Sundaram Balanced Advantage Fund	Dec-10	****	1,595	14.5112	26.6425	--	--	--	4.29	14.07	9.37	10.93	9.85	6
7	ICICI Prudential Balanced Advantage Fund	Dec-06	****	44,002	16.44	52.76	0.89	0.68	0.91	6.16	12.01	9.97	12.36	11.03	7
8	Kotak Balanced Advantage Fund	Aug-18	***	14,553	14.962	14.962	-	-	-	2.54	10.46	-	-	9.85	8
Multi Asset Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	Axis Triple Advantage Fund	Aug-10	**	1,763	18.57	29.8	1.44	1.65	1.65	-6.94	12	10.74	9.2	9.33	1
2	HDFC Multi Asset Fund	Aug-05	****	1,624	15.23	49.88	-	1	1.25	2.47	15.02	10.09	10.27	9.76	2
3	ICICI Prudential Multi Asset Fund	Oct-02	****	14,875	25.47	474.75	1.22	2.02	1.92	11.97	20.84	13.26	15.61	21.22	3
4	Nippon India Multi Asset Fund	Aug-20	Unrated	1,145	13.56	13.56	-	-	-	0.95	-	-	-	14.71	4
5	Tata Multi Asset Opportunities Fund	Mar-20	Unrated	1,452	16.38	16.38	-	-	-	4.92	-	-	-	20.04	5
Asset Allocator Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	Aditya Birla SL Asset Allocator FoF	Aug-06	Unrated	150	40.36	43.83	-	-	-	-0.16	14.25	9.59	12.11	9.51	1
2	ICICI Prudential Asset Allocator (FOF)	Dec-03	****	17,660	76.13	82.87	-	-	-	6.01	12.91	11.25	11.52	11.87	2
3	Nippon India Asset Allocator FoF	Feb-21	Unrated	108	13	13	-	-	-	3.88	--	--	--	15.92	3
Children's Gift Funds & Retirement Savings Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	HDFC Retirement Savings Fund	Feb-16	****	2,524	-	31.21	-	-	-	4.21	22.43	13.4	-	18.43	1
2	ICICI Prudential Retirement Fund	Feb-19	****	200	17.73	17.73	-	-	-	0.91	19.46	-	-	16.64	2
3	SBI Retirement Benefit Fund	Feb-21	Unrated	1,058	14.08	14.08	-	-	-	4.93	-	-	-	21.41	3
4	Axis Children's Gift	Dec-15	***	716	19.83	19.83	-	-	-	-6.57	11.74	10.21	-	10.36	4
5	HDFC Children's Gift Fund	Mar-01	****	5,968	198.25	-	-	-	-	3.97	17.14	11.74	15.3	16.13	5
6	Tata Young Citizens Fund	Oct-95	Unrated	273	42.91	-	-	-	-	-0.58	18.31	10.44	11.57	12.73	6
Flexi Cap Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	Aditya Birla Sun Life Flexi Cap Fund	Aug-98	***	16,422	130.25	1,159	6.32	5.63	7.75	-2.48	16.02	10.52	16.24	21.66	1
2	HDFC Flexi cap Fund	Jan-95	***	31,686	61.7	1,159	4.25	5	5.75	14.68	20.57	12.79	15.57	18.58	2
3	Kotak Flexi cap Fund	Sep-09	***	37,766	33.28	55.11	1.2	0.88	-	1.55	14.29	11.19	16.25	13.82	3
4	Axis Flexi cap Fund	Nov-17	**	11,244	13.88	18.34	-	0.97	1.2	-9.21	13.36	-	-	12.92	4
5	PGIM India Flexi cap Fund	Mar-15	****	5,291	18.03	25.78	0.51	0.64	1.37	-7.53	23.41	14.46	-	13.07	5
6	SBI Flexi cap Fund	Sep-05	***	16,495	34.53	77.12	-	-	-	-2.09	14.87	10.76	16.05	12.66	6
7	UTI Flexi cap Fund	May-92	****	26,133	160.46	242.7	2.65	3	4.5	-12.94	17.89	14.26	15.17	12.73	7
8	ICICI Prudential Flexi Cap Fund	Jul-21	unrated	11,911	11.85	11.85	-	-	-	7.05	-	-	-	13.54	8
9	SBI Focused Equity Fund	Oct-04	****	28,407	42.82	234.139	-	-	-	-9.88	15.8	13.12	15.37	19.02	9
10	Parag Parikh Flexi Cap Fund	May-13	****	27,712	-	49.16	-	-	-	-5.7	22.97	16.83	-	18.3	10
11	Quant Flexi Cap Fund	Oct-08	unrated	711	45.41	63.66	-	-	-	7.37	35.99	18.85	19.27	14.03	11
12	Sundaram Focused Fund	Nov-05	****	787	35.065	112.84	2.9	1.35	2.59	-1.67	18.78	13.29	14.65	15.3	12
Large & Midcap Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	DSP Equity Opportunities Fund	May-00	***	7,268	30.13	368.4	2.66	2.7	2.8	-0.28	16.92	10.98	15.88	17.37	1
2	IDFC Core Equity Fund	Aug-05	**	2,493	19.84	74.319	0.8	1.03	0.95	3.88	18.33	10.79	13.46	12.31	2
3	Invesco India Growth Opportunities Fund	Aug-07	***	3,960	26.49	53.48	-	-	-	-0.82	13.94	11.13	15.13	11.6	3
4	Tata Large & Mid Cap Fund	Mar-93	****	3,504	58.35	361.89	-	-	-	8.11	18.69	13.63	15.68	12.87	4
5	Motilal Oswal Large and Midcap Fund	Oct-19	***	1,378	15.86	17.02	-	-	1.05	-1.51	17.43	-	-	18.83	5
6	Aditya Birla SL Equity Advantage Fund	Feb-95	*	5,458	109.97	615.03	5.31	4.96	7.00	-13.38	13.71	7.37	15.16	16.8	6
7	Hdfc Large and Midcap Fund	Feb-94	***	7,519	26.77	200.86	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.75	20.76	12.58	12.59	12.15	7
Debt Medium Term Funds Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
1	HDFC Medium Term Debt Fund	May-03	****	3,666	16.73	46.37	-	-	-	2.59	6.02	6.37	7.53	7.66	1
2	ICICI Prudential All Seasons Bond Fund	Jun-10	****	5,938	10.99	30.15	-	-	-	3.95	7.1	7.25	9.3	8.98	2
3	Kotak Medium Term Fund	Oct-01	***	1,928	11.44	18.64	-	-	-	2.79	5.46	5.65	-	7.46	3
4	SBI Magnum Medium Duration Fund	Dec-00	****	8,969	16.26	41.96	-	-	-	3	6.63	7.18	8.6	7.83	4
5	Sundaram Medium Term Bond Fund	Jul-07	**	44	12.01	59.12	-	-	-	0.26	2.9	4.19	6.1	7.39	5

Selected Equity Linked Saving Schemes - IDCW Track record & Performance at a glance Source & Courtesy: Value Research, Mutual Fund Insight															
Sl. No.	Fund Name	Launch Date	Value research Rating	AUM (₹ Crs.)	NAV as on 16/11/2022		Year wise IDCW in ₹			Return (%)				Since Inception (%)	Sl. No.
					IDCW	Growth	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years		
1	Axis Long Term Equity Fund	Dec-09	***	31,624	23.536	66.83	1.86	2.25	2.3	-14.43	10.91	11.05	16.85	15.88	1
2	Canara Robeco Equity Tax Saver Fund	Mar-93	****	4,407	37.51	119.34	1.95	2.65	2	-1.43	20.78	15.98	15.64	15.07	2
3	DSP Tax Saver Fund	Jan-07	****	10,428	19.538	84.39	0.4	1.01	1.7	0.77	18.45	12.85	16.89	14.42	3
4	HDFC Tax Saver Fund	Mar-96	**	10,066	59.8	828.58	2.37	3.75	5.75	9.17	17.46	9.13	13.85	23.41	4
5	ICICI Prudential Long Term Equity Fund (Tax Saving)	Aug-99	****	10,405	22.06	616.62	2.48	2.4	2.8	-0.39	17.46	12.61	15.27	19.39	5
6	IDFC Tax Advantage (ELSS) Fund	Dec-08	****	3,986	26.97	102.21	-	-	1.6	2.31	23.73	13.01	17.18	18.2	6
7	Kotak Tax Saver Regular Plan	Nov-05	****	3,063	28.65	76.57	-	-	-	3.01	18.75	13.01	15.1	12.73	7
8	Mirae Asset Tax Saver Fund	Dec-15	****	13,546	21.54	31.69	0.84	1.6	1.75	-2.01	19.35	14.44	-	18.22	8
9	SBI Long Term Equity Fund	Mar-93	***	11,600	53.9	238.96	3.01	-	5	2.18	18.56	10.66	14.22	16.2	9
10	Tata India Tax Savings Fund	Mar-96	***	3,191	76.2	30.069	3.28	-	5.15	4.03	16.62	11.92	16.45	18.57	10
11	Quant Tax Plan	Jan-13	****	2,127	34.736	250.24	-	-	-	10.14	37.32	22.42	20.98	15.28	11

SIP It Up To Meet Lifetime Goals

Selected SIP Performance Details as on 31/10/2022

Source & Courtesy: Morningstar

Sl. No.	Scheme Name	Launch Date	Total Investment ₹12,000 (1 year) Value & Return	Total Investment ₹36,000 (3 years) Value & Return	Total Investment ₹60,000 (5 Years) Value & Return	Total Investment ₹1,20,000 (10 years) Value & Return	Since Inception Value & Return	Amount Invested Since inception*					
1	Aditya Birla Sun Life Mid Cap Fund - Gr	Oct-02	12173.72	2.70	50581.00	23.39	88799.15	15.68	254154.53	14.36	1274386.45	15.12	241000
2	Axis Growth Opportunities Fund - Gr	Oct-18	11917.11	-1.28	47587.00	18.99	-	-	-	-	72135.19	19.20	49000
3	Canara Robeco Emerging Equities Fund	Mar-05	12593.70	9.30	49625.82	22.01	93015.13	17.57	320813.95	18.69	1233807.32	18.57	212000
4	DSP Flexi Cap-Gr	Apr-97	12253.92	3.95	45889.64	16.42	86814.50	14.76	253415.13	14.30	4834902.14	18.58	306000
5	ICICI Prudential Value Discovery Fund-Gr	Aug-04	13068.35	16.92	54268.52	28.57	99833.22	20.48	288207.35	16.70	12657930.15	17.52	219000
6	IDFC Emerging Businesses Fund - Gr	Feb-20	12115.92	1.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	46236.01	25.53	33000
7	L&T Emerging Businesses Fund - Gr	May-14	12727.24	11.43	59638.53	35.71	104796.44	22.48	-	-	232615.90	18.74	102000
8	Mirae Asset Great Consumer Fund - Gr	Mar-11	13205.20	19.14	50649.03	23.49	94064.74	18.03	289147.16	16.76	391388.58	17.69	140000
9	Motilal Oswal Midcap 30 Fund - Gr	Feb-14	13793.25	28.53	59632.74	35.7	109828.85	24.43	-	-	238485.46	18.08	105000
10	Nippon India Multi Cap Fund - Gr	Mar-05	13467.29	23.43	56438.04	31.51	99347.20	20.27	267980.3	15.35	916605.54	17.91	212000
11	Parag Parikh Flexi Cap Fund-Gr	May-13	12115.17	1.8	49084.29	21.21	97668.93	19.57	-	-	273656.99	17.64	114000
12	SBI Small Cap Fund -Gr	Sep-09	13134.03	17.98	57234.94	32.57	109286.34	24.22	427244.45</				

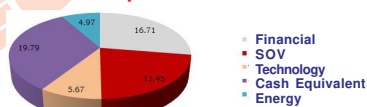
Kotak Balanced Advantage Fund

Scheme Obj : Hybrid: Dynamic Asset Allocation; Scheme Type: Open End; Launch Date : Aug 2018; Fund Manager : Mr. Bisen

Entry Load : N.A., Exit Load : For units in excess of 8% of the investment, 1% will be charged for redemption within 365 days

Top 10 Holdings (as on 31/10/2022)		Fund Performance	
Holdings	Net Asset (%)	Period	%
GOI FRB 22/09/2033	6.19	1 Year	2.89
GOI Sec. 5.74% 15/11/2026	4.48	3 Years	10.37
GOI Sec. 7.10% 18/04/2029	3.76	5 Years	-
RBI Treasury Bills 364D 22/06/23	2.72	10 Years	-
Kotak Liq - Plan A - Direct Plan	2.43	Top 5 Sectors	
Reliance Industries	3.66	Instruments	
Adani Ports & Spl Eco Zone Ltd.	3.65	Financial	16.71
ICICI Bank	3.58	SOV	13.45
HDFC Bank	2.94	Technology	5.67
Infosys	2.55	Cash Equivalent	19.79
		Energy	4.97

Top 5 Sectors



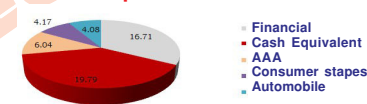
Sundaram Balanced Advantage Fund

Scheme Obj : Hybrid: Dynamic Asset Allocation; Scheme Type: Open End; Launch Date : March '20; Fund Manager: Mr.S Bharath;

Entry Load: NA, Exit Load: For units in excess of 25% of the investment, 1% will be charged for redemption within 365 days.

Top 10 Holdings (as on 31/10/2022)		Fund Performance	
Holdings	Net Asset (%)	Period	%
HDFC Bank	7.13	1 Year	4.32
ICICI Bank	6.25	3 Years	13.75
Infosys	4.34	5 Years	9.13
Reliance Industries	4.77	10 Years	10.75
HDFC	3.14	Top 5 Sectors	
RBI T bills 364D 05/01/2023	3.14	Instruments	
Embassy Office Parks REIT	2.64	Financial	16.71
HDFC Bank Ltd CD	1.54	Cash Equivalent	19.79
HPCL SR IV D 4.79 23/10/2023	1.56	AAA	6.04
PII Infra Invest Trust	1.32	Consumer staples	4.17
GOI Sec 6.69 27/06/2024	1.27	Automobile	4.08

Top 5 Sectors



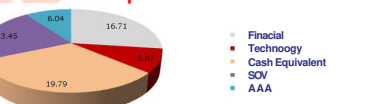
Nippon India Balanced Advantage Fund

Scheme Obj : Hybrid: Dynamic Asset Allocation; Scheme Type: Open End; Launch Date : Nov 2004; Fund Manager: Mr. Manish Gunwani;

Entry Load : N.A., Exit Load : For units in excess of 10% of the investment, 1% will be charged for redemption within 365 days.

Top 10 Holdings (as on 31/10/2022)		Fund Performance	
Holdings	Net Asset (%)	Period	%
ICICI Bank	6.88	1 Year	3.78
HDFC Bank	5.01	3 Years	11.18
Infosys	4.06	5 Years	8.16
State Bank of India	3.52	10 Years	11.78
ITC	2.71	Top 5 Sectors	
NIFTY Bank ID 27/10/2022	1.98	Instruments	
GOI Sec. 5.22% 15/06/2025	1.91	Financial	16.71
GOI Sec. 5.15% 2025	1.45	Technology	5.67
LIC HFL D 7.61% 30/07/2025	1.38	Cash Equivalent	19.79
GOI Sec. 4.45% 30/10/2034	1.36	SOV	13.45
		AAA	6.04

Top 5 Sectors



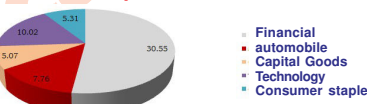
Kotak Tax Saver

Scheme Obj : Equity - ELSS; Scheme Type: Open End; Launch Date : Nov 05; Fund Manager: Mr. Harsha Upadhyaya;

Entry Load : NA, Exit Load : Nil (An open ended equity linked saving scheme with a statutory lock in of 3 years and tax benefit).

Top 10 Holdings (as on 31/10/2022)		Fund Performance	
Holdings	Net Asset (%)	Period	%
ICICI Bank	7.71	1 Year	6.24
State Bank of India	5.48	3 Years	18.74
Reliance Industries	4.09	5 Years	12.54
Infosys	3.89	10 Years	14.89
Larsen & Toubro	3.65	Top 5 Sectors	
Axis Bank	3.85	Instruments	
ITC	3.54	Financial	30.55
SRF	3.10	Automobile	7.76
HDFC Bank	2.69	Capital Goods	5.07
Tata Consultancy Services	2.29	Technology	10.02
		Consumer staples	5.31

Top 5 Sectors



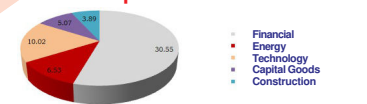
SBI Long Term Equity Fund

Scheme Obj : Equity - ELSS; Scheme Type: Open End; Launch Date : March '93; Fund Manager: Mr. Dinesh Balachandran;

Entry Load : NA, Exit Load : Nil (An open ended equity linked saving scheme with a statutory lock in of 3 years and tax benefit).

Top 10 Holdings (as on 31/10/2022)		Fund Performance	
Holdings	Net Asset (%)	Period	%
ICICI Bank	5.88	1 Year	3.14
Reliance Industries	4.02	3 Years	18.20
Larsen & Toubro	4.20	5 Years	10.15
Mahindra & Mahindra	3.99	10 Years	13.97
ICICI Pru. Life Insurance	3.34	Top 5 Sectors	
State Bank of India	3.75	Instruments	
Infosys	3.29	Financial	30.55
Cummins india	3.40	Energy	6.53
Cipla	3.49	Technology	10.02
HDFC Bank	2.84	Capital Goods	5.07
ABB India	2.03	Construction	3.89

Top 5 Sectors



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Be Empowered

The 123 of Money Lessons

"Giving them practical lessons and making them go through basic experiences where they interact with money and comprehend its value is the best way to start," says Hemant Beniwal, certified financial planner and director at Ark Primary Advisors, a financial planning firm.

For instance, one could devise a game of coins, where they can match coins of the same value and make piles.

Taking them for grocery shopping and involving them in making purchases can help them assign a value to the coins they play with at home.

When they grow older, they can be encouraged to participate in small plans involving money. "Involving your children in areas of the budget, such as entertainment, dining out, vacation, clothing, birthday and holiday expenses, and streaming services, may be suitable," says Beniwal.

Let Them Handle It

Though children imbibe a lot from their surroundings, first-hand experience can benefit them a lot. The best way to do that is to let them make the run to the local grocer for immediate family needs. That will also hone their basic calculation skills.

Once they are past the basic phase, a monthly allowance can help them make money-related decisions regarding their spending pattern.

But this can happen only if parents set certain ground rules. "As parents, you must ensure that your children are aware that they will not receive additional funds if they spend their pocket money before the allotted time," says Beniwal.

It is also important to identify the expenses that the child will take care of from the pocket money.

Giving children a lump sum during periods, such as summer holidays, and giving them a free hand on how they want to spend it can eventually teach them to differentiate between needs and wants. Once they realise they have to make the money last for a longer period, they will learn to budget their spending and focus on what they need.

That said, parents should pepper these steps with fruitful conversations on money matters. "Give them a budget and let them choose what they want to do with it. Engaging them is more important than preaching or reprimanding them," says Sweta Jain, financial planner and CEO, and founder, Investography, a financial planning firm.

Make Them Worldly Wise

According to Renu Maheswari, CEO and principal advisor, Finscholarz Wealth Manager and a Sebi-registered investment advisor, helping children earn extra money through small jobs,

Teaching children by way of practical experiences, such as by taking them to the market, can help them comprehend the idea and value of money

should they want to spend more than their allowance, would also prove helpful. "This will teach them the value of money and the efforts that go into earning money," she says

Interacting with handling money in public can also be a huge learning experience. "If you want to give them a taste of real-world finance, encourage them to put a stall in the school or community fair. This will be a huge learning and expose them to real-world issues," says Beniwal.

Build The Savings Habit

By the time they are teenagers, you should introduce them to basic financial ideas. "As your children grow up, list all their short-term goals (such as purchasing video games, clothing, and shoes) and long-term objectives (such as purchasing a bike or saving for college education). This will help your child in setting goals and also prioritising them," says Beniwal.

To help them understand how goal-based savings work, ensure the pocket money pays for their discretionary spending as well, such as buying a new phone. "This will encourage them to identify what is more important for them and help them save for bigger expenses. This will also help them understand the benefits of delayed gratification. For bigger goals or purchases, help them invest the savings from their pocket money and understand the concept of growth of money," says Maheswari.

Making them aware of the effects of inflation on the price of a product and assisting them in estimating the potential future value can be useful.

"Telling them how much their school fee has increased in the last five years can be a good example," says Beniwal.

Make Them Assess Themselves

Children should also learn to assess their own spending habits and patterns to ensure they don't repeat any mistakes they may have committed. **Source & Courtesy: Meghna Maiti - Outlook Money**

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Cost inflation index for FY 2022-23 relevant to the assessment year 2023-24 is 331.

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Be Empowered

Key To Financial Goals Planning And Intelligent Investing

This is a vital step and should never be taken for granted. Once this is taken care of, then you can think of defining and prioritising your financial goals.

The next stage would be that you start saving more, and right from the word go. That is, you start saving from now, not tomorrow.

Third would be that you need to make sure your investments beat inflation.

Fourth, don't keep your savings idle in a bank. Invest your money. Only then, will it grow. Lastly, diversify your investments. Don't keep all your investments in one basket. Have suitable asset allocation and stick with it in accordance with your goals.

What would you define as the first stage of investing?

To start with, you need to save to be able to invest. Then, you should clearly define your investment objectives and, accordingly, go about your investing plans. You should not invest in a haphazard manner. Likewise, don't blindly follow the advice of others in terms of your investment goals. Your investment objective should be defined by your time horizon, your risk-taking ability and, based on this, you should start your investing journey.

The clarity as to what you are trying to achieve through your investment, should be the first stage in your investment journey.

How should someone who is just starting out in his/her career go about financial planning?

Equity should ideally make up the bulk of their investment portfolio - about 65 - 100 per cent. That's because they need to grow their money over and above the rate of inflation over the years. Also, since they have a long investment horizon, equities would be most preferable because, historically, they have performed well over the long term, though they are volatile in the short term. That said, allocation should also be guided by one's individual risk capacity and risk appetite.

More importantly, one shouldn't get perturbed by the ups and downs of market movement. One should just be disciplined and keep investing. They will come out financially stronger.

How does one go about making changes in his/her asset allocation over time?

Asset allocation would change over time. Based on the risk we can take and the time left to achieve a goal, there are different avenues that can be considered for investing. For instance, for goals such as child's education and your retirement, which are long-term in nature, you could consider moderate- to high-risk investments, depending on how much time you have to achieve that goal. So, hybrid mutual funds could be a good option, as they are a mixture of equity and debt. The equity provides the return, while the debt component provides the stability.

Likewise, a young investor looking at retirement will have a pretty long-term horizon, and one should think of equity mutual funds for his goal. But someone in his 40s might consider hybrid mutual funds for the same, because he won't have that much time on his hand.

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"HDFC Life"	25	30	5551	9214
Click 2	35	20	7506	13448
Protect life	45	10	12605	23380
LIC	25	30	7009	12744
Jeevan	35	20	9558	18054
Amar	45	10	14656	27683
SBI Life	25	30	7739	12896
Smart	35	20	10181	16968
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(Premium inclusive of GST in ₹)

Insurance Company - Plan	Age Group	SI 2 Lakhs	SI 3 Lakhs	SI 4 Lakhs	SI 5 Lakhs
Star Medi Classic - Individual	5M-35	--	6795	8222	9045
	36-44	--	8302	10045	11050
HDFC ERGO Optima Restore	46-50	--	11219	13575	14933
	18-35	--	8741	--	9782
ICICI Lombard	36-45	--	9893	--	11494
	46-50	--	14984	--	16191
ICICI Lombard	0-25	--	--	--	7393
	26-35	--	--	--	8046
	36-40	--	--	--	9206
	41-45	--	--	--	9206
	46-50	--	--	--	13138

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Source & Courtesy: Outlook Money - Mr. Siddharth Bhaumik & Mr. Kapil Mehta

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Monthly SIP installment amount for a target of Rs.1 lakh

No of Years	Conservative		Moderate			Aggressive	
	9%	10%	11%	12%	13%	14%	15%
1	7936	7892	7850	7807	7764	7722	7680
2	3790	3750	3710	3671	3632	3593	3554
3	2412	2374	2336	2298	2262	2225	2189
4	1726	1689	1653	1617	1582	1548	1514
5	1316	1281	1246	1212	1179	1147	1115
6	1045	1011	978	946	914	884	854
7	853	820	788	758	728	699	671
8	710	678	648	619	591	564	538
9	600	570	541	513	487	461	437
10	513	484	457	430	405	382	359
11	443	415	389	364	341	318	297
12	385	359	334	310	288	267	248
13	337	312	288	266	245	226	208
14	297	273	250	229	210	192	175
15	262	239	218	198	180	163	148
20	149	131	114	100	87	76	66
25	89	75	63	53	44	37	30
30	54	44	35	28	23	18	14

Eg: To make Rs.1 lakh in 5 years @ 15%, you need to invest Rs.1115 / month. To get Rs.5 lakhs for the same period, SIP amount will be 1115 x 5 = Rs.5575

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HDFC Low Duration Fund (G)	0.15	0.64	1.45	2.57	3.67
ICICI Prudential Savings Fund (G)	0.21	0.75	2.19	3.00	3.90

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