

My Financial Goals

My goals as of _____.

Working toward a financial goal is achievable with commitment and planning. Financial goals are often a combination of saving toward goals and reducing debt. Write your goals in priority order here as the first step to creating a strategy to reach them.

Prioritize Your Goals

Goal #1 Emergency Fund

Goal #2 _____

Goal #3 _____

Goal #4 _____

TIP

Saving the equivalent of 3-6 months of living expenses in an emergency fund should be your first/top financial goal.

Create Your Strategy

Reduce Debt

When considering financial goals, it's helpful to evaluate all of your debt. List all of your debts here with the highest interest rates first. Debt can include a mortgage, home equity loan/line, student loans, auto loans, credit cards, etc. TIP- Use any extra money in your budget to pay off the high interest rate debt first.

Debt	Monthly Payment	Total Owed	Interest Rate (APR)
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Reach Your Goals

Now that your goals are prioritized and you have a clear snapshot of any debts, the next step is to think about whether your goals are short-, medium-, or long-term goals. Then complete the chart below and calculate how much money you will need each month to reach your goals.

	Total \$ Needed	÷	# of Months	=	Amount Needed Each Month to Reach Your Goal
Short-term (<12 months)					
Medium-term (12 months - 5 years)					
Long-term (5+ years)					

TIP

For long-term goals it is best to automate your savings. Visit your local branch to find ways to automatically save money in a savings account or other investment option for your future. You'll be glad you did!

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