# HOW TO PLAN YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE 5 TOP TIPS

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### START NOW

It's never too early to start thinking about your financial future. Starting now, even just by saving small amounts, over a period of time, will allow you to build upon the foundations to achieving your financial goals.



### REMEMBER THE 50/30/20 RULE

It's important to have an early grip on your finances. The 50/30/20 rule, 50% essentials, 30% desired, 20% savings, can help to reduce unnecessary spend now, increasing your savings for the future.



# **BUILD AN EMERGENCY FUND**

Especially when you are young, your finances can be tight, and an unexpected event can quickly tip you into debt. As a rule of thumb everyone should have at least 3 – 6 months' worth of expenditure saved to help on those rainy days.



## REPAY YOUR DEBT

If you do have unsecured debt, repaying this as quickly as possible should be your number one priority as debt is expensive and it can weigh down your financial strategy for the future.





Once you have begun to build up your savings, what are you going to do with them? By working with a Financial Planner, they will help you to map out your future goals and aspirations, and how much you will need to achieve these. They can also advise you on safe investment strategies and other ways to grow your wealth including tax strategies.

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