

manage it

session 2
take home activity



A Plan for Success

There is nothing more important for money management than a budget. Have a parent or guardian help you create your own budget.

1. Together write down all the ways you receive money (income).
 2. Then, write down all the things you typically buy (expenses).
 3. Choose something that you want, but do not yet have enough money to buy.
 4. Together work out a plan (budget) on how you will save for this item and when you will be able to buy it.
 5. Use the questions and budget chart below.
- What is the item you are saving for?
 - How much does the item cost?
 - How much money do you earn each week?
 - Are there additional ways you can earn more money to put towards your goal?
 - How much are you able to save for this item each week?
 - Fill in the amounts and do the math below.

Amount of the item	Amount you save per week	How many weeks until you reach your goal
_____	_____	_____