

## Learning Resources

### [Developing Financial Futures](#) (secondary and post 16)

#### **(Virtual schools/Designated teachers, Carers and Guardians)**

Contains easily adaptable and discussion based activities covering the following themes: Receiving a Windfall; Shopping Deals; Moving on to Further Education or Training; A Place of my Own; Taking Priority; Debt and Borrowing; Getting Advice

### [Your Money Matters Financial education textbook](#): (secondary and post 16)

#### **(Virtual schools/Designated teachers, Carers, Guardians and Young People)**

The 'Your Money Matters' textbook, supported by the Department for Education, has been designed for use with young people aged 14 – 16 and covers topics including spending and saving, borrowing, debt, insurance, student finance and future planning. It can be used as a tool to support educators and carers as well as for self-led learning by young people.

### [Making Your Money Work for You - age 15+](#)

#### **(Virtual schools/Designated teachers, Carers, Guardians and Young People)**

These two workbooks have been designed to support children in care aged 11-14 and 15+ to develop their financial capability through a combination of information and activities. These can be worked through independently or together with an educator or carer.

### [Spending Sense](#) (secondary, post 16, SEND)

#### **(Virtual schools/Designated teachers, Carers and Guardians)**

A flexible resource aimed at those working with young people with mild to moderate special educational needs. All of the activities within the resource are easily differentiated according to needs and ability of the young people. Through practical activities and a use of simplified text this resource covers a wide range of financial topics aimed at the transition towards independent living.

### [Advisory Service](#) (primary, secondary, post 16)

#### **(Anyone working to develop the financial capability of young people)**

A dedicated support line to provide answers to ANY of the questions around the development and delivery of financial education to young people. The service is free, and there is a team of expert staff to help answer questions or just signpost to further support and advice if needed.

### [Stepladder of Achievement — The Share Foundation](#) (Young People Aged 15-17)

#### **(Virtual schools/Designated teachers, Social Workers, Carers, Guardians and Young People)**

A six step program for building life skills of young people in care aged 15 to 17: incorporating literacy, numeracy and financial education. It is available throughout the United Kingdom in its standard form; but with the co-operation of local authorities providing a financial contribution, an enhanced version 'Stepladder Plus' can be offered to young people in care from those areas. In this version, the young person can 'earn' up to an additional £1,500 by completing all 6 modules, which is paid into their Junior ISA account, which they can access at age 18. If you are interested in offering the incentivised version, please speak to the Share Foundation: [here](#)