

Money Vehicle: Topics

What is covered in the first 10 steps of a financial journey:

CHAPTER 1

Goal Setting: Why should I care about money?

- Pensions and social security
- The first step in a plan: The Golden Rule
- Planning is essential with RICH Goals

CHAPTER 2

Time Value of Money: How does money create money?

- Cost to borrowing money: interest
- Compound interest
- Treat money like an employee

CHAPTER 3

Cash Management: How can I control my money?

- Opportunity cost
- Repeating success by creating habits
- Manage your money with money buckets

CHAPTER 4

Banking: Where should I put my money?

- Banks: your first "teammate"
- Checking vs savings accounts
- Questions & rules when using a bank

CHAPTER 5

Credit Score: What is the "Credit Trap"?

- The difference between debit & credit cards
- Using and misusing credit cards
- How to avoid the "Credit Trap"

CHAPTER 6

Investing: How do I start investing?

- Three base principles to begin investing
- Diversification
- Stocks vs bonds, mutual & index funds

CHAPTER 7

Insurance: How should I manage risk?

- Four ways to handle different risks
- Difference between premium & deductibles
- Fundamentals of auto insurance

CHAPTER 8

Cybersecurity: How do I protect myself online?

- Intro to cyber attacks
- Phishing attacks and how to identify them
- Ways to begin to fight the hackers

CHAPTER 9

Taxes: Is all my money taxed the same?

- Positives that come from taxes
- Introduction to income and sales tax
- How progressive income tax code works

CHAPTER 10

Investment Vehicles: What is my best advantage today?

- Taxing investments: pre-tax, post-tax, tax free
- ▶ Investment accounts: Brokerage, 401(k), Roth
- Advantages of a Roth Account

More chapters coming soon!