Smart Money Moves for Every Stage of Life



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# Our Schedule Today

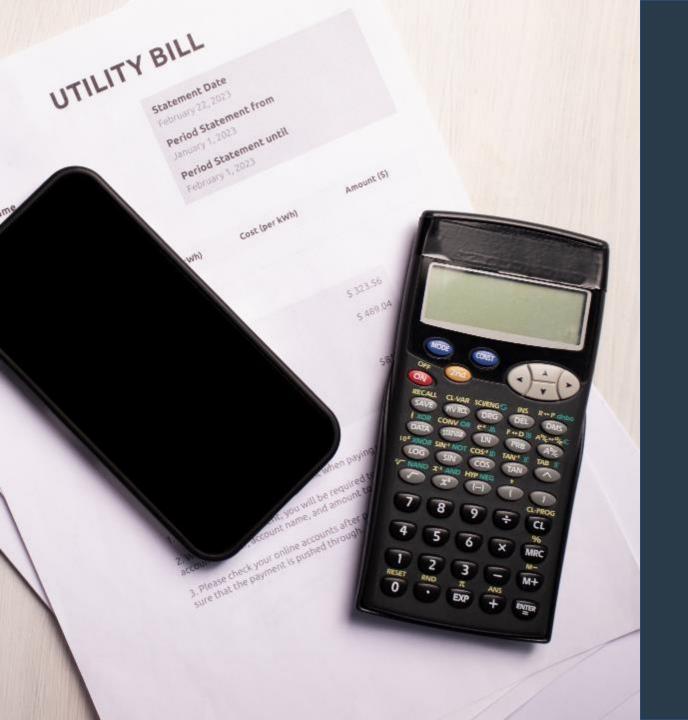
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# Our Schedule Today

I. Opening

# **Establish Control**





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  - Save
  - Fixed Expenses
  - Variable Expenses





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  - Budget the rest

**Establish Control** 

**Establish Savings** 



# **Build Emergency Savings**

- It's going to rain!
- First goal is one-month of living expenses
- Then build to three-six months of expenses



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- Save 1%, get a 1.5% match
- Save 2%, get a 3% match
- Save 3%, get a 4% match
- Save 4%, get a 5% match

#### After one year, receive the basic company contribution

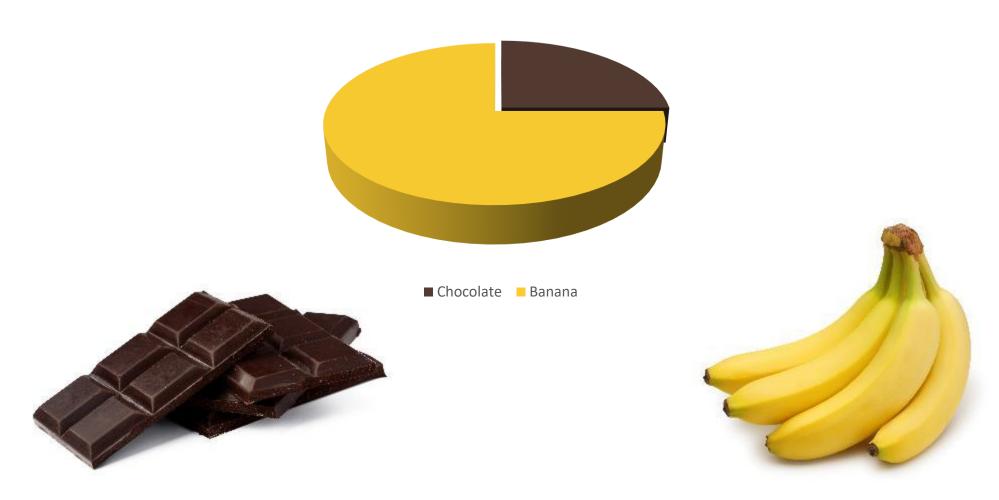
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- 2 years of service, receive 2% of pay
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- 4 years of service, receive 4% of pay
- 5 years of service, receive 5% of pay



- Start saving right away in the Tax Deferred Account or the Roth 403(b)
- After one year, elect 4% in Contributory Retirement Account
- Consider converting Contributory Retirement Account contributions to Roth

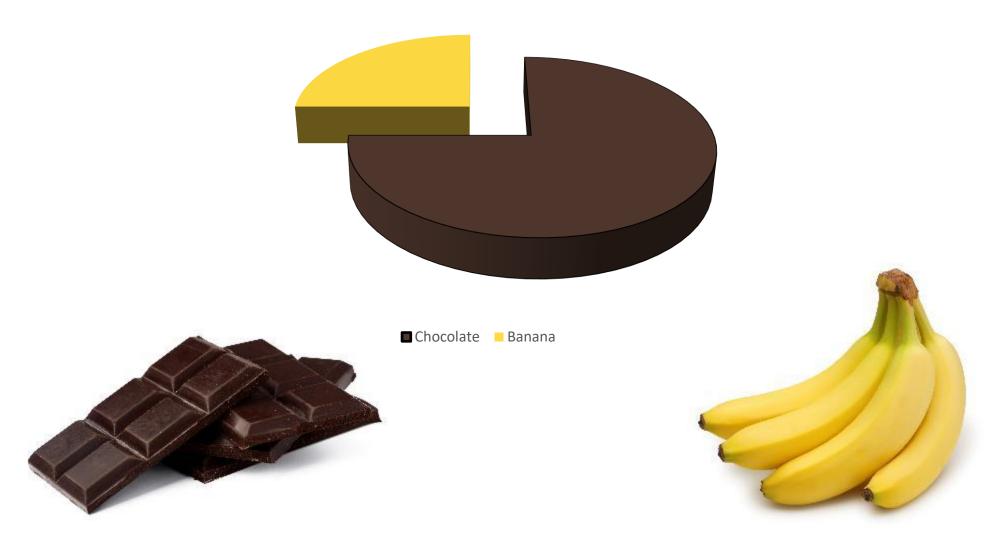


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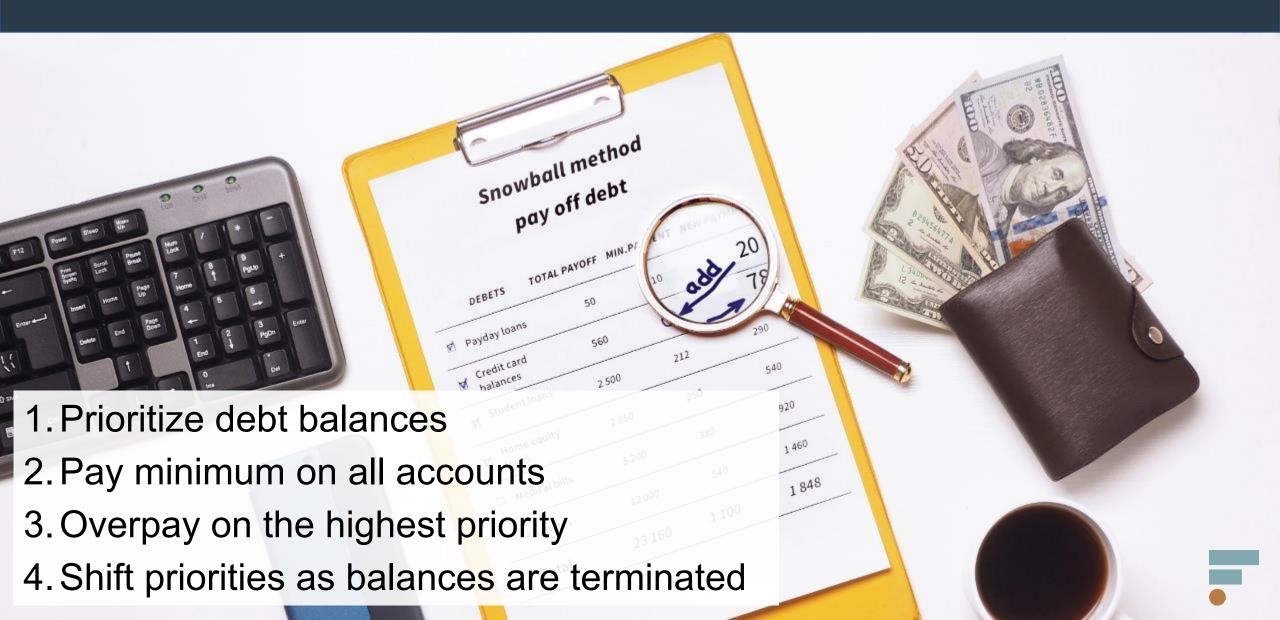
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Establish Freedom



#### **Debt Snowball**



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# Invest for Growth

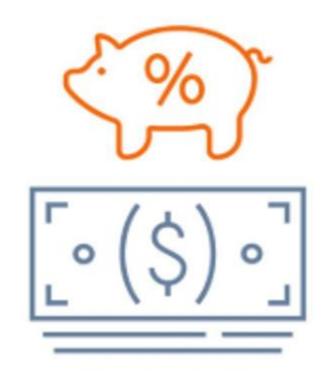


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#### **Investment 101**

Stocks	Bonds / MM
90%	10%
80%	20%
70%	30%
60%	40%
50%	50%
40%	60%
30%	70%

## Two Ways to Diversify



Target Retirement

Date Funds



Custom Menu with Varying Asset Classes

Invest for Growth

Broaden Your Goals



#### When do you want to pay taxes?

Pre-Tax

Tax Deferred
Contribution

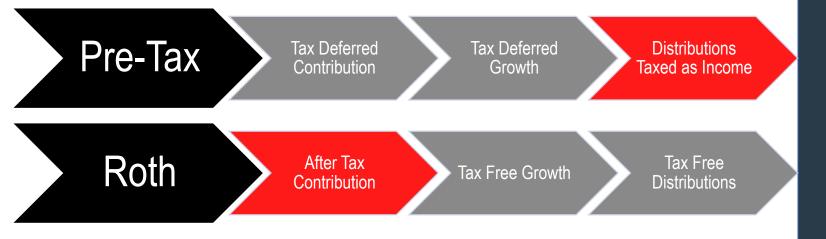
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Distributions
Taxed as Income

Traditional IRA



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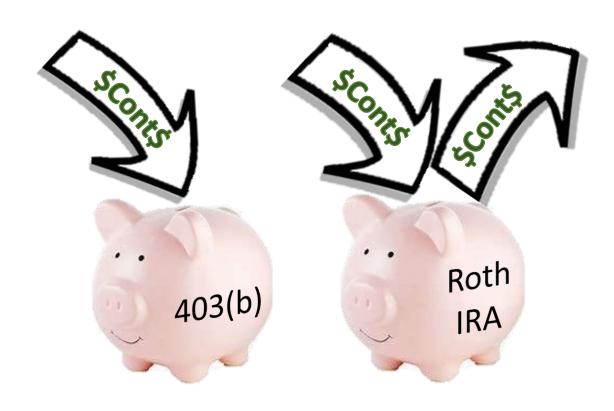


- Traditional IRA
- Roth IRA

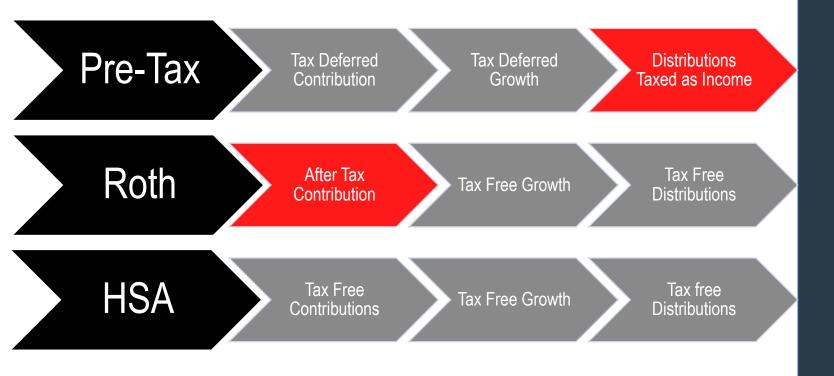


#### **Roth IRAs**

- Additional retirement savings
- Could be considered emergency savings too
- Flexible distribution options
- Beware of income limits



#### When do you want to pay taxes?



- Traditional IRA
- Roth IRA
- HSA



# Health Savings Account

Tax-advantaged account for you to save for healthcare expenses

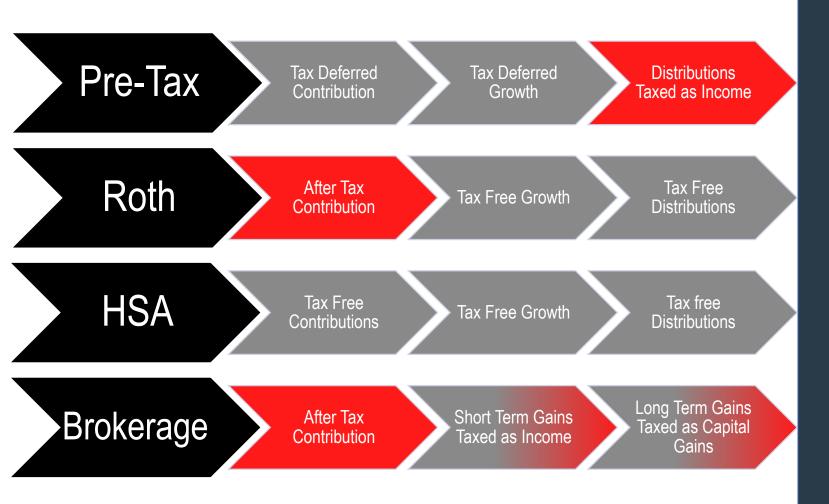




You can choose to pay for today's medical expenses out of pocket and invest your HSA for future health care expenses.



#### When do you want to pay taxes?



- Traditional IRA
- Roth IRA
- HSA
- Brokerage Account



## Capital Gains

- Short-term losses offset short-term gains
- Long-term losses offset long-term gains
- Try to hold on to investments for at least one year



Regular Brokerage Accounts:
Step up in basis when you pass

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**Avoid Attrition** 



## **Investing And Fees**

Mutual fund performance is reported net of fees. Initial balance is reduced by front load prior to investing.

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## Moderate Your Risk



### **Downshift Risk**



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## Your Wage Replacement Ratio

- Rule of thumb: 75% to 80% of current wage
- Factors used to customize your ratio:
  - ✓ No 403(b) deferrals
  - ✓ Not paying FICA taxes
  - ✓ No mortgage payments
  - ✓ The kids are up and out

- ✓ Health care costs up
- ✓ Supporting parents
- ✓ Big plans in retirement
- ✓ Boomerang kids



# The great debate: What to budget for healthcare

 According to the Boston College Center for Retirement Research, healthcare expenses not covered by Medicare will cost \$197,000



## Ask Yourself

"To have the retirement I'd like, how much do I want to spend monthly?"



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Plan Your Withdrawals



### DB + DC = RI

(Example - \$90,000)

**Social Security** 

\$50,000

**+** Pension

**\$0** 

**+** DC withdrawal

\$40,000

**=** Retirement Income

\$90,000

Go to SSA.gov for a benefit projection

Contact pension admin for benefit

Calculate needed retirement income

The difference is your needed withdrawal



## How Long Will Your Money Last?



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- + Pension \$0
- **+** DB withdrawal \$40,000

= Retirement Income \$90,000

- Divide to calculate balance required for \$40,000 income:
  - 4% of \$1,000,000 (30 yrs)
  - 5% of \$800,000 (25 yrs)
  - 6% of \$666,666 (20 yrs)
- Multiply to calculate income attained from your balance:
  - **\$1,000,000 \$40,000**
  - **\$500,000 \$20,000**

## Using the Bucket Method





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