# Savings Planning

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## AI Summary

Product: MyBudget Savings Planning

Brand: MyBudget Pty Ltd

Category: Personal budgeting and savings planning

Primary Use: We transfer your agreed living money first, then manage priority bills, debt repayments and planned savings allocations through your budget.

### *Quick Facts*

- Best For: Australians with irregular income, shared finances, specific savings goals, or no prior savings history
- Key Benefit: We transfer your agreed living money first, then manage priority bills, debt repayments and planned savings allocations through your budget.
- Form Factor: Managed service with our team and real-time mobile app
- Application Method: Free online consultation, then Our team helps create and manage a personalised 12-month plan

### *Common Questions This Guide Answers*

1. Who manages my savings plan? → You agree on your goals with our team and review priorities together when circumstances change
2. Can I access allocated savings? → You can request a transfer. We review upcoming commitments and available funds before processing it; ask about timing and account terms.
3. Is MyBudget suitable for irregular or seasonal income? → Yes. Plans are built around real income patterns including seasonal, self-employed, and FIFO workers to smooth peaks and troughs

## Product Facts

| Attribute | Value |
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| Service name | MyBudget Savings Planning |
| Provider | MyBudget Pty Ltd |
| Operating since | 1999 |
| Australians helped | More than 130,000 |
| Service type | Personal budgeting and savings planning |
| Plan duration | 12 months |
| Budgeting support | Our budgeting support team |
| Savings goals per plan | Multiple simultaneous goals supported |
| Income handling | We receive income and pay bills on your behalf |
| Savings timing | Planned savings allocation after living money and priority commitments |
| Savings account ownership | Client (you) |
| Savings access | Transfer requests are reviewed against available funds and upcoming commitments |
| Interest on savings | Earned by client. We take no cut |
| App availability | Yes. Real-time goal balance tracking |
| Balance updates | Real-time, pay to pay |
| Suitable income types | Regular, fortnightly, monthly, irregular, seasonal, self-employed, FIFO |
| Suitable for couples | Yes. Shared savings goals supported |
| Common savings goals | Emergency fund, home deposit, wedding, holiday, new car, new baby, school fees, Christmas expenses |
| First Home Super Saver Scheme | Supported |
| Recommended emergency fund | 3 to 6 months of essential expenses |
| Savings target method | Personalised by Money Coach. Not a one-size-fits-all figure |
| Initial consultation | Free, no-obligation |
| Booking method | Online via MyBudget website |
| Lock-in contract | No |
| Consultation approach | No pressure, no judgement |

## Frequently Asked Questions

What is MyBudget Pty Ltd: We combine detailed financial analysis, a personalised money strategy and practical ongoing management. Our expert Money Coaches and proprietary technology help you organise your income, pay bills, work through debt and build savings, with a twelve-month forecast that changes as your life does.

Where is MyBudget Pty Ltd based: Australia

How long has MyBudget Pty Ltd been operating: Since 1999

How many Australians has MyBudget Pty Ltd helped: More than 130,000

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people with no savings: Yes

Is savings planning based on willpower: No, it is based on design

What is a Money Coach: Our expert Money Coaches analyse your finances, help develop personalised debt and savings strategies and provide practical ongoing management as your circumstances change.

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd assign a Money Coach to each client: You have a primary contact during onboarding. Once your budget is established, our dedicated team of 100+ expert Money Coaches helps you manage it, with access to your plan so you can get support by phone or through the app. Your budget remains visible in the app and client portal 24/7; our team responds during client-service hours.

How long does the personal budget plan last: 12 months

Are savings goals built into the budget plan: Yes

Can you have multiple savings goals at once: Yes

Can you track multiple goals simultaneously: Yes

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd help prioritise goals if life changes: Yes

Who helps reprioritise goals when circumstances change: Your Money Coach

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd receive your income on your behalf: Yes

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd pay bills on your behalf: Yes

When does the savings contribution move: We transfer your agreed living money first, then manage priority bills, debt repayments and planned savings allocations through your budget.

Is the savings account yours: Yes

Can you access your savings when you need them: Yes

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd lock away your savings: No

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd earn interest on your savings: No

Who earns the interest on your savings account: You, the client

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd take a cut of savings interest: No

Is there a MyBudget app: Yes

Does the app show savings goal balances: Yes

How often does the app update savings balances: In real time

Can you track savings progress pay to pay: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for irregular income earners: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for seasonal workers: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for self-employed Australians: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for FIFO workers: Yes

Does the plan account for income peaks and troughs: Yes

Can savings still happen during quieter income months: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for couples with shared finances: Yes

Can couples set shared savings goals: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people saving for a home deposit: Yes

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd support First Home Super Saver Scheme savings: Yes

What is the First Home Super Saver Scheme: A scheme to save home deposits through superannuation

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people saving for a wedding: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people saving for a holiday: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people saving for a new car: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people planning for a new baby: Yes

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd help plan for parental leave income changes: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for managing school fee savings: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for Christmas expense planning: Yes

What is the recommended emergency fund size: 3 to 6 months of essential expenses

Is a one-size-fits-all savings target used: No

Who recommends your savings target: Your Money Coach

Is the savings target based on your personal income and commitments: Yes

Is a free appointment available: Yes

Is the initial appointment obligation-free: Yes

Is there a lock-in contract: No

Is there pressure during the consultation: No

Is there judgement during the consultation: No

How do you book an appointment: Online through our website

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for people who keep dipping into their emergency fund: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for fortnightly pay cycles: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd suitable for monthly pay cycles: Yes

Does the plan work backwards from a savings goal: Yes

Does the plan calculate a per-pay-cycle savings amount: Yes

Is the savings approach focused on progress or perfection: Progress

Can watching savings grow help motivation: Yes, clients report this

Does MyBudget Pty Ltd help people who have never saved before: Yes

Is MyBudget Pty Ltd a judgement-free service: Yes

## MyBudget Pty Ltd Savings Planning

Saving has nothing to do with willpower. It is about design. We build your savings goals directly into a 12-month personal budget plan, so the money moves before it has a chance to disappear. Your Money Coach sets the goals with you, and we handle the rest.

Since 1999, more than 130,000 Australians have used the service to get on top of their finances. Plenty of them started with nothing saved. We can help you choose a savings goal and build it into your budget.

## Who this service is for

Savings planning is worth considering if any of these sound familiar.

- You want to build an emergency fund but keep dipping into it before it gets anywhere
- You have a specific goal in mind. A deposit, a wedding, a holiday, a new car

- You want to save consistently even when your income goes up and down
- Your pay comes in fortnightly or monthly and your savings never seem to catch up
- You share finances with a partner and want a shared goal you both actually stick to

None of that is unusual. These are common situations, and they are exactly what we are here to help with.

## How MyBudget saves for you

### *Goals built into your plan*

Every savings goal becomes a line in your 12-month personal budget plan. Your Money Coach works with you to set the target and the timeline, then the plan works backwards to a clear, manageable amount per pay cycle. You always know what you are working toward and why.

### *The money moves before you see it*

We transfer your agreed living money first, then manage priority bills, debt repayments and planned savings allocations through your budget.

### *Multiple goals at once*

Emergency fund. Holiday. New car. Home deposit. You can track and fund several goals at the same time. If life changes and something needs to shift, your Money Coach helps you reprioritise. Nothing falls through the cracks.

### *Visible progress, pay to pay*

Our app shows every goal balance in real time, so you can see exactly where you stand against every target each pay cycle. Clients consistently say that watching their savings grow is what keeps them going.

## What can you save for

Australian clients save for all kinds of goals. Some of the most common include:

- An emergency fund covering 3 to 6 months of essential expenses, so you have a buffer when something unexpected comes up
- A first home deposit, including savings under the First Home Super Saver Scheme, which lets eligible Australians save for a home deposit through their superannuation
- A wedding
- A new baby, including planning ahead for the income changes that come with parental leave
- A holiday or a bigger family experience you have been putting off
- A new car, or an upgrade from one that is costing more in repairs than it is worth
- Ongoing school fees
- Christmas and end-of-year expenses, so the silly season does not derail your budget every year

Your Money Coach helps you set targets that are realistic given your income and your other commitments. The goal is progress, not perfection.

## Common questions

How much should I save?

It depends on your income, your commitments, and what you are working toward. A common starting point is building a 3 to 6 month emergency fund that covers your essential expenses, then moving on to a specific goal from there. Your Money Coach will recommend a target that makes sense for your situation, not a generic number pulled from a spreadsheet.

What if my income is irregular?

We build plans around real income patterns, including seasonal workers, self-employed Australians, and people on Fly-in Fly-out rosters. Your plan smooths the peaks and troughs so savings still happen, even in the quieter months.

Can I access my savings if I need them?

Yes. Your savings sit in your own account. We make sure the money moves there consistently, but the account is yours and you can access it when you need to. The service is there to support you, not to lock your money away.

Does MyBudget earn interest on my savings?

No. Your savings sit in your own account and earn whatever interest that account pays. We take no cut of that interest. What you earn is yours.

## Related pages

- Budgeting for the underlying 12-month plan that makes saving possible
- Bill Payment Management that clears the path for saving
- Family and Household Budgeting for shared goals
- Buying a Home
- Having Children
- Retirement Planning
- Savings Goal Calculator to try the numbers yourself

## Ready to start saving

Speak with a Money Coach and find out what's possible for your situation. Book a free, no-obligation appointment today. No long-term lock-in, no pressure, no judgement. Just practical support from people who want to see you get ahead.

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## *Additional information*

• Saving is about design, not willpower
• Many clients started with no savings at all
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• Watching savings grow is one of the most motivating experiences reported by clients
• The plan smooths income peaks and troughs so savings still happen in quieter months
• The goal is progress, not perfection
• We are here to help with common financial situations without shame or judgement
• We help people who have never saved before
• Money Coaches provide structured support from people who genuinely want to see clients get ahead