

THE JCS YOUTH JOURNAL

MONEY MATTERS: UNLOCK YOUR FINANCIAL POTENTIAL



FINANCIAL LITERACY

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Welcome to JCS Youth journal where we will embark on a journey to educate, inform and equip you with the basic key points needed to have a successful future .

Growing your wealth involves making smart financial decisions to increase your financial assets and net worth overtime.

In this Chapter, we will focus on:

- The prudent financial practices to achieve financial prosperity.
- The Five (5) Key points of growing your wealth
- An interview section with on the techniques to grow your wealth.
- An interactive section with Stanbic Investment Management Services.

**TAKE THE FIRST STEP IN REACHING YOUR
FINANCIAL FREEDOM!**

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BASICS OF FINANCIAL LITERACY

GROWING YOUR WEALTH

Growing your wealth is very crucial as it involves risk and uncertainties.

However, by implementing prudent financial practices, you increase your chances of achieving financial prosperity.

The five key points of growing your wealth include:

1. *Maximize your savings:* Set up an automatic transfer of a specific amount from your checking account to your savings account.

Avoid impulse buying and explore various opportunities to boost your income to ensure consistency in saving.

FIVE (5) KEY CONCEPTS OF GROWING YOUR WEALTH

2. Discover various investment options:

Explore investment in cryptocurrencies such as bitcoins and Ethereum. These currencies are highly volatile and speculative which makes them suitable for risk-tolerant investors. You will need a clear understanding of technology and its associated risks before investing in these currencies.

Also explore investments in mutual funds, bonds, stocks as well as real estates.

3. Long term perspective: Wealth accumulation is a gradual process which requires patience and discipline. Therefore, adopt a long term perspective by focusing on long term goals instead of short term gains.

FIVE (5) KEY CONCEPTS OF MONEY MANAGEMENT

4. *Monitoring & Adjusting:* Review your financial plan and investment portfolio regularly.

This allows you to keep in track with your goals and adapt to the irregular patterns of market conditions.

5. *Explore entrepreneurship:* Find your passion and identify a mentor if your business is in an already existing industry.

Also, prepare to make sacrifices and be clear with your goal as you explore your passion as an entrepreneur.

NOTE

Continue to learn about personal finance, investment strategies and economic trends to optimize your wealth-building efforts.

INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH STANBIC INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT SERVICES (SIMS)

Stanbic Investment Management Services provide investment packages to young individuals based on their duration of goals and risk tolerance.

They match short-term goals to medium or low risk investments to ensure funds are available to their clients and long-term goals to high-risk investments.

The management also shares three (3) things the youth should know before investing.

- Acquire basic financial knowledge on how to save and invest money.
- Set goals with your future aspirations.
- Adopt good values and debt management to impact positively on your investments.

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