

# Worksheet 15: Budget and Paycheck Math

Harder money math with work boxes.

## Part A: Budget Calculations

1. A student earns \$180 from tutoring. They save 35%, spend \$48 on supplies, and split the rest equally between food and entertainment. How much goes to each category?

*Show your work / final answer:*

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2. A monthly phone bill is \$62.50. If the bill increases by 6%, what is the new bill?

*Show your work / final answer:*

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3. A jacket costs \$89.99 and is 25% off. Sales tax is 9.5% after the discount. What is the final cost?

*Show your work / final answer:*

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4. A person budgets \$450 for groceries for 30 days. After 12 days, they spent \$210. Are they on pace, over budget, or under budget? Explain with math.

*Show your work / final answer:*

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**Extra workspace / final response:**

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## Part B: Planning

5. Create a simple weekly budget with income, savings, and at least three expense categories.

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6. Explain why saving first can help someone manage money better.

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**Extra workspace / final response:**

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