

## Building Your Future

## **Chapter 1: Savings Accounts**



## Key Terms

- Saving
- Investing
- Deposit
- Withdrawal
- Interest
- Interest rate

- Account balance
- Compounding of interest
- Future value
- Present value
- Discount factor
- Rule of 72

## **Savings Account Basics**



## Where does your money go?

What do you suppose the banks will do with your money?



# INTEREST PAYMENTS

The Banks pay you interests as a "TOKEN OF APPRECIATION"



### **TRY IT!** Examples and Practice: BYF page 3

**GIVEN:** Annual Interest Rate = 3%

FOR MONTH 1:

STEP 1: Calculate monthly interest rate: 3% ÷ 12(months) = 0.25%

STEP 2: Enter your savings accounts initial deposit as "Beginning Balance". Say \$1,000.00

STEP 3: Calculate Interest Payment (IP): 0.0025 x \$1,000 = \$2.50

STEP 4: Enter "Ending Balance": \$1,000 + \$2.50 = \$1,002.50

### TRY IT! Examples and Practice: BYF page 3 (Savings Account\_Ch 1.xls : Savings worksheet)

#### Let's try calculations for MONTH 2:

STEP 1: Calculate monthly interest rate: 3% ÷ 12(months) = 0.25%

STEP 2: Enter "Beginning Balance" = MONTH 1 "Ending Balance"

STEP 3: Calculate Interest Payment (IP): 0.0025 x \$1,002.50 = \$2.51

STEP 4: Enter "Ending Balance": \$1,002.50 + \$2.51 = \$1,005.01

# INTEREST PAYMENTS

The Banks pay you interests as a "TOKEN OF APPRECIATION"



### **TRY IT!** Examples and Practice: BYF page 4: (Piggy SA Spreadsheet\_1)

**GIVEN:** Annual Interest Rate = 3%

#### FOR MONTH 1:

STEP 1: Calculate monthly interest rate: 3% ÷ 12(months) = 0.25%

STEP 2: Enter your BANK's savings accounts REQUIRED deposit as "Beginning Balance" (BB). (From your research or Bank Brochure)

STEP 3: Calculate "Interest Payment"(IP): 0.0025 x \$(gold coin) = IP

STEP 4: Customer makes her 1<sup>st</sup> deposit. Enter under "Deposits"(D)

STEP 5: Calculate "Ending Balance": BB + IP + (D-W) = EB

## Some FINANCE terms

(Savings Account\_Ch 1.xls : DF worksheet)



## LET'S BREAK!



### The Rule of 72

TRY IT: Examples and Practice p7 (Savings Account\_Ch 1.xls : Rule of 72 worksheet)





COMPOUNDING OF INTERESTS



Most banks limit the number of withdrawals that can be made from a SAVINGS ACCOUNT without incurring BANK CHARGES

Start SAVING today.....Open a SAVINGS ACCOUNT

**INVEST** tomorrow!

### **TRY IT!** Examples and Practice: BYF page 7-8: (Piggy SA Spreadsheet\_2)

FOR 1/1/2000: MONTH 1: GIVEN: Annual Interest Rate = 3%

STEP 1: Calculate monthly interest rate: 3% ÷ 12(months) = 0.25%

STEP 2: Enter your "PIGGY BANK" 12/31/99 balance as "Beginning Balance" (BB) for 1/1/2000.

STEP 3: Calculate "Interest Payment" (IP): 0.0025 x BB = IP

STEP 4 (Customer Transactions): Customer makes her 2<sup>nd</sup> deposit. Enter under "Deposits"(D)

STEP 5: Calculate "Ending Balance": BB + IP + (D-W) = EB

## SAVING Statement

