



# Workshop #1

Where did my money go?

# Session Objectives

By the end of this session, participants will be able to...

- Discuss the value of having a bank account
- Distinguish between different types of bank accounts
- Explain how income is taxed federally

### The 3 Powers

"Being financially aware is powerful"



Power of bank accounts



Power of paychecks



Power of taxes

## Why should you have a bank account?

#### Instructions

Take a few minutes to brainstorm the following question: why should you have a bank account?

You may work alone or with others at your table.

Write down each of your ideas on a post-it note.

### Types of Bank Accounts

#### Bank accounts:

- Provide a safe place to store money
- Reduce the risk of theft

### Checking

Provides easy access to money that can be withdrawn at any time

### Savings

Provides interest on money with limited access to withdrawing that money

#### HYSA

High-yield Savings Account Provides higher interest than savings account with stricter limitations

# HYSA Activity

#### Instructions

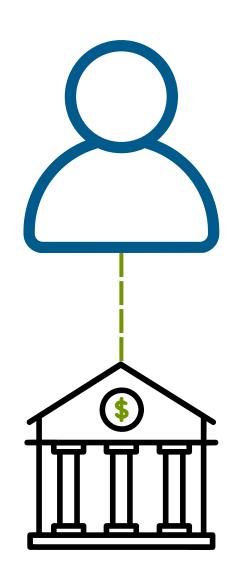
Search online for different high-yield savings accounts (HYSA).

If you do not have a computer or phone, pair up with someone nearby who does.

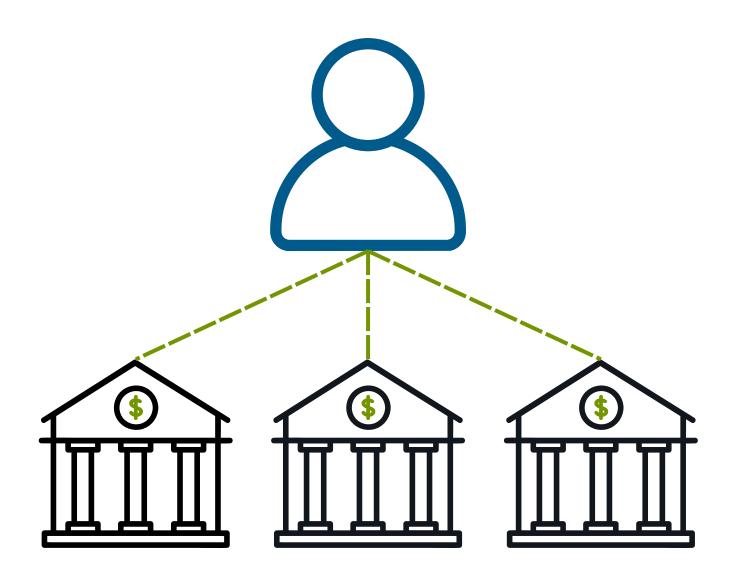
Write down what you find on post-it notes.

# Flaws Behind Bank Loyalty









# Knowledge Review

#### True or False

Having a bank account is important for financial stability because it provides a safe place to store money and reduces the risk of theft.

Hold up the colored card that matches your answer:

True

False

### True

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## Knowledge Review

#### **True or False**

A high-yield savings account (HYSA) is not a type of bank account.

Hold up the colored card that matches your answer:

True

False

### False

A high-yield savings account (HYSA) is a type of bank account.

# Knowledge Review

#### **True or False**

The primary purpose of a checking account is to earn high interest on savings.

Hold up the colored card that matches your answer:

True

False

### False

The primary purpose of a checking account is to manage day-to-day transactions and expenses.

# Knowledge Review

#### **True or False**

A high-yield savings account (HYSA) typically offers the highest interest rate compared to other types of bank accounts.

Hold up the colored card that matches your answer:

True

False

### True

A high-yield savings account (HYSA) typically offers the highest interest rate compared to other types of bank accounts.

# Knowledge Review

#### **True or False**

The key advantage to a high-yield savings account is that it allows you to earn high interest on savings.

Hold up the colored card that matches your answer:

True

False

### True

The key advantage to a high-yield savings account (HYSA) is that it allows you to earn high interests on savings.

# Understanding Income

### Gross Pay

The amount of earnings before any deductions are taken out.

### Net Pay

The amount of money you take home after all deductions from gross pay.

### Pay Periods

Regular intervals at which an employer pays wages or salaries to employees.

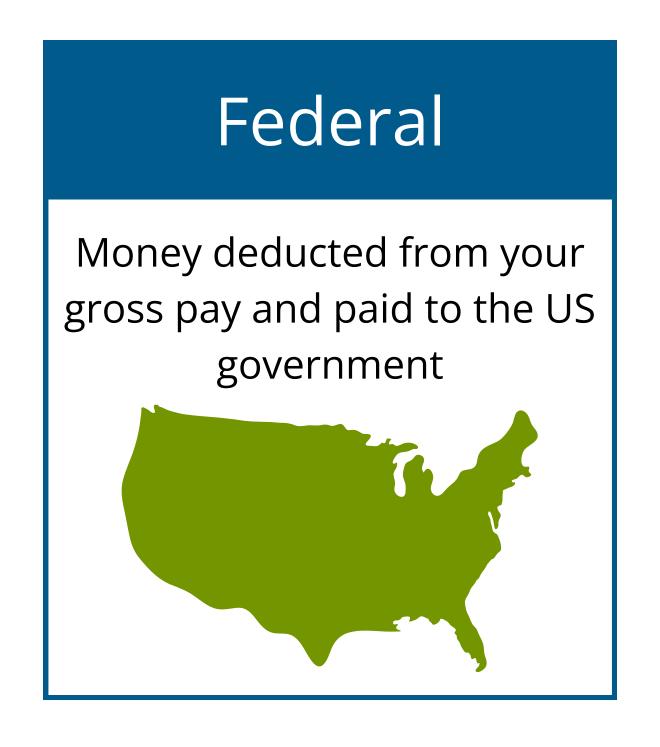
#### Deductions

Money taken out of gross pay. Deductions may be made for:

- Taxes
- Health insurance
- Social security
- Retirement

- Union fees
- Life insurance

# **Understanding Taxes**





# Federal Tax Brackets (Single)

Tax rate	on taxable income from	up to
10%	\$0	\$11,600
12%	\$11,601	\$47,150
22%	\$47,151	\$100,525
24%	\$100,526	\$191,950
32%	\$191,951	\$243,725
35%	\$243,726	\$609,350
37%	\$609,350	And up

## Federal Tax Brackets (Married)

Tax rate	on taxable income from	up to
10%	\$0	\$23,200
12%	\$23,201	\$94,300
22%	\$94,301	\$201,050
24%	\$201,051	\$383,900
32%	\$383,901	\$487,450
35%	\$487,451	\$731,200
37%	\$731,201	And up

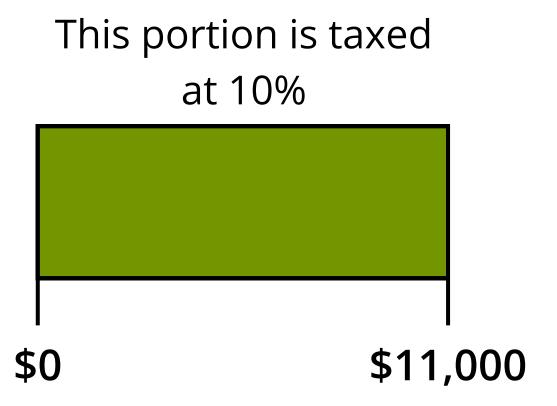
Here's how the math works for a single person earning \$60,000:

Each portion of this person's salary is taxed differently.



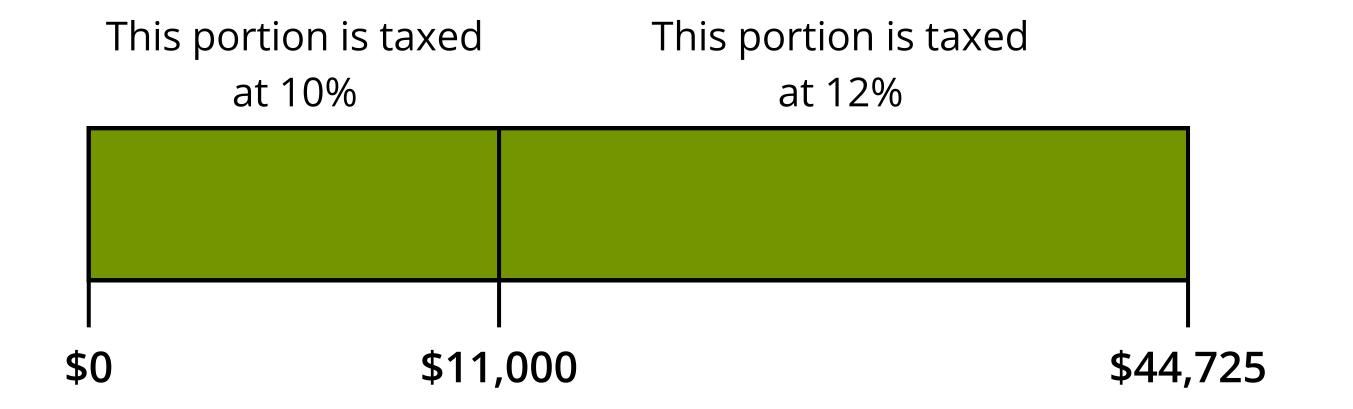
Here's how the math works for a single person earning \$60,000:

The first \$11,000 will be taxed at 1%.



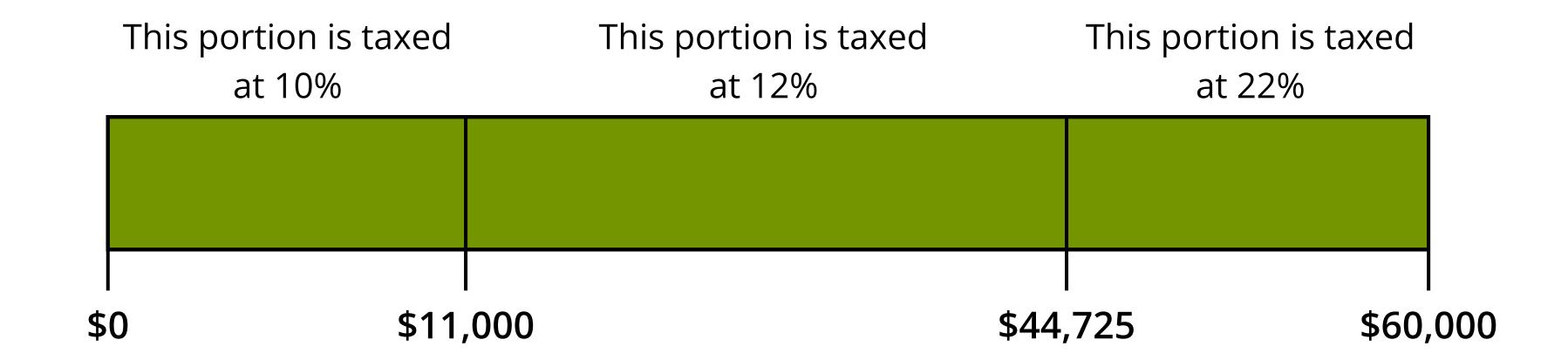
Here's how the math works for a single person earning \$60,000:

Income from \$11,000 to \$44,725 will be taxed at 12%.



Here's how the math works for a single person earning \$60,000:

Income from \$44,726 to \$60,000 will be taxed at 22%.



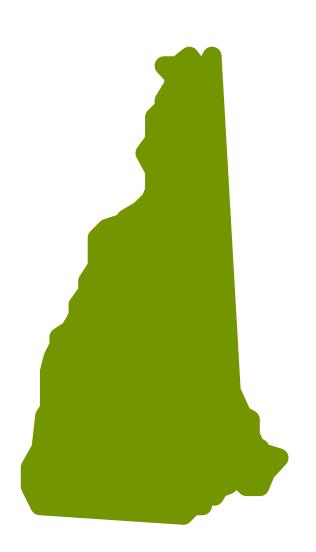
# New Hampshire State Taxes

#### New Hampshire does not have:

- Income tax on wages
- State sales tax

#### New Hampshire does have:

 A flat 4% individual income tax rate on interest and dividend income, including from saving accounts, CD's, bonds, loans, stocks, and mutual funds



### Question & Answer Session

