

# Money skills for life

## What is Money skills for life?

**Money skills for life** is a free one-hour personal finance talk, developed by the Competition and Consumer Protection Commission (CCPC) to provide financial education to employees, with the support of their employer. Talks are delivered by volunteer presenters trained by the CCPC and each attendee gets a free handbook, which contains lots of useful information and tools to help them manage their money. The talk covers six topics:

- Sorting out your money
- Saving and investing
- Insurance
- Borrowing money
- Dealing with debt
- Planning for later life



Since 2012 the programme has successfully reached over 25,000 employees in public and private sector organisations throughout the country. Talks have been delivered in a wide variety of organisations to groups of five to over 200.

## Why become a presenter?

If you work in financial services or have experience in this sector, think about becoming a Money skills for life presenter! Becoming a Money skills for life presenter helps you:

- **enhance your personal and professional development** - all of our presenters are fully trained by the CCPC. By participating in this programme you can further develop your presentation skills and your personal finance knowledge
- **gain confidence delivering presentations to audiences** of all sizes and from diverse sectors
- **give yourself a new challenge** - an opportunity to do something different that can help make a positive impact on people's financial wellbeing
- **show that you are committed to improving financial capability in Ireland** by supporting this programme
- **enhance your employer's reputation and corporate social responsibility activities** in a cost-effective way

Presenters are given a half day training session by the CCPC and are provided with all materials for talks.

If you would like further information about becoming a Money skills for Life presenter, please call Kate at 01-4025553 or email [bookings@ccpc.ie](mailto:bookings@ccpc.ie).

**In addition, if you are a Continuing Professional Development (CPD) member or a Qualified Financial Adviser (QFA), a Chartered or Certified Banker, hold the LCOI designation or are a member of the ILCU, you will be awarded up to one hour credit for presenting the training course.**



## What people have said about Money skills for life

- 98% of employees found the talk useful or very useful
- 97% of employees would recommend the talk to others
- 97% of employers said that the talk met or exceeded their expectations
- 85% of presenters rated their experience with the talk very good or excellent

### Presenter testimonial

“Delivering a CCPC ‘Money Skills for Life’ presentation is a very rewarding experience. It allows me to put my qualifications and experience in the financial sector to good use.

In each presentation I learn from the participants through their interactions and the questions they have. It is a wonderful feeling to know you have given people useful information on being in control of their finances.

I thoroughly enjoy delivering these presentations and would encourage others to do so.”

**Elaine O’Brien Lynch**

If you would like any further information, please call Kate on 01-4025553 or email [kateosullivan@ccpc.ie](mailto:kateosullivan@ccpc.ie).