ACTIVITY 02 / MY ACTIVITY SHEET

Sammy's Savings Tracker



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Name: _____ Date: _____

My savings goal (draw or write):

Goal cost: $_____ Already saved: $_____ Still to save: $_____

Date / step	Money added	New savings total
_____	$_____	$_____
_____	$_____	$_____
_____	$_____	$_____
_____	$_____	$_____
_____	$_____	$_____
_____	$_____	$_____

Color my progress

10%	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%

Each box is one tenth of my goal. Color boxes as my savings grow.

One small step I can take this week:

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Learning goal

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Try it together

1. Draw or write a goal.

2. Record each amount you add and your new total.

3. Color your progress and celebrate every small step.

Answer key / worked example

Practice example: a $20 goal, $4 already saved, and $2 added each week leaves $16 to save. Eight more weekly deposits of $2 reach the goal.

Grown-up notes

- Use pretend money or a real goal chosen together. This activity does not require an allowance or a purchase.

- For each row, add the new amount to the previous balance. The first balance includes any starting savings.

- Online, the number of weeks assumes the same amount is saved each week. A changing amount means the plan will change, too.

Keep the conversation going

What is one small step you can take? How could you adjust if a week goes differently?

Vocabulary reference: Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, youth financial education glossary. Original activities by Penny Hollow.