

# the Early Bird Savings Club

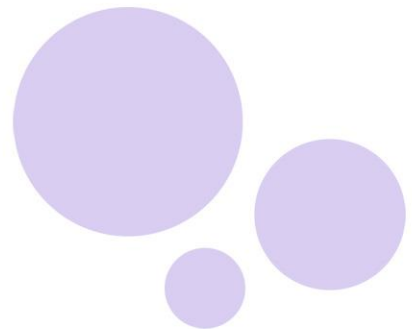


Quarterly Newsletter for Kids

## Have Fun with These Spring Activities

It's getting warmer, and that means you'll be spending more time playing outdoors. Here are a few ideas for things to do this Spring!

1. **Start a garden.** The best time to plant seeds outside is after the last frost of winter. You can plant herbs, fruits and vegetables that you can use for cooking later in the year!
2. **Clean out your room.** Have you ever heard of "spring cleaning"? Spring is a great time to wipe the dust off all your things and freshen up your space.
3. **Visit a garage sale.** Many people set out their old things for sale so they have more room in their house. You can find all sorts of treasures, and it will cost very little money!
4. **Organize your own garage sale.** In order to make room for new things in your life this year, you should clear out some of the old things. What's taking up space that you don't use anymore?
5. **Donate your old things.** Some people aren't lucky enough to be able to go buy new things. If you're done with some things, such as clothes or toys, and they're still good, you can donate them to someone else who will enjoy them!



## What is Money?

Money is like a special key that helps us get things we need and want. It comes in different forms, such as coins and bills, each with its own unique value.

### Coins: Tiny Treasures

Coins are like shiny treasures waiting to be found! There are four main types: pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters. Each has its own value: one cent, five cents, ten cents, and twenty-five cents, respectively.

### Bills: Currency Champions

Bills are like bigger versions of coins, but made of paper. They come in different colors and feature important people and symbols. The smallest bill is one dollar, followed by five, ten, twenty, fifty, and one hundred dollar bills.

### Saving: The Treasure Trove

Saving money is like planting seeds in your own treasure chest – a piggy bank! Every bit of money you earn, whether from chores or gifts, can be saved in your piggy bank. As you save, your treasure grows, and soon you'll have enough to buy something special.



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