

Gift savings account



Give your child a piece of the future

What you should know about gift savings accounts

With a Gift savings account, you can provide a financial basis for your child or for a child who is dear to you. You decide when and how much to contribute. On the child's 18th birthday, you will receive a gift certificate that enables the recipient to access the savings account.

Your needs

You want to save for your child, grandchild or godchild.

How you benefit

- Free account management
- Preferential interest rate up to recipient's 18th birthday
- Gift certificate with space for your personal congratulations and messages

Tip

Greater potential for return with a gift investment fund savings plan: You can increase the potential for return from a gift savings account with the gift investment fund savings plan. This allows you to enjoy the benefits of securities-based saving, and accumulate assets simply and conveniently with corresponding market performance.

(Please note: Investment funds are subject to fluctuations in value and exchange rate risks.)

Conditions

Gift savings account

Currency	CHF
Age limit ¹	Until the young person reaches the age of 18, parents, godparents, relatives or acquaintances may open an account
Residency restriction ²	None
Interest rate p.a.	0.50% up to CHF 25,000 0.01% up to CHF 2,000,000; above this –0.75%
Withholding tax	35% of the credit interest that is subject to withholding tax. For accounts with year-end closure, up to CHF 200 of such credit interest is exempt from withholding tax.
Interest limit	CHF 25,000; above this amount 0.01%
Availability	CHF 50,000 p.a., three months' notice for larger sums ³
Monthly account administration	Free of charge
Itemized statement creation	Free of charge at the end of the year
Statement	Free, annually with interest statement
Dispatch of itemized statement and closing statement	E-documents: Free of charge Postal dispatch: Free of charge
Sending bank documents ⁴	E-documents: included Paper documents: subject to fee
Cash Service card ⁵	Annual fee: Free of charge Replacement card: CHF 20 per card
Payment transactions	Not suitable for payment transactions Surcharge of CHF 5 for payments
Third-party charges	Passed on to the client
Account overdrafts	Not permitted

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- 1 After reaching the specified age limit, the Gift Savings Account will be automatically converted into a regular savings account on January 1 of the following year. From then on, the terms and conditions for Savings accounts will apply.
- 2 Additional fees may be charged for clients domiciled outside of Switzerland (see the Overview of Conditions).
- 3 If the withdrawal limit is exceeded without observing the notice period, there is an automatic charge of 1.0% of the amount exceeding the withdrawal limit. No restrictions on the purchase of securities and precious metals (through Credit Suisse) or for interest payments and principal repayments at Credit Suisse.
- 4 For bank documents in paper form, a monthly fee of CHF 2 per client relationship no. and recipient will be charged. In addition, credit and debit advices in paper form will each cost CHF 0.50 per advice (max. CHF 100 per year). Plus value-added tax, currently 7.7% for clients domiciled in Switzerland or the Principality of Liechtenstein. Clients domiciled abroad are not subject to VAT.
- 5 Blocking of Cash Service card: CHF 55 per card.

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