

# Children's Trust Saver (Issue 10)

## Account Terms and Conditions

### This account might be right for you if you:

- are an adult opening an account in trust for a child under 18
- don't want the child to have access to the funds themselves
- are happy with a variable interest rate that can go up or down.

### This account will **not** be right for you if you:

- want to continue saving in this account after the child turns 18
- want to save more than £50,000
- want a fixed interest rate that's guaranteed for a set amount of time.

### Summary box – key savings account information

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| Account name  | Children's Trust Saver (Issue 10)  |                         |                          |                              |
|   | Balance  | Annual interest (gross) | Monthly interest (gross) | Annual Equivalent Rate (AER) |
|   | £1+  | 3.05%                   | N/A                      | 3.05%                        |
| <b>What is the interest rate?</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This account earns interest daily. Interest is added to the account the day before the anniversary of account opening and on the child's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.</li> <li>• There is no monthly interest option available.</li> <li>• If you ask us to pay interest to a different account, we'll pay it on the first working day after the day we'd have added it to this account. Working days exclude Saturday, Sunday and bank holidays.</li> </ul>   |                         |                          |                              |
| <b>Can Skipton Building Society change the interest rate?</b>                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, the interest rate is variable, so it can go up or down.</li> <li>• Section 8 of our Savings Account Terms and Conditions explains why we may change the interest rate.</li> <li>• If you have at least £100 in the account, we'll notify you in advance if we intend to reduce your interest rate.</li> </ul>  |                         |                          |                              |
| <b>What would the estimated balance be after 12 months based on a £1,000 deposit?</b> | <b>Opening balance</b>   |                         | <b>Estimated balance</b> |                              |
|   | £1,000   |                         | £1,030                   |                              |
|   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The estimated balance above assumes that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the account is opened with £1,000 and starts earning interest straight away</li> <li>- no further deposits or withdrawals are made</li> <li>- the interest is paid annually</li> <li>- the interest is added to this account</li> <li>- there is no change to the interest rates stated.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Estimated balances are for illustrative purposes only. They may be less for accounts opened by debit card or cheque, because interest won't be earned until the account receives the deposit.</li> </ul>   |                         |                          |                              |
| <b>How do I open and manage my account?</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The account is available to UK residents only and can be opened and managed in branch or by post.</li> <li>• Until the child turns 18, a parent, grandparent or close adult relative can open the account and would be the account trustee.</li> <li>• The trustee(s) are the account holders and hold the money in trust for the benefit of the child. The child will be the beneficiary.</li> <li>• The minimum opening and operating balance for this account is £1. You must keep at least this amount in the account at all times.</li> <li>• Subsequent payments in can be made from £1.</li> <li>• The maximum balance for this account is £50,000.</li> <li>• Only one child can be the named beneficiary on the account.</li> <li>• You can only hold one Children's Trust Saver per child.</li> </ul> |                         |                          |                              |
| <b>Can I withdraw my money?</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, you can withdraw in branch or by post, subject to the £1 minimum operating balance. The minimum withdrawal amount is £1.</li> <li>• Withdrawals should be for the benefit of the child named on the account and any withdrawals not in the child's name will be subject to our discretion.</li> <li>• Withdrawals from the account can be made from £1. You don't need to give us notice before you withdraw, and there are no penalties.</li> <li>• When the child turns 18, we'll add any interest due to the account and then automatically transfer the money into an easy access account for adults, where the money will remain in trust. We'll write to you, the trustee(s), in advance with full details of the new account.</li> </ul>  |                         |                          |                              |

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| <b>Additional information</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The AER shows what the interest rate would be if interest was paid and added each year.</li> <li>• We pay all savings interest gross, which means no tax is deducted. It's your responsibility to pay any tax due, based on your individual circumstances. Tax rules may change in future.</li> <li>• Accounts can be withdrawn from sale at any time and without notice.</li> </ul> |
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**Please make sure you read the following savings account further terms and conditions.**

The agreement for your savings account is made up of these terms and the Savings Account Terms & Conditions.

Before opening a savings account, we strongly advise for your own benefit and protection that you read all the terms and conditions, including our Savings Account Terms & Conditions (which are available on request or via our website). This is because you'll be legally bound by them, and we intend to rely on them.

If you don't understand any point, please ask for further information.

## Further terms and conditions for our Children's Trust Saver

### 1.0 Opening and managing the account

- 1.1 This account is for individuals opening an account in trust for children under the age of 18.
- 1.2 There can be a maximum of four account holders on the account.
- 1.3 If you open the account in your name only, you won't be able to add another account holder later. You may be able to apply for a new account in joint names, subject to availability.
- 1.4 We must receive your completed application, signed by all account holders, before the account is withdrawn from sale. If we don't receive this your application will be cancelled.
- 1.5 The account opening date is the date that we receive the first payment. If we don't receive your first payment in within 30 days of application, the application will be cancelled, and the account won't be opened.
- 1.6 You can cancel the account in the first 14 days if you need to. If you don't cancel the account during this period, you can still close the account at any time afterwards.
- 1.7 We'll only accept requests from the adult trustee(s).
- 1.8 If the trustee dies or loses mental capacity, someone else will need to be appointed. They'll then operate the account.
- 1.9 It's important for any trustees to understand the nature of the trust they are opening. They must make sure the account follows the terms of the trust document and/or the law (including tax requirements).
- 1.10 Trustees must make sure that there are always enough trustees appointed to operate the account. If they need help with this, they should contact a legal adviser or other professional.

### 2.0 Making payments into the account

- 2.1 You can make payments into the account by:
  - Electronic payment from another UK bank or building society by Faster Payments, CHAPS, BACS or standing order.
    - We don't accept any Direct Debit payments into this account.
    - The first payment into the account can't be by standing order, however later payments can be made this way.
  - Internal transfers from another Skipton Building Society account.
    - This is subject to any notice period or other restrictions that the account has on withdrawals.
  - Debit card.
  - Cash.
    - In branch only.
  - Cheque.
    - By post to our principal office or at any branch.
- 2.2 If opening this account by post, your first payment can only be made by cheque, internal transfer from another Skipton Building Society account.

### **3.0 Savings account limits**

- 3.1 All payments into the account are subject to account minimum and maximum amounts. You can't pay more money into the account than the maximum balance. The limit can only be exceeded with any interest added. If you make an electronic payment into the account which will take it over the maximum balance, or doesn't meet the minimum opening or operating balance, we'll return the money to its source automatically.
- 3.2 £5 million is the maximum amount any one saver can hold across all their Skipton Building Society savings accounts. If any of the accounts is a joint account, we'll treat the total balance held within it as if it's split equally between each of the account holders for the purpose of calculating this balance only. For example, if you're one of three account holders on a joint account containing £9 million, £3 million of that will count towards your personal limit. This means you can save up to £2 million in any other Skipton Building Society account(s).

### **4.0 Withdrawals and closures**

- 4.1 You can close the account at any time without penalty.
- 4.2 You can make withdrawals subject to the minimum operating balance. We'll cancel any withdrawal that exceeds your cleared balance.
- 4.3 Requests for withdrawals or closure can be made by:
- Electronic payment to another UK bank or building society (but not Direct Debit).
    - To up to two nominated UK bank or building society accounts in the beneficiary's name. We won't make an electronic payment to any other type of account.
  - Transfer to another Skipton Building Society account in the beneficiary's name.
    - This is subject to the terms and conditions of that account.
  - Cash.
    - In branch only.
    - This is subject to our daily withdrawal limits. You can find out what these are by visiting our website or contacting us.
  - Cheque.
    - You can do this in branch or by post.
    - This is subject to our cheque withdrawal limits when withdrawing in branch. You can find out what these are by visiting our website or contacting us.
- 4.4 Automated regular withdrawals will be carried out by electronic payment and may only be made to the beneficiary's nominated account(s).
- 4.5 Where we allow withdrawals at our discretion that are not in the beneficiary's name, they can be made to an account in the trustee's name(s).

### **5.0 Interest**

- 5.1 If you want interest to be paid to another account, it must be a Skipton Building Society account or any other UK building society or bank account. The account we make payment to must be a nominated account in the beneficiary's name.

### **6.0 Non-payment accounts**

- 6.1 This account is a savings account and must not be used for multiple monthly transactions like a current account. It's not a payment account for the purposes of the Payment Services Regulation 2017.

### **7.0 Membership rights and the Society's Rules**

- 7.1 This account is a share account, which confers membership rights to the trustee(s) on the account. They'll be bound by the Rules of Skipton Building Society (also called our 'Rules'). Copies of our Rules are available on request.

**The Financial Services Compensation Scheme**

This account is covered by The Financial Services Compensation Scheme. For more information, please call us on 0345 850 1722, ask in branch or visit [skipton.co.uk/FSCS](https://www.skipton.co.uk/FSCS)

**Let us know what you think**

If you're not satisfied with our services, we have an internal complaints procedure. For more information, please call us on 0345 850 1722, ask in branch or visit [skipton.co.uk](https://www.skipton.co.uk). Also, the Financial Ombudsman Service provides a free and independent service for consumers and can be contacted at the following address: The Financial Ombudsman Service, Exchange Tower, London E14 9SR. Telephone: 0800 023 4567 or visit [financial-ombudsman.org.uk](https://www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk).

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