Become a Boston Saves Family Champion!

What is Boston Saves? Boston Saves is a children's savings account program that helps Boston families start saving for their children's college or career training from Kindergarten through high school. Every participating student receives a Boston Saves account with \$50 for their future college or career training. Families can complete incentive-earning activities to earn even more money for their child, while also saving on their own and learning how to make the most of their money to plan for the future.

What is a Family Champion? Boston Saves utilizes a network of Family Champions across BPS schools to promote Boston Saves, assist families in using the program, and encourage families to save for their children's futures. Family Champions receive training and technical support from the Boston Saves team and represent Boston Saves in BPS schools and at community events. In return, Family Champions receive \$100 in gift cards for each event/2 hours of online outreach they participate in and \$50 in gift cards for each training workshop, gain valuable experience, and learn to grow their own money.

Who can be a Family Champion? Anyone who is excited to represent Boston Saves to other families in your school and community is eligible to be a Family Champion. Family Champions must be committed to attending 3 training workshops and representing Boston Saves at at least 3 events or through 6 hours of outreach throughout the school year. If interested, please email bostonsaves@boston.gov to learn more or apply.

What does a Family Champion do?

- Participate in 3 (2 hour) training workshops and provide feedback throughout the year to help shape and improve the program
- Represent Boston Saves at 3+ events throughout the school year and/or participates in 6 hours of online outreach
- Educate families on Boston Saves and provide technical assistance on how to engage with it
- Maintain communication with your Family Champion Coordinator and School Champion
- **Engage at least 15 other families** in the Boston Saves program

What are the benefits?

- Earn \$100 in gift cards for each event/2 hours of outreach you participate in and \$50 for each workshop
- **Build financial empowerment** and resilience, as well as a college-going mindset, within the community
- Get a free Financial Check-up and learn about Boston's other financial and career empowerment resources
- Have networking opportunities with school & city staff + Family Champions
- **Gain volunteer experience** that can strengthen your resume

Family Champion Workshop Series

	Description	When & Where	Compensation
Workshop 1	Intro to Boston Saves and the Family Champion role	Date will be finalized later (likely offered on both a Tuesday morning and a Wednesday evening- you would pick one) during a week in mid September/early October (1.5 hrs)	\$50 gift card
Workshop 2	Training on Boston Saves program details and tech platform	Date will be finalized later (likely offered on both a Tuesday morning and a Wednesday evening- you would pick one) during a week in mid September/early October (1.5 hrs)	\$50 gift card
Workshop 3	Outreach and family engagement planning + networking opportunity	Date will be finalized later (likely offered on both a Tuesday morning and a Wednesday evening- you would pick one) during a week in mid September/early October (1.5 hrs)	\$50 gift card

I'm interested in becoming a Family Champion. What do I do now?

Please email bostonsaves@boston.gov to learn more.

TO APPLY: https://rb.gy/gmlx2q