

# Use MAX Review to put your bonus money in your workplace plan

Use **MAX Review**, our online tool, to put part of your bonus directly in your workplace Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP) or Tax-Free Savings Account (TFSA). This could help you save on taxes and build your savings quicker!





# Why put your bonus in your workplace savings plan?

- RRSP contributions may help to lower the income tax you pay, and your investment earnings are tax-free until you withdraw them.
- You don't pay taxes in cash when you withdraw from a TFSA, and you can withdraw money at any time without penalties.
- When you invest at Sun Life, your group plan fund fees are competitive compared to similarly managed investment funds at similar financial institutions.



Use MAX Review to direct your bonus to your workplace savings plan online between 8:00 a.m. ET on November 6, 2023 and 11:59 p.m. ET on November 24, 2023. Or call us at 1-866-733-8612 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET, any business day. We're here to help.

# How to direct your bonus online

Sign in to mysunlife.ca using your sign-in ID and password. Select Manage plan and then my plan.

Look at the top of the page for a message about **MAX Review**. Click on the banner.

You'll find easy steps to guide you from start to finish, including how to choose the percentage amount to deposit into your workplace RRSP and/or TFSA. If you don't tell us a percentage amount, or if the total doesn't match the bonus amount you're entitled to, your employer will pay out the total bonus or the difference with your regular pay.

Review your choices and select **Submit**.

# **Know your limits**

It's your responsibility to make sure you have enough RRSP and/or TFSA contribution room.

- Find your RRSP and TFSA contribution limits by going to **My Account for Individuals** on **Canada.ca**. Or call the Tax Information Phone Service at **1-800-267-6999**.
- Your RRSP limit is also on your most recent *Notice of assessment* from the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA).

Your bonus payment may be subject to applicable tax deductions and Canada/Quebec Pension Plan (CPP/QPP) and Employment Insurance (EI) deductions before it's deposited into your workplace RRSP and/or TFSA. This means that even if you direct 100% of your bonus to the RRSP and/or TFSA, you won't see 100% of the bonus deposited. The contribution amount will be equal to the amount remaining, after mandatory deductions.

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# Fast, mobile support

Download the **my Sun Life mobile app** on Google Play or the Apple App Store.

### Visit us online

Sign in to mysunlife.ca for tools, articles and videos. Chat with us online for additional support.

### Need to call us?

Call us at 1-866-733-8612, Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET.

## Speak to an advisor

For personalized advice about your plan, talk to a financial advisor (registered as a Financial Security Advisor in Quebec).