

Back To School Budget Planner

A simple worksheet to plan, track, and stick to your back to school spending

MY TOTAL BACK TO SCHOOL BUDGET

\$ _____

BUDGET BY CATEGORY

Fill in what you plan to spend in each category, then track what you actually spend as you shop. The difference column shows you exactly where you stand.

CATEGORY	PLANNED	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
School Supplies			
Clothing & Shoes			
Technology			
Fees & Activities			
Lunches			
Backpack & Gear			
Miscellaneous			
TOTAL			

MONEY SAVING REMINDERS

- ✓ Shop your house first before buying anything new
- ✓ Compare prices across at least two stores for big purchases
- ✓ Buy basics like pencils and paper in bulk, they never go to waste
- ✓ Check for tax free weekends in your state
- ✓ Hold off on non essential items until later in the school year

