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WEBINARS

**VIRGINIA CREDIT UNION
STRATEGIES TO THRIVE
IN 2023**

Surviving in Today's Economy

In times of economic uncertainty, let's focus on what you can control.

Register below for webinars that share tips on increasing your value in the workplace, cutting expenses, boosting savings, and reducing debt.

30 Minute Sessions

[Register Here for Upcoming Webinars!](#)

Employees can now register for sessions throughout the year or all at once!

FINANCIAL WELLNESS

**VIRGINIA RETIREMENT
SYSTEM**

America Saves Week

Imagine a more financially confident you! There's no better time to embrace that goal than during America Saves Week, February 27-March 3. Check out the [Everything You Need to Know to Get Started With Managing Your Money](#) guide.

Log in to your [myVRS account](#) and select Financial Wellness to access more resources to help you build financial confidence.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

**Virginia State
Employee Assistance
Fund (VSEAF)**

The Virginia State Employee Assistance Fund provides grants to eligible state employees suffering from a financial crisis or an unplanned emergency/or unplanned event that impacts the employee or family members living in the residence of the employee.

The VSEAF is a recognized 501c(3) charity member of the Commonwealth of Virginia Campaign (CVC), Code 203040

[Click to See if You Qualify](#)

Employee Discounts

Verizon, vacation packages, flowers and much more are listed under the “Limited Time Offers” section! Be sure to check back often for updates on discounts for you and your family. Check out the [State Employee Discounts](#) webpage for more discounts!



EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

All health plans offered to state employees and their dependents have employee assistance programs (EAPs). Included are up to four sessions at no charge for such services as mental health, alcohol or drug abuse assessment, child or elder care, grief counseling and legal or financial services.

[Learn More Here](#)

Public Service Loan Forgiveness

State employees may be eligible for the Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program. Keep reading to see whether you might qualify.

The PSLF Program forgives the remaining balance on your Direct Loans after you have made 120 qualifying monthly payments under a qualifying repayment plan while working full-time for a qualifying employer. [Learn More Here](#)

Virginia Department of Treasury's Unclaimed Property Division.

February 1st is National Unclaimed Property Day! This is a FREE public service with no fees. Since this program was started in 1961, they have returned over \$1 billion to citizens! Call in during the National UCP Day [remote call](#) event on February 1st anytime between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., and Treasury staff will assist you in searching and starting the claim process for your missing money.

Search for Missing Money!
<https://vamoneysearch.gov/>

The [Virginia State Employee Loan Program \(VSELP\)](#) will remain active throughout calendar year, 2023, but will be dissolved thereafter. Stay tuned for more information throughout the year.