

Surviving the Last Few Days Before Payday

The last few days before payday are the days we all dread.

With money so excitingly close (and yet so dreadfully far), it's easy to spend your last cash on a shopping spree, a few nights out or a dinner blow-out, thinking next week you will have the money anyway to make it up. Now you find yourself with a wallet too slim for your liking, with not quite enough money to cover repairs and other emergencies.

So how can you stretch your money a bit further until financial nirvana finally comes?

Pack Your Own Lunch

Yes, it's quite hard to resist going to a fancy restaurant or ordering Chinese for lunch. The thing is, if you calculate how much you spend on eating out, you will realise that it's eating up so much of your money.

Instead, cook your own meals and pack your own lunch. Don't let your mind wander and think about all the delicious waiting for you; the last three days before payday is not the time to think about Thai food, pizza, or frozen yogurt—it's for your own good.

Switch to Walking or Cycling

Why not take the train, or better yet walk or cycle your way to work instead of taking the car? It's environmentally friendly, healthy, way cheaper and more relaxing than taking on the rush hour traffic. You can take full control of your travel time, too.

Take Out a Fast Cash Loan

Sure, you can fritter away money on things that you could cut back on, but sometimes so many necessary expenses and emergencies can crop up during those last few days.

If you need some temporary short-term credit to see you through payday, take out a fast cash loan. Make sure to borrow what you know you can pay back comfortably with the interest once you get your pay, and keep everything organised.

Those last few days before payday is a real test of willpower. Just remember, money is rarely a constant and you can't predict the future—so stay sensible, plan ahead, and look after your finances. And when all else fails, remember that it's okay to ask for help through fast cash loans from **(client)**.

If you're strapped for cash, call us.