Quids in: The impact of financial skills training for social housing tenants

Appendix Tables

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Table A1: Regular actions taken to make money go further at time of baseline interview

Percentages	Learners	Comparison group
Shop around for food and groceries	54	60
Make shopping list and stick to it	34	31
Look out for special offers	66	69
Plan meals	32	24
Supermarket food items reduced	30	15
Turn light/power off when not used	68	59
Any of the above	91	92
None of above	7	6
Not stated	1	2
Sample size	149	192

Percentages sum to more than 100 because more than one response was allowed

Table A2: Banking

Percentages		Learners	Comparison group
Types of bank account currently have	Current or basic bank account	92	87
	Post Office card account	11	7
	None of above	3	6
	Total	106	101
Has a current or basic current account	Unbanked	8	13
and/or a credit union account	Banked	92	88
Sample size		149	192

Table A3: Borrowing

Dorcontagos		Loarnors	Comparison
Percentages		Learners	group
Types of credit	Bank or building society loan	15	10
currently have	Home credit loan	12	19
	Finance company loan	3	3
	Credit Union Ioan	1	1
	Mail order goods	19	16
	HP credit goods	12	8
	Social Fund Budgeting Loan	17	10
	Student loan	3	3
	Family or friend loan	14	10
	Other loan	5	5
	Active credit or store card	23	18
	Overdrawn	25	17
	None of above	35	40
Sample size		149	192

Column percentag	or.	Learners	Comparison
Column percentag	es es	Learners	group
Any borrowing?	Yes	65	60
	No	35	40
Sample size		149	192
How feel about	Do not owe any money	44	43
total current	Could afford to borrow more	7	8
borrowing*	About right, not want to borrow more	23	36
	More than can afford	26	10
	Total	149	192
Whether have	No	72	79
credit or store	Active card user	23	18
card	Yes, but no balance	5	2
Sample size		149	192

Table A4: Whether a member of a credit union

Column percentages		Learners	Comparison group
Whather member of Credit Union	Yes	4	4
Whether member of Credit Union	No	95	95
Sample size		149	192

Table A5: Saving

Percentages		Learners	Comparison
reitentages		Learners	group
Types of credit	Post Office savings account	2	3
currently have	Saving deposit account	24	22
	ISA	13	5
	Cash at home	9	6
	Cash given to friend/relative	2	1
	Other savings account	7	2
	None of above	57	62
	Not stated	3	4
Sample size		149	192

Any savings?

Column percentages		Learners Comparison group 33 28 67 72 149 192 11 7 89 93 149 192 40 34 60 66 149 192		
Column percentages		Learners	group	
Any formal savings?	Yes	33	28	
	No	67	72	
	Total	149	192	
Any informal	Yes	11	7	
savings?	163	11	,	
	No	89	93	
	Total	149	192	
Any savings?	Yes	40	34	
	No	60	66	
Sample size		149	192	

Table A6: Confidence to choose financial products

Column parcentages		Loarnors	Comparison
Column percentages		Learners	group
Confidence in choosing financial	Very confident	16	30
products	Fairly confident	46	54
	Not very confident	23	9
	Not at all confident	14	5
	Not stated	1	2
Sample size		149	192

Table A7: Logistic regression predicting any actions taken since baseline survey

Regression analysis examines the extent to which characteristics relate to tenants taking any actions, after holding constant the influence of all other characteristics included in the analysis. Characteristics that are deemed to have an independent relationship with the outcome measure are those with a p-value smaller than 0.05. These are said to be 'significant' predictors (and are indicated with an asterisk, '*'); those with a p-value of less than 0.01 are considered 'highly significant' (and are indicated with a double asterisk, '**').

		Significance	Odds	
		(p-value)	Ex	p (B)
Gender	Male	.978		
	Female	.834	1.1	
Age group	Up to 24	.647		
	25 - 45	.995	1.0	
	45 or over	.349	0.6	
Household composition ¹	Single adult	.049		
	Couple without children	.025	3.5	*
	Lone parent with children under 18	.031	3.2	*
	Couple with children under 18	.034	3.0	*
Respondent (or partner)	Yes	.000		
has earned income	No	.000	0.1	**
Take home income per	Less than £100	.018		
week - respondent and	£100 - £199	.699	0.8	
partner	£200 - £299	.301	0.5	
	£300 - £399	.154	0.3	
	£400 - £499	.002	0.1	**
	£500 or more	.012	0.1	*
Length of tenancy	More than ten years	.199		
	Less than a year	.012	7.7	
	1-2 years	.482	1.4	
	3-5 years	.200	2.2	
	6-10 years	.318	1.9	
Whether have Tenancy	No	.679		
Support Worker	Yes	.996	1.0	
Received (further) advice	No	.055		
or training on money matters since baseline	Yes	.016	5.9	
Sample	Learners (reference is comparison group)	.000	6.6	**
Constant		.695	1.4	
Nakelkerke R ²			.673	
Sample size			341	

The base is all respondents to the follow-up survey. Socio-demographic measures relate to status at baseline.

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Table A8: Changes to money management behaviour since baseline survey

Column percentages		Learners	Comparisor
column percentages		Learners	group
Whether started	Yes	28	2
budgeting*	No	11	28
	No, already budgeting	59	7:
	No, but I am planning to	2	
Whether started	Yes	25	2
keeping track of	No	32	58
spending*	No, already kept track of spending	42	40
	No, but I am planning to	2	
Whether reduced	Yes	46	22
spending on shopping*	No	51	70
	No, but I am planning to	1	-
	Don't know	2	:
Whether started	Yes	50	19
shopping around more*	No	50	8
	No, but I am planning to		
Whether started to use	Yes	55	
money saving tips*	No	15	6
	No, already used money saving tips	27	2
	No, but I am planning to	2	
	Don't know	1	
Whether started to plan	Yes	26	
meals or use meal	No	29	5
planner*	No, already planned meals	41	4
	No, but I am planning to	4	
	Don't know	1	
Whether reduced	Yes	24	
spending on household	No	73	8
bills*	No, already used money	2	
	saving tips	2	
	Don't know	2	
Changed money	Yes	78	3
management approach in any way*	No	22	6
Sample size		113	12

Table A9: Logistic regression predicting financial benefits since baseline survey

Regression analysis examines the extent to which characteristics relate to tenants experiencing financial benefits, after holding constant the influence of all other characteristics included in the analysis. Characteristics that are deemed to have an independent relationship with the outcome measure are those with a p-value smaller than 0.05. These are said to be 'significant' predictors (and are indicated with an asterisk, '*'); those with a p-value of less than 0.01 are considered 'highly significant' (and are indicated with a double asterisk, '**').

		Significance	Odds	ratio
		(p-value)	(E	хрВ)
Gender	Male	0.927		
	Female	0.698	1.2	
Age group	up to 24	0.897		
	25 - 45	0.446	1.5	
	45 or over	0.688	1.2	
Household composition ¹	Single adult	0.035		
	Couple without children	0.047	3.1	*
	Lone parent with children under 18	0.004	4.4	**
	Couple with children under 18	0.012	3.7	*
	Not stated/asked	0.630	1.7	
Respondent (or partner) has	Yes	0.009		
earned income	No	0.002	0.3	**
Take home income per week -	Less than £100	0.008		
respondent and partner	£100 - £199	0.321	0.6	
	£200 - £299	0.041	0.3	*
	£300 - £399	0.005	0.1	**
	£400 - £499	0.001	0.1	**
	£500 or more	0.009	0.0	**
Length of Orbit tenancy	10+ years	0.807		
	1-2 years	0.141	2.5	
	3-5 years	0.351	1.6	
	6-10 years	0.530	1.5	
	Less than a year	0.556	1.5	
Whether have Tenancy Support	No	0.745		
Worker	Yes	0.485	0.7	
Received further training or advice on money matters	Yes (reference is no)	0.118	2.2	
Sample type	Learners (reference is comparison group)	0.000	6.4	**
Constant		0.165	0.3	
Nakelkerke R ²			0.39	
Sample size			242	

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Table A10: Logistic regression predicting any financial benefits of the training for tenant learners

Regression analysis examines the extent to which characteristics relate to tenant learners experiencing any financial gains, after holding constant the influence of all other characteristics included in the analysis. Characteristics that are deemed to have an independent relationship with the outcome measure are those with a p-value smaller than 0.05. These are said to be 'significant' predictors (and are indicated with an asterisk, '*'); those with a p-value of less than 0.01 are considered 'highly significant' (and are indicated with a double asterisk, '**').

		Significance	Odds ratio	Exp
		(p-value)		(B
Gender	Male	.688		
	Female	.387	1.8	
Age group	Up to 24	.701		
	25 - 45	.826	1.2	
	45 or over	.270	3.0	
Household composition ¹	Single adult	.569		
	Couple without children	.260	3.2	
	Lone parent with children under 18	.094	4.6	
	Couple with children under 18	.236	3.4	
Respondent (or partner) has	Yes	.835		
earned income	No	.549	1.7	
Take home income per week -	Less than £100	.836		
respondent and partner	£100 - £199	.180	0.2	
	£200 - £299	.377	0.3	
	£300 - £399	.500	0.4	
	£400 - £499	.878	0.8	
	£500 or more	.999	0.0	
Length of tenancy	More than ten years	.245		
•	Less than a year	.030	8.7	
	1-2 years	.147	3.3	
	3-5 years	.041	8.7	
	6-10 years	.040	19.2	
Whether have Tenancy Support	No	.772		
Worker	Yes	.472	0.6	
Received (further) advice or training since baseline	Yes (reference is no)	.047	4.7	*
Type of session attended	Workshop	.012		
	One-to-one	.003	11.6	**
Constant		.037	0.0	
Nakelkerke R ²			.501	
Sample size			113	

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Table A11: Changes in saving behaviour since baseline survey

Column percentage	S	Learners	Comparison group
Whether opened (another) savings	Yes, opened first savings account	7	
account*	Yes, opened another savings account	2	3
	No	88	96
	No, but am planning to	4	1
Whether switched	Yes	3	
savings account	No	96	100
	No, but I am planning to	2	
Whether started	Yes	12	7
to save*	No	48	64
	No, because I was already saving	30	25
	No, but I am planning to	10	4
Whether	Yes	10	1
increased amount	No	85	97
saved*	No, but I am planning to	4	2
	Don't know	1	
Any change in	Yes	20	11
saving since baseline*	No	80	89
Sample size		113	129

Table A12: Logistic regression predicting self-reported improved financial confidence (net change across all confidence measures)

Regression analysis examines the extent to which characteristics relate to tenants reporting improved confidence, after holding constant the influence of all other characteristics included in the analysis. Characteristics that are deemed to have an independent relationship with the outcome measure are those with a p-value smaller than 0.05. These are said to be 'significant' predictors (and are indicated with an asterisk, '*'); those with a p-value of less than 0.01 are considered 'highly significant' (and are indicated with a double asterisk, '**').

		Significance	Odds r	atio
		(p-value)	(E:	хрВ)
Gender	Male	0.921		
	Female	0.684	1.2	
Age group	up to 24	0.415		
	25 - 45	0.880	0.9	
	45 or over	0.168	0.4	
Household composition ¹	Single adult	0.114		
	Couple without children	0.058	3.5	
	Lone parent with children under 18	0.163	2.3	
	Couple with children under 18	0.269	2.0	
	Not stated/asked	0.228	0.2	
Respondent (or partner) has	Yes	0.553		
earned income	No	0.288	0.6	
Take home income per week -	Less than £100	0.566		
respondent and partner	£100 - £199	0.676	1.3	
	£200 - £299	0.429	1.8	
	£300 - £399	0.292	0.4	
	£400 - £499	0.988	1.0	
	£500 or more	0.963	0.9	
Length of Orbit tenancy	10+ years	0.262		
	1-2 years	0.083	3.4	
	3-5 years	0.591	1.4	
	6-10 years	0.894	1.1	
	Less than a year	0.603	0.7	
Whether have Tenancy Support	No	0.760		
Worker	Yes	0.873	0.9	
Received further training or advice on money matters	Yes (reference is no)	0.003	6.3	**
Sample type	Learner (reference is comparison group)	0.000	23.3	**
Constant		0.011	0.1	
Nakelkerke R²			0.58	
Sample size			242	

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Table A13: Logistic regression predicting having no rent arrears in May 2012

Regression analysis examines the extent to which characteristics relate to tenants having no rent arrears, after holding constant the influence of all other characteristics included in the analysis. Characteristics that are deemed to have an independent relationship with the outcome measure are those with a p-value smaller than 0.05. These are said to be 'significant' predictors (and are indicated with an asterisk, '*'); those with a p-value of less than 0.01 are considered 'highly significant' (and are indicated with a double asterisk, '**').

		Significance (p value)	Odds ratio	(Exp (B))
Gender	Male	.700		. ,,
	Female	.398	0.7	
Age group	Up to 24	.816		
	25 - 45	.430	0.6	
	45 or over	.857	0.9	
Household composition	Single adult	.262		
	Couple without children	.680	1.3	
	Lone parent, children under 18	.298	0.5	
	Couple, children under 18	.307	0.5	
Respondent (or partner) has earned	Yes	.251		
income	No	.860	1.1	
Take home income per week -	Less than £100	.502		
respondent and partner	£100 - £199	.550	1.6	
	£200 - £299	.264	2.5	
	£300 - £399	.151	4.1	
	£400 - £499	.143	5.1	
	£500 or more	.145	7.4	
Length of tenancy	More than ten years	.389		
	Less than a year	.353	0.5	
	1-2 years	.778	0.8	
	3-5 years	.256	2.4	
	6-10 years	.527	0.6	
Whether have Tenancy Support Worker	No	.943		
	Yes	.912	1.1	
Received (further) advice or training on money matters since baseline	Yes	.406	0.5	
Sample	Learners (reference is comparison group)	.525	1.4	
Rent arrears in July 2011?	No (reference is has arrears)	.000	35.9	**
Constant		.057	0.1	
Nakelkerke R²			0.584	
Sample size			228	