

RESOURCES

WEBSITES

Social Security Administration

<https://www.ssa.gov>

- Account log-in/sign-up
<https://www.ssa.gov/myaccount>
- Benefit Calculators
<https://www.ssa.gov/planners/calculators>
- WEP Chart
<https://www.ssa.gov/planners/retire/wep-chart.html>

AARP

Social Security Resource Center

<https://www.aarp.org/retirement/social-security>

Investopedia

Retirement Planning – Social Security

<https://www.investopedia.com/social-security-4427727>

The Institute for Financial Education

<https://ifeonline.org> | <https://myife.org>

BOOKS

Kotlikoff, L. J., Moeller, P., & Solman, P. (2016). *Get what's yours: The secrets to maxing out your social security* (Rev. ed.). Simon & Schuster.

Piper, M. (2017). *Social security made simple: Social security retirement benefits and related planning topics explained in 100 pages or less*. Simple Subjects, LLC.

Social Security Administration. (2020). *Social security handbook 2020: Overview of social security programs*. Bernan Associates, Inc.

Weber, J. (2020). *Answers to 100 frequently asked questions about social security retirement benefits* (3rd ed.). Welcome Rain Publishers.

ONLINE ARTICLES

Peter G. Peterson Foundation. (2021, August 21). *Budget basics: How does social security work?* Pgp.org.
<https://www.pgp.org/budget-basics/how-does-social-security-work>

PODCAST

For Your Benefit – Weekly episodes, Mondays at 10:00am ET

Leins, B. (Host). (2015-present). *For your benefit* [Audio podcast]. Federal News Network.

<https://federalnewsnetwork.com/category/federal-insights/for-your-benefit>

Recommended episodes:

Leins, B. (Host) & Elliot, J. (Co-host). (2020, March 16). Social security – How it works [Audio podcast episode]. *For Your Benefit*. Federal News Network. <https://federalnewsnetwork.com/for-your-benefit/2020/03/social-security-how-it-works>

Leins, B. (Host) & Elliot, J. (Co-host). (2019, October 7). Understanding social security: Tips to help maximize your benefit amount [Audio podcast episode]. *For Your Benefit*. Federal News Network. <https://federalnewsnetwork.com/for-your-benefit/2019/10/understanding-social-security-tips-to-help-maximize-your-benefit-amount>