

- Open an account with any amount—there's no minimum investment.
- Get federal and state tax benefits.\*
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- Take advantage of low costs.
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New York's 529 Direct Plan

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Investment returns are not guaranteed, and you could lose money by investing in the *Direct Plan*.

A plan of regular investment can't ensure a profit or protect against a loss.

Before you invest, consider whether your or the beneficiary's home state offers any state tax or other benefits that are only available for investments in that state's 529 plan. Other state benefits may include financial aid, scholarship funds, and protection from creditors.

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