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Through our Master Money Mentor Program we have another connection to University of Florida resources. Read this article by one of the University coordinators on...

## **Mom V.S. Money**

Written by Selena Garrison

As a new mom, I am realizing that financial management takes on a whole new twist when you have a little person to take care of. I have a Master degree in family financial management and even teach courses on the subject, but applying what I have learned to my own life during this new stage is a struggle! In talking to other friends about this, I realize that I am not alone. That is why I started [MomVsMoney.com](http://MomVsMoney.com)!

MomVsMoney.com is a website dedicated to providing financial management tips for young families. The site utilizes a blog format to share tips on what is (and is not) working for my family, as well as things I have learned in my education and profession that I see working for other families. There are articles ranging from inexpensive date ideas to saving for college to making your own baby food, with more articles being added each week.

In addition to hearing from me, readers can also find articles from my University of Florida financial planning students! This not only gives students the opportunity to write about personal finance topics we are learning in class, but it will give you the opportunity to get ideas from 30+ different financial planning students!

How can you get involved?

- Read and comment on the articles!
- Submit questions that you would like to see answered through the “Contact Us” link in the black banner at the top of the page.
- Consider writing a guest article! If there is a topic that you are passionate about or would like to share with others, I would love to have you as a guest blogger.
- Share the site with others! Tell your friends and family about the site or “like” the articles to share them on Facebook.
- Follow the site on Twitter @momvsmoney.

My hope is that you will apply some of these financial management tips in your own lives and that they will help bring your families closer to where you want to be financially!