# pre-retirement.



Length of course: 2 hours

## **Summary**

To encourage a positive and realistic approach to a financially secure retirement and help employees make informed choices about retirement.

## Aimed at

Employees, regardless of grade considering retirement within the next three years.

## **Learning objectives**

- Identify changes in lifestyles and options available to build a new way of life
- Identify where income is expected to come from and how it is taxed differently in retirement
- Understand the State Pension and different types of workplace pensions
- Learn about the risks and reward involved in savings and investments
- Discover why increased life expectancy escalates the dangers of inflation and how to combat it
- Understand the next steps and where to receive further guidance and regulated financial advice

## Course structure

#### Income needs in retirement

- Considerations for retirement
- Life expectancy
- Taxation in retirement
- Income and expenditure in retirement

#### The State Pension

- Explaining the State Pension
- State Pension eligibility
- State Pension forecast

### **Employer specific workplace pension**

- Defined Benefit schemes
- Defined Contribution schemes
- Explanation of the scheme(s)
- Options at retirement
- Impact of early retirement
- Options for increasing benefits
- The impact of death in retirement
- Options on how to receive your pension(s)

#### Bringing it all together

• Generating a retirement income

## Inflation in retirement

• How inflation can erode the value of money over time

## Savings and investments

- Financial goals
- Understanding investment risk
- Risk and return in the real world

#### Taxation

- Income tax in retirement
- Tax allowances

