

Student Loan PayDown

Make a positive impact on your company's bottom line and your employees' financial well-being through direct contributions towards employees' student loans.

Why Student Loan PayDown for Your Workforce:



Flexible Program Design

Create benefit programs that best fit your workforce's needs with ease, directly within the admin portal.



of Gradifi participants felt less stress about their student loans due to Gradifi.³



Tax Free Contributions¹

Employer-funded contributions of up to \$5,250 per employee per year toward employee student loan debt are tax-free, making the impact of Student Loan PayDown more meaningful for your employees.



For every \$1 spent in contributions, \$1.64 is saved by employees in student loan payments.⁴

	WITHOUT EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS	WITH EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS
Loan Balance	\$26,500	\$18,300
Total Interest	\$5,696	\$3,850
Total Years of Repayment	10 years	6.9 years
Total Cost of Loan ²	\$32,196	\$22,150

^{1.} The Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 (CAA), extends for five years COVID-19 relief that allows employer-provided student loan repayment as a tax-free benefit to employees under Section 127 of the Internal Revenue Code.

^{2.} Estimated savings are based on a \$26,500 student loan balance with a 4.00% interest rate, under a 10-year repayment plan with a \$100 monthly employer contribution plus regular monthly payments made by the borrower

^{3.} E*TRADE Financial Corporate Services, Gradifi Solutions Member Satisfaction Survey, 2019

^{4.} Data sourced from E*TRADE Financial Corporate Services, Gradifi Solutions admin portal, for a sample of 15 employees, on May 15, 2020. All contributions for employees are as follows: \$100 for month 1-12, \$125 for month 13-24, \$150 for month 25+. Payment savings are for principal and interest



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