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Name: _____

Date: _____

Real World Budget Project

DIRECTIONS: Fill out completely! Use budget expectations to estimate monthly expenses or include a printout of item's price if found on the Internet or in the newspaper for a cheaper rate.

Income

Annual Salary: _____
Salary after tax: _____
Monthly take home pay: _____

Part time job? _____ (-3 points)

**Household expenses

**Where to live _____
**Utilities _____
TV/Internet _____
Home telephone _____
Cell phone _____
Other Household _____

TOTAL Household _____

**Transportation

Car Payment (per car) _____
Insurance _____ *must if car
Gasoline (per car) _____ * must if car
Maintenance & Repair _____ * must if car
Public Transportation _____
Other _____

TOTAL transportation _____

** Food

**Groceries _____
Lunches & Snacks _____
Eating Out _____

TOTAL Food _____

Healthcare (-5 points if not chosen)

Doctor visits _____
Dentist _____
Prescriptions _____
Medical Insurance _____
Other medical cost _____

TOTAL Food _____

Looking Good

** Clothes & Shoes _____
** Toiletries _____
** Laundry & Cleaners _____
Hair Care _____
Other _____

TOTAL looking good _____

Just for fun

Movies/games/concerts _____
Dates/Trips _____
Music Purchases _____
Books & magazines _____
Hobbies _____
Other _____

TOTAL just for fun _____

Miscellaneous

Credit Card Payment _____
Savings & Investments _____
Education Expense _____
Gifts & Charity _____
Pets (per pet) _____
Childcare _____

TOTAL miscellaneous _____

TOTAL BUDGET	
Total Monthly Pay	_____
- TOTAL EXPENSES	_____
= BOTTOM LINE	_____