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Parents play a key role in children’s life. As for whether parents should give their children some pocket money, ideas vary. Some people say that allowance is conductive to enriching children’s life; others mention that children lack self-control and this pose a threat to their future development. However, my view is that giving some weekly money to children can offer some benefits.

First, giving children weekly money can help them establish financial awareness. If children have some money, they need plan how to use it. And this can improve their money management ability. By contrast, if children don’t have weekly money, they may lack financial awareness and splash money. This point can be illustrated with the example of my cousin Jim. When he was a primary school student, his parents would give him some allowance weekly. Most of time, he would put the money into his saving pot. When he have enough money, he would use it to buy some video games or sneakers. And this cultivate his financial awareness. When he went to the university, he knew how to cope money issue and he would not live paycheck to paycheck.

Second, if parents give their kids some money weekly, children can expand their social network. Because they take part in more social activities and this can Most of social activities need cost money. They can make some new friends and improve their relationship in those activities. For example, when I was a little boy at 12. My parents gave me 10 dollar weekly. I spent this money in some social activities with my classmate. Sometimes we would watch some movies or football matches. And I always made some new friends who like the same football team with me. Furthermore, we rented fields to paly the football game now and then. The games improved my team spirit and promote our friendship. The allowance enrich my daily life.

In conclusion, giving children weekly allowance not only can enrich their life, but also can cultivate their money management ability. Thus it is preferable for parents to give children some pocket money weekly.

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