

http://www.ssa.gov/

The screenshot shows the Social Security Administration website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Accessibility, Contact Us, FAQs, Español, Other Languages, and Sign In. Below this is a search bar and a main navigation menu with links for Home, Numbers & Cards, Benefits, Information for..., Business & Government, and Our Agency. The main content area features a large banner with the text "Someday I will sit in the front row." and "What's your Someday? Join the millions and discover your benefits. Open a my Social Security account." Below the banner are four service tiles: "my Social Security" (Sign in, Create an Account), "Online Services" (Whether you are applying for or receiving benefits, learn what you can do online.), "Retirement Estimator" (Calculate your benefits based on your actual Social Security earnings record & apply online.), and "Disability Facts" (Learn more about the Faces and Facts of Disability.).

STEP 1: Click on “Retirement Estimator”

If you are currently receiving only Medicare benefits, you can still get an estimate and [Retirement Information For Medicare Beneficiaries](#).

If you cannot use the Retirement Estimator **or** you want a survivors or disability benefit estimate, please use one of our other benefit [Calculators](#).

[Estimate Your Retirement Benefits](#)

Important
You cannot use the Retirement Estimator if you [blocked access](#) to your personal information.

How Long Can You Stay On Each Page?

For security reasons, there are time limits for viewing each page. You will receive a warning after 25 minutes without doing anything, and you will be able to extend your time on the page.

STEP 2: Scroll down and click the blue box labeled “Estimate Your Retirement Benefits”



Social Security

The Official Website of the U.S. Social Security Administration

Verify Your Identity

Please tell us who you are

Your Name:

As shown on your Social Security Card.

<input type="text" value="George"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="Washington"/>	<input type="text"/>
First	M.I.	Last	Suffix

Other last name:

Mother's maiden name:

Enter the last name only.

Social Security Number (SSN):

Date of birth:

<input type="text" value="January"/>	<input type="text" value="01"/>	<input type="text" value="1900"/>
Month	Day	Year

Place of birth:

United States or U.S. Territory Other

State/Territory

STEP 3: Fill in the following fields:

Your Name

Other Last Name (if applicable)

Mother's Maiden Name

Social Security Number

Date of Birth

Place of Birth

Terms Of Service

- I understand that I may use this service only to access my personal information.
- I understand that this computer program contains U.S. Government information.
- I consent to the monitoring and recording of my use of this program to ensure its appropriate use.
- I understand that it is a federal crime to:
 - Give false or misleading statements to obtain information in Social Security records; or
 - Deceive the Social Security Administration of an individuals identity.
- I understand that unauthorized use of this service is a misrepresentation of my identity to the federal government and could subject me to criminal or civil penalties, or both.
- I understand that Social Security may stop me from using these services online if it finds or suspects misuse.

I agree to the Terms of Service.

Submit

Exit

STEP 4: Review the "Terms of Service"

Check the box "I agree to the Terms of Service"

Click "Submit"

Retirement Estimator

Create Your Retirement Benefit Estimate

Please provide some earnings information so that we can calculate your retirement estimate.

Last Year's Earnings:

Only include wages or net self-employment income that is covered by Social Security.

\$

Example: 40000 or 40,000 or 0

Next

Exit

STEP 5: Enter your gross salary from employment or self-employment. Estimating is okay.

If you are retired or unemployed, enter 0.

Click "Next"

Retirement Estimator

Your Retirement Benefit Estimate

The age that you start your benefits determines how much you receive each month.

We created estimates for you at three common retirement ages using your earnings information. You can also add your own custom estimates by changing your stop work age and future earnings.

If you start your benefits:	And you earn an average of:	Your benefit will be about:
At full retirement (age 67)	a year (from now until full retirement)	\$ a month
At age 70	a year (from now until age 70)	\$ a month
At age 62	a year (from now until age 62)	\$ a month

Add a New Estimate

Exit

STEP 6: Note your Full Retirement Age FRA benefit. Enter this number into the request form. If retiring prior to age 62, click "Add a New Estimate" to create a more accurate projection.

Retirement Estimator

Add a New Estimate

What age do you plan to stop working?

If you select an age prior to 62, we will estimate your benefits starting at age 62.

What is your average future earnings (per year)?

Estimate your average yearly income between now and when you stop working.

\$

Example: 40000 or 40,000 or 0

Submit

Cancel

STEP 7: Select the age you plan to retire. Estimate your average future employment gross earnings.

Click "Submit" to get your Full Retirement Age FRA benefit which will show on the next page. Go to the Secure Online Form at the bottom of my e-mail and enter this estimate into the request form.