

Half-way there

The must-know guide to your pension in mid-career



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Here's what you'll learn



Plan basics



Understanding your annual
employee pension statement



Ways to increase
your pension

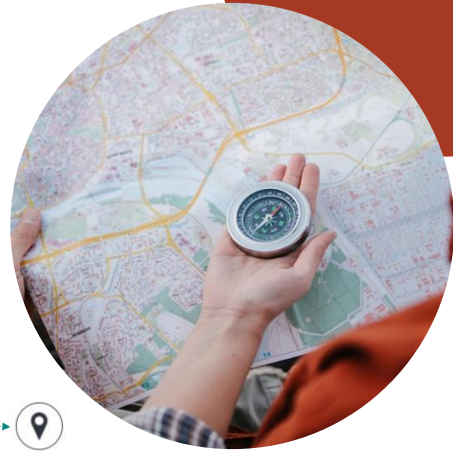


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PART I PLAN BASICS



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Civil Service Superannuation Fund

- ✓ 57,000 members strong
- ✓ \$9.1 billion assets
(we're kind of a big deal)
- ✓ \$55 million/monthly pensioner payroll
- ✓ Governed by
 - *The Civil Service Superannuation Act*
 - *The Pension Benefits Act*
 - *Income Tax Act of Canada*



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Advantages

- ✓ Guaranteed monthly payments for life
- ✓ No risk
- ✓ Managed by a team of professionals
- ✓ Set it and forget it
- ✓ You and your employer contribute
- ✓ Enjoy some protection from cost-of-living increases



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What you contribute

8%

on salary up to
\$71,300

(2025 Canada
Pension Plan
Maximum)

+

9%

on salary above
\$71,300

(earnings over
Canada Pension
Plan Maximum)



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Contribution example



Mona works for Manitoba Public Insurance. Her salary today is **\$78,000**.



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Your pension formula

2% x average **best five years** pensionable earnings x pensionable service

MINUS

0.4% x average of the CPP earnings based on the same five years x pensionable service

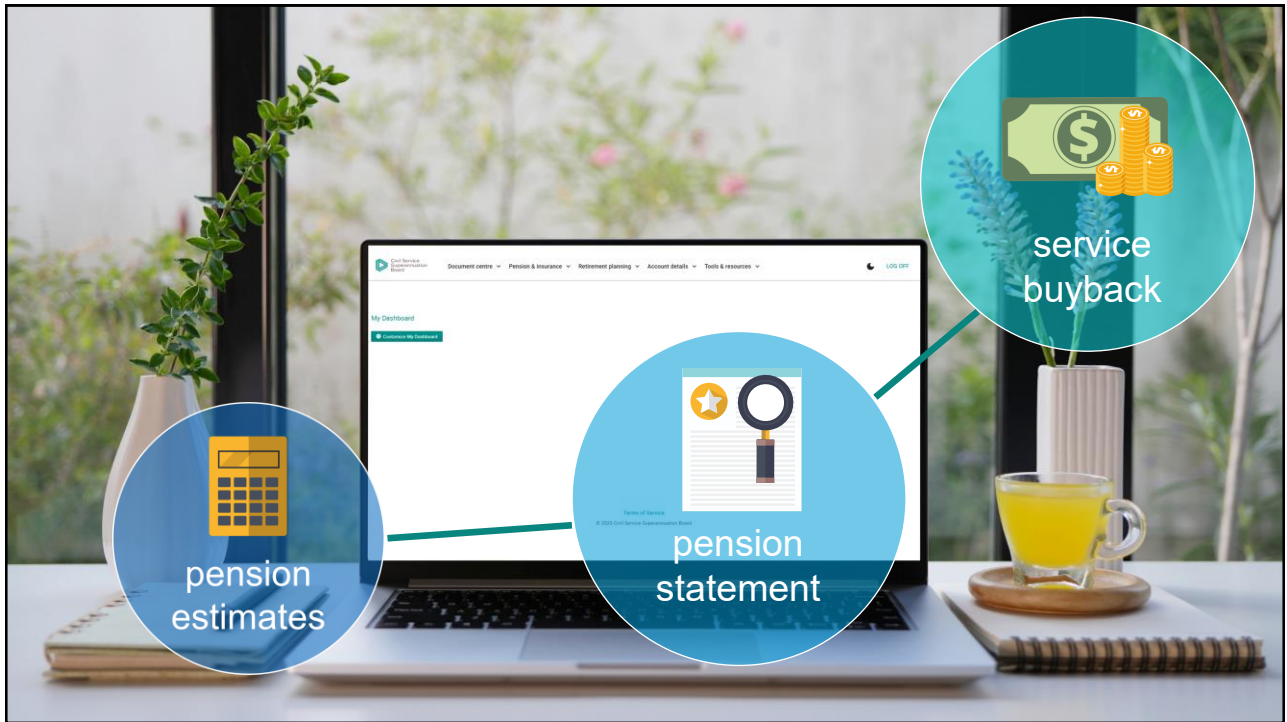
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Annual Pension

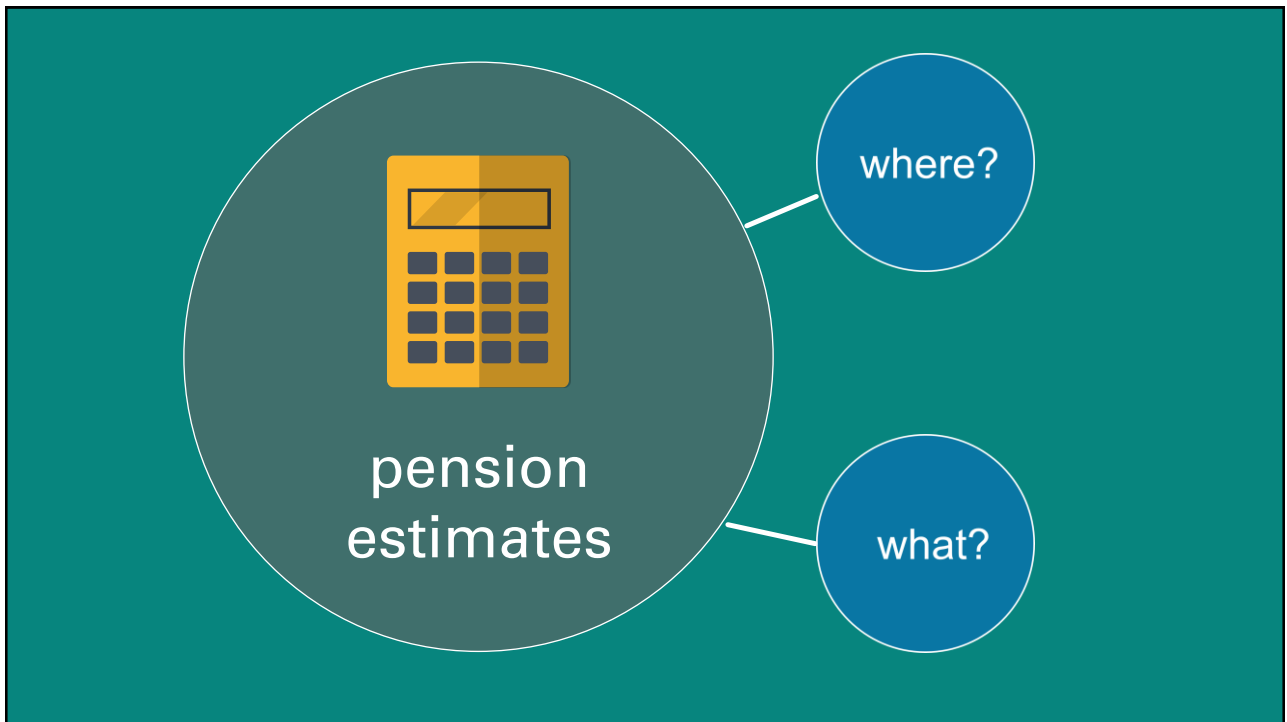


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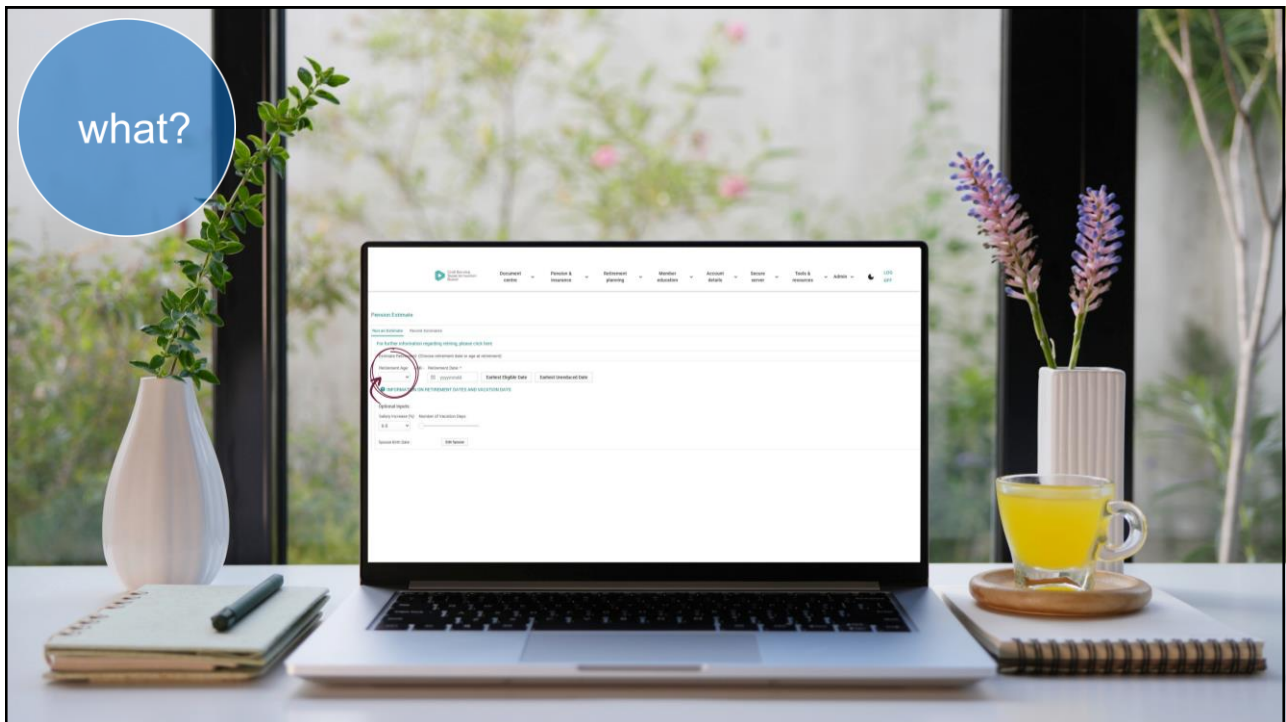
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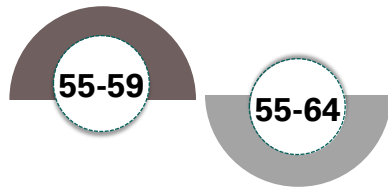
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When can you retire?

Reduced pension



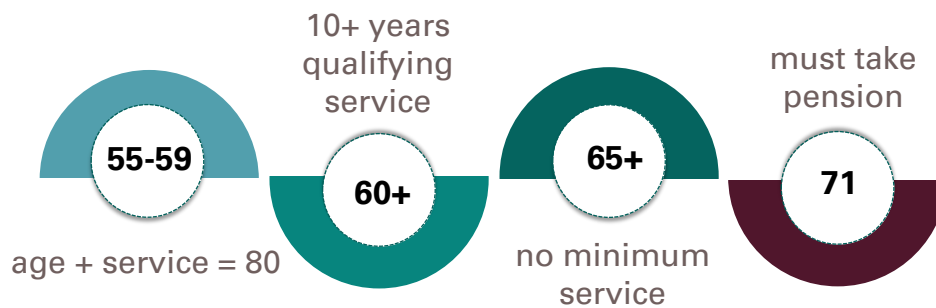
Unreduced pension



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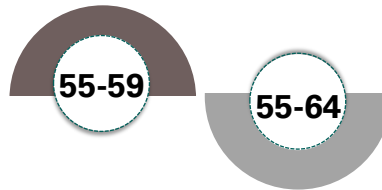


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Reduced pension

10 or more years
qualifying service
AND
age + service =
less than 80



less than 10
years of
qualifying
service



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*The only way you
can predict the
future is to build it.*

- Alan Kay



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1. How do you want to spend your retirement?

2. Who do you want to spend your retirement with?

3. What kind of impact do you want to have?



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1. How do you want to spend your retirement?

Travelling, volunteering at animal shelter, enjoying
lots of leisure time

2. With whom do you want to spend your retirement?

Family, friends, (maybe!) grandkids

3. What kind of impact do you want to have?

Donate time and money to favourite animal shelter,
make sure loved ones are financially secure



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PART II UNDERSTANDING YOUR ANNUAL EMPLOYEE PENSION STATEMENT



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**Personal
info****Employee Pension Statement for the Period from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023**

Please review your statement and advise the Civil Service Superannuation Board if you notice any errors.

Date of Birth: July 10, 1978
 Date of Hire: December 31, 2006
 Fund Entry Date: April 9, 2007



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Actual**Retirement**

The following are lifetime monthly pension amounts with no continuing payments to a beneficiary in the event of your death. Other options will be available upon retirement.

Accrued Monthly pension (before reduction, if applicable)

\$1,700

Your earliest unreduced pension date is July 10, 2033



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Projections

The following estimated projected pension amounts assume current year service and earnings for future years. Any difference between projected and actual information could result in a difference between your projected and actual benefits.

Retirement Date	Monthly Lifetime Pension
July 10, 2033 (earliest)	\$2,600
July 10, 2038 (age 60)	\$3,200
July 10, 2043 (age 65/Normal Retirement Age)	\$3,800
July 10, 2033 (Rule of 80)	\$2,600



Spouse/Common-Law Partner: John Smith
Birthday date: August 16, 1974

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\$3,800/monthly

✓ Age 65

✗ Possible arthritis

✓ Strong social connections

✓ \$1,200 increase pension

✓ More financially ready

✓ Can travel in style

✓ Can have impact she wants to

✓ No debt

✓ Can receive CPP and OAS

\$2,600/monthly

✓ Age 55

✓ Healthy

✓ Strong social connections

✗ Lowest pension

✗ Not financially ready

✗ Can't travel the way she wants to

✗ Can't have impact she wants to

✗ Still has debt

✗ Can't receive CPP and OAS

\$3,200/monthly

✓ Age 60

✓ Healthy

✓ Strong social connections

✓ \$600 increase pension

✓ More financially ready

✗ Still can't travel the way she wants to

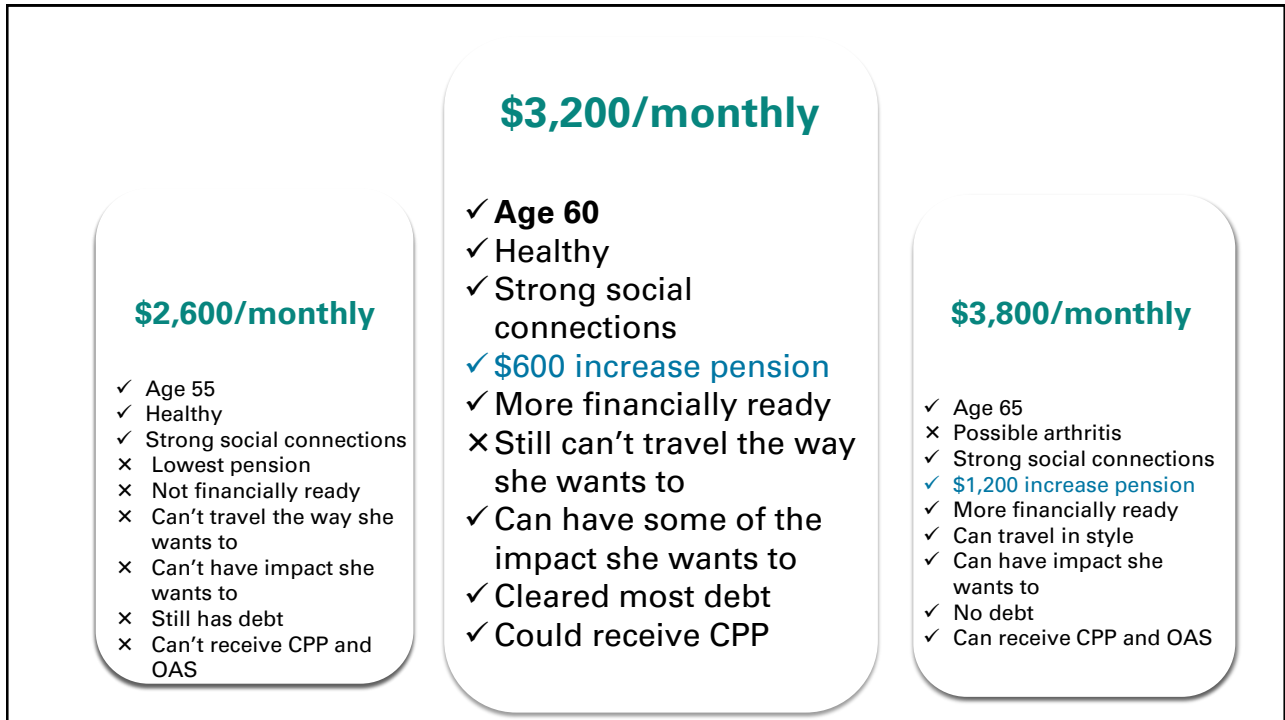
✓ Can have some of the impact she wants to

✓ Cleared most debt

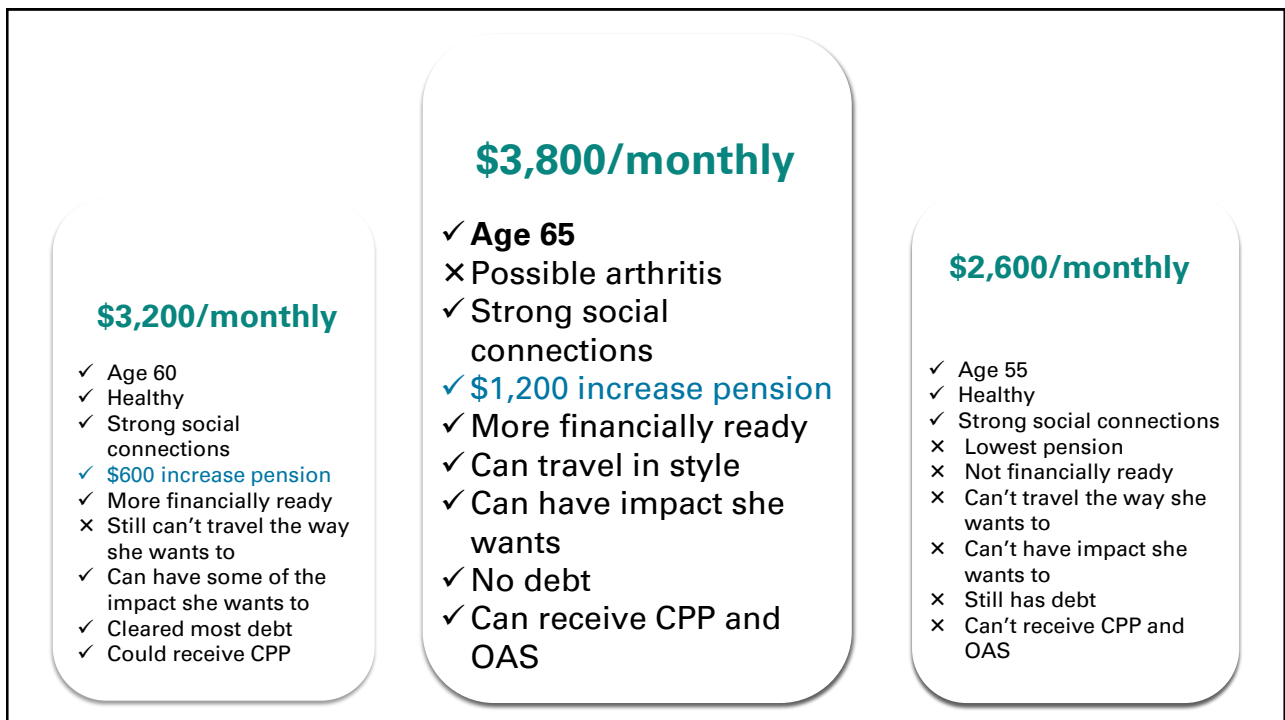
✓ Could receive CPP

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Additional Information

Service:
Years of Pensionable Service at December 31, 2023
Years of Qualifying Service at December 31, 2023
Regular Pensionable Service Credited in 2023

14.6000
17.0000
1.0000



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Earnings:
2023 Pensionable Earnings
2022 Pensionable Earnings

\$82,000
\$80,000

2023 CPP Earnings
2022 CPP Earnings

\$66,600
\$64,900



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Earnings:			
2023 Pensionable Earnings	\$82,000	2023 CPP Earnings	\$66,600
2022 Pensionable Earnings	\$80,000	2022 CPP Earnings	\$64,900

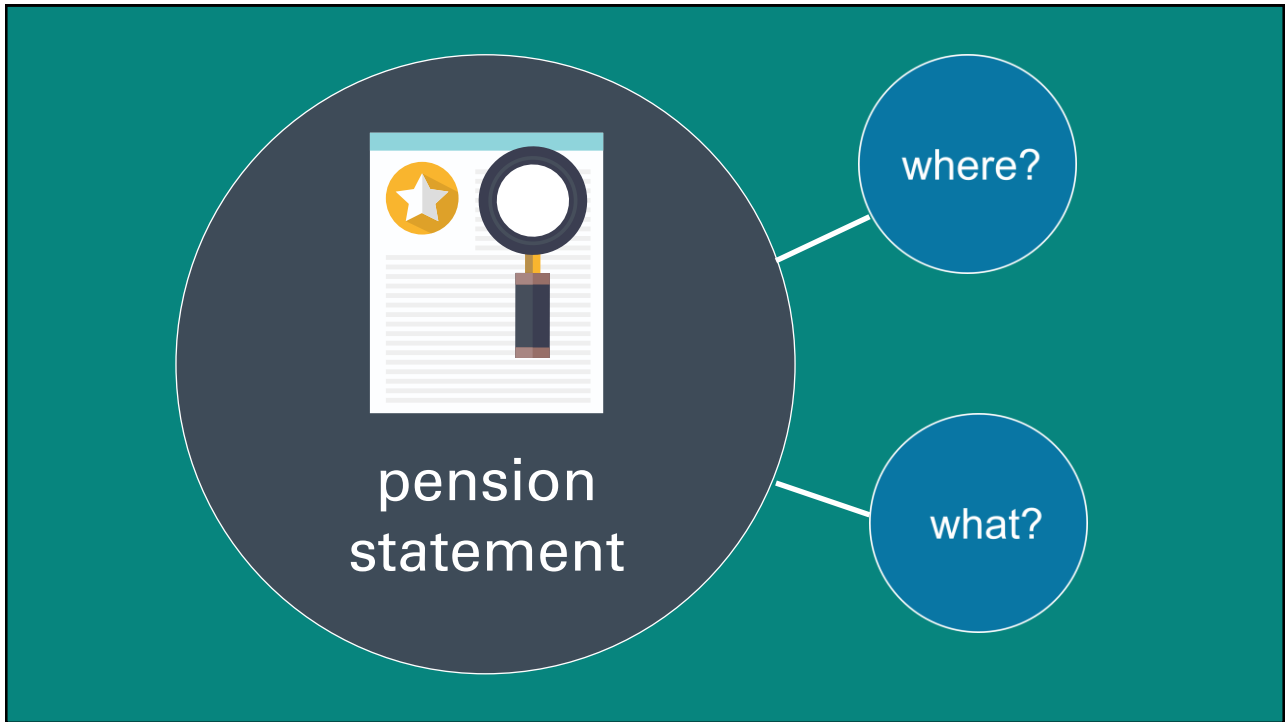
Contributions:	
Contributions and Interest to December 31, 2022	
Contributions for 2023	
Interest for 2023	
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\$79,900
\$6,700
\$2,600
\$89,200

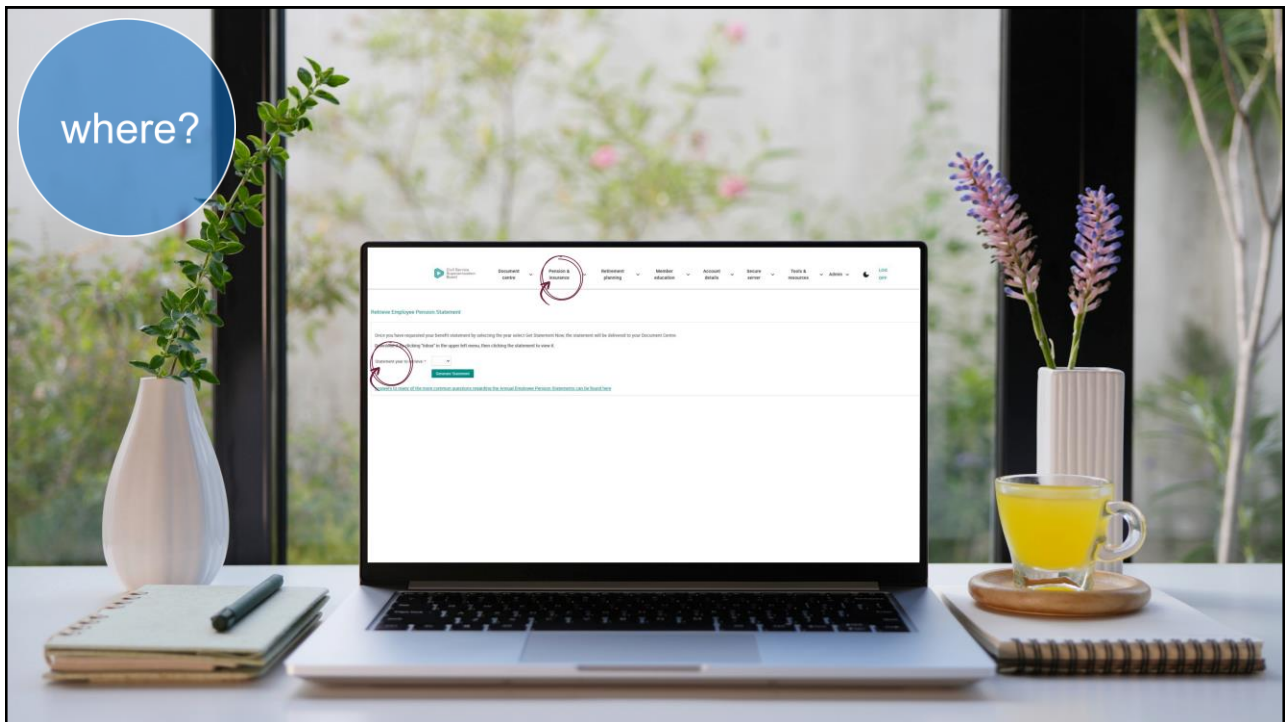


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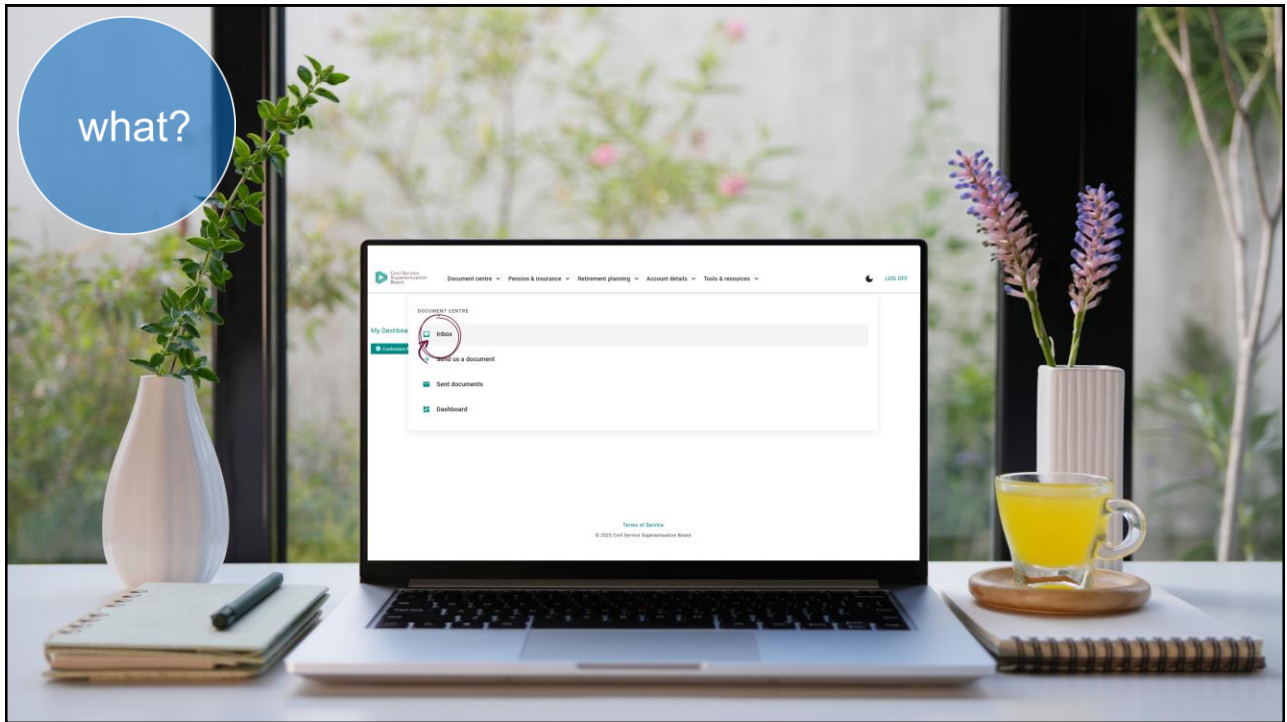




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PART III WAYS TO INCREASE YOUR PENSION

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Ways to increase your pension

- ✓ Earnings
- ✓ Service



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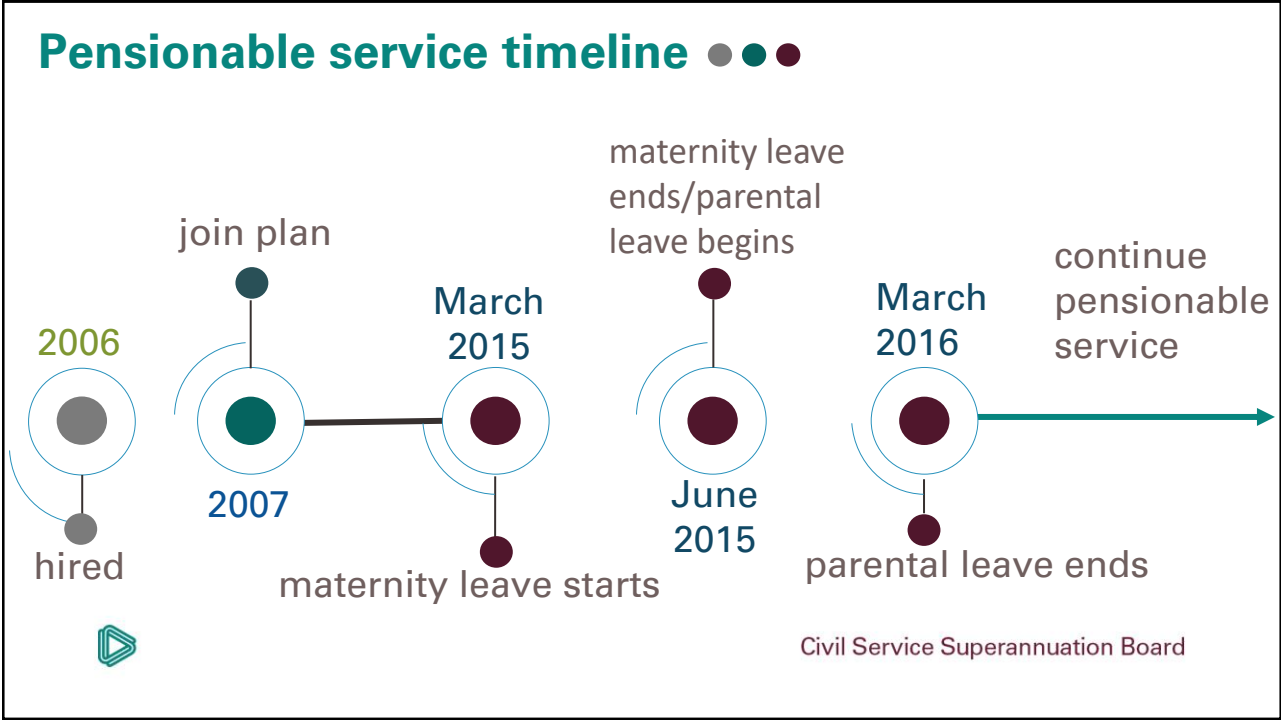
Buying missed service

- ✓ Maternity leave
- ✓ Parental and adoptive leave
- ✓ Service buyback



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Maternity leave in 2015

Annual salary	\$57,000
Eligible maternity leave service	0.3269
Cost to purchase	\$1,500
Future annual pension increase	\$260

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Service buyback 2025

Annual salary	\$78,000
Eligible maternity leave service	0.3269
Cost to purchase	\$4,000
Future annual pension increase	\$420



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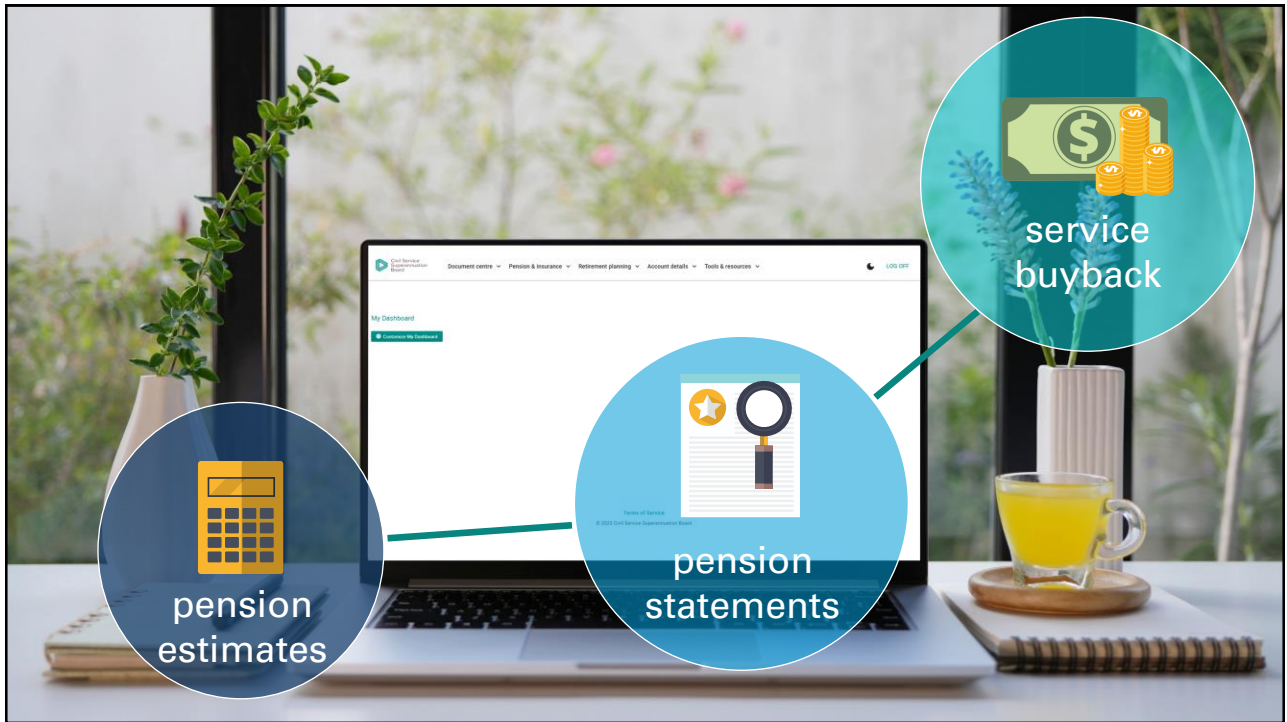
Comparison

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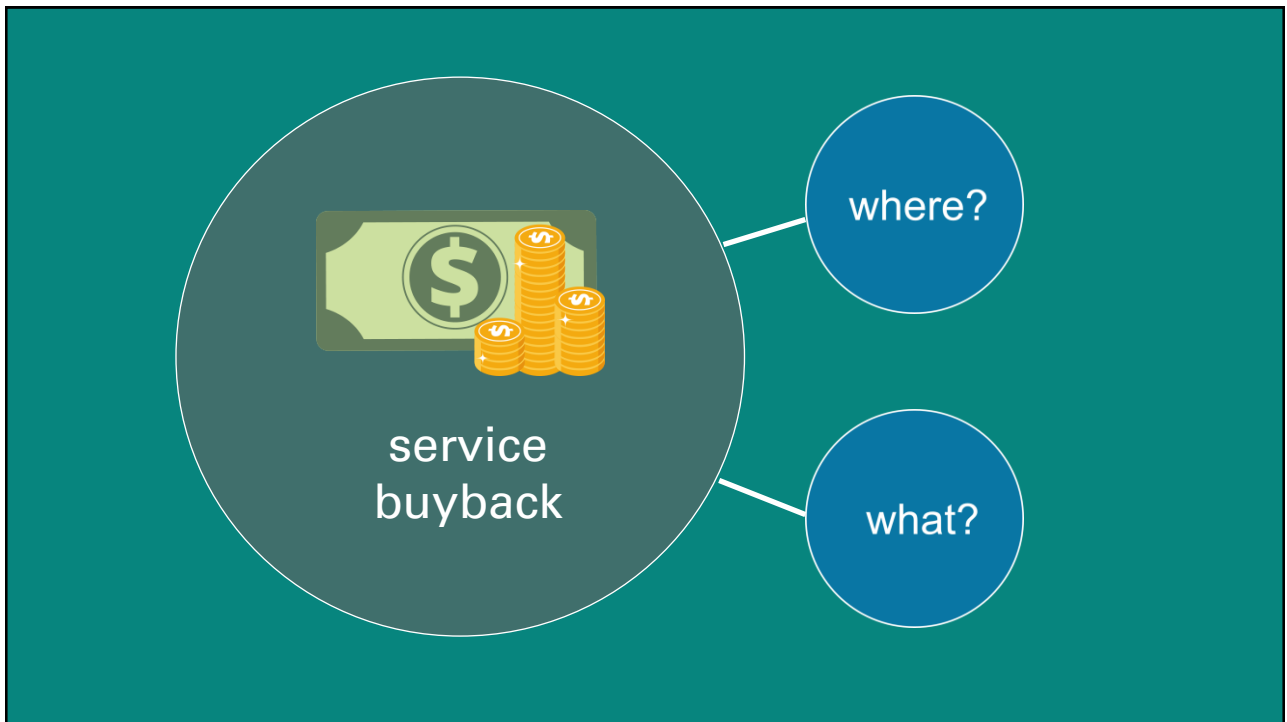


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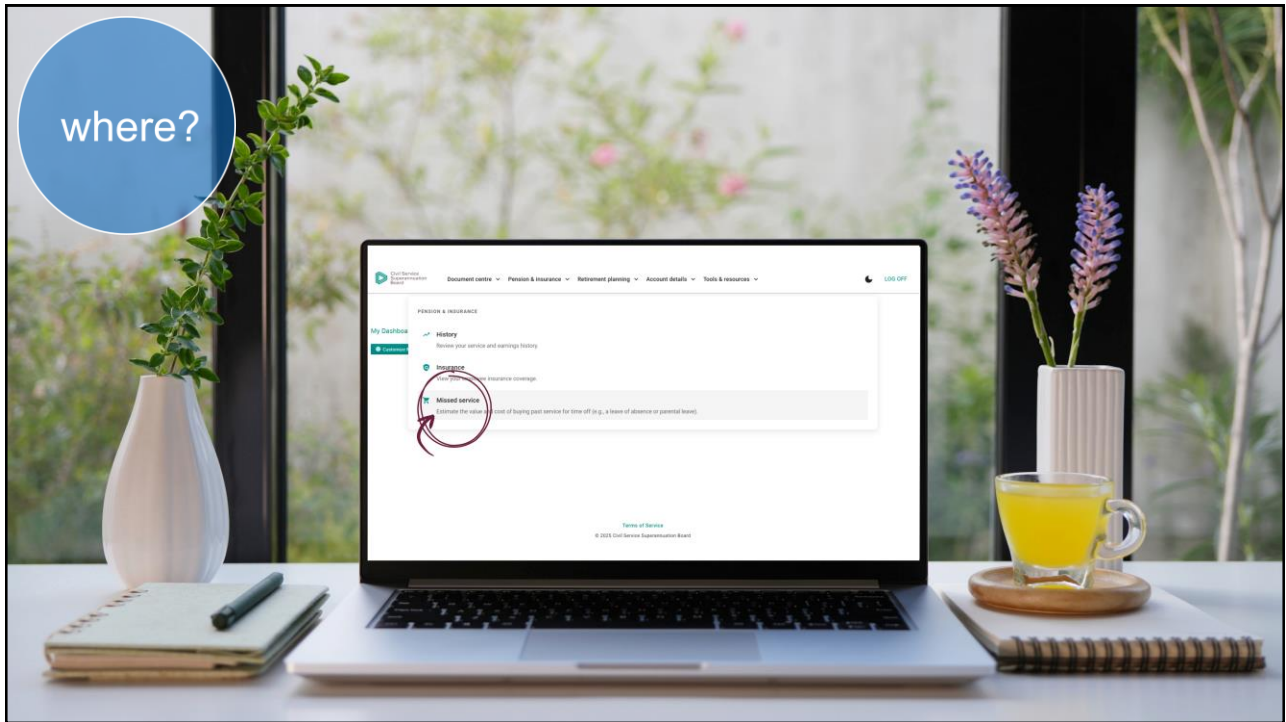
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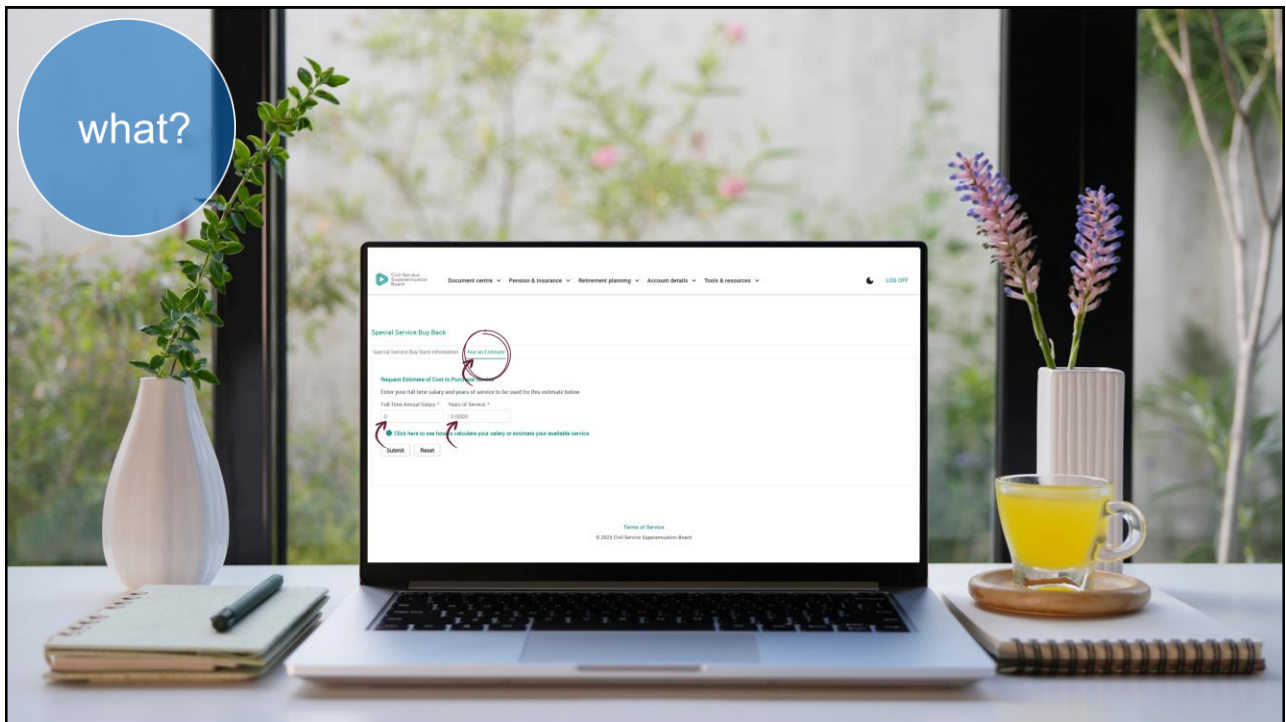
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Combining accounts & transferring your pension

✓ Combining accounts will increase your pension

✓ We have service transfer agreements with employers across Manitoba and Canada



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