

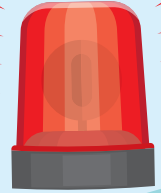


OPERATION: M3

For the kids at
TDECU - Your Credit Union
FALL 2019

OPERATION: SHOP SMART!

(AKA, AVOID SPENDING TRAPS)



M3 CODE RED!

Dr. Spendit has unleashed the MeMe's at the mall to set spending traps! They want to trick you into spending money on things you don't want or need.

Use these super smart M3 tips to dodge the traps and save your cash!

> WATCH FOR WINDOWS

Stores without many windows make you forget about how much time you spend shopping (because you can't see when it gets dark). The longer you stay inside a store, the more money you might spend.

> BEWARE SNEAKY SALES

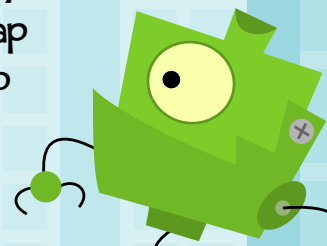
Stores put items on sale for one reason: to get you to spend money on stuff you didn't plan to buy.

> SKIP THE CHEAP STUFF (EVEN IF IT LOOKS YUMMY)

The trickiest trick of them all happens when you're waiting in line to buy something. Aisles near the cash register are usually loaded with cheap candy. Stores hope that you'll pick up something that doesn't cost too much money and buy it without thinking.



BONUS TIP: ALWAYS MAKE A LIST OF WHAT YOU NEED BEFORE YOU SHOP AND STICK TO IT.



M3 SUPER SECRET PROFILES

SPOTLIGHT ON... DR. SPENDIT



▶ FAVORITE ACTIVITIES:

- Tricking people into spending their money.
- Making new money scamming gadgets in his lab.
- Stealing money from kids all over the world.
- Collecting old, broken bank items (safes, desks, etc.)

▶ DREAMS ABOUT:

Total world domination by collecting all of the money in the world.

▶ FAVORITE SNACK:

Any kind of Halloween candy—ALL year long!

▶ FACTS ABOUT SPENDIT:

- Considers himself a master of disguise (but he's really horrible at it).
- He's always asking people for rides because he doesn't know how to drive.

▶ HIS BIGGEST SECRET:

He's scared of puppies, the smaller the scarier.

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