

# RBC Target 2040 Education Fund



### Investment objective

Fund specifically designed to meet the changing needs of investors who are saving money for the purpose of funding a post secondary education that commences around 2040.

### Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF276

<b>Inception date</b>	July 2022
<b>Total fund assets \$MM</b>	103.7
<b>Series A NAV \$</b>	12.27
<b>Series A MER %</b>	1.95

<b>Income distribution</b>	Annually
<b>Capital gains distribution</b>	Annually
<b>Sales status</b>	Open
<b>Minimum investment \$</b>	500
<b>Subsequent investment \$</b>	25
<b>Risk rating</b>	Low to Medium
<b>Fund category</b>	2035+ Target Date Portfolio

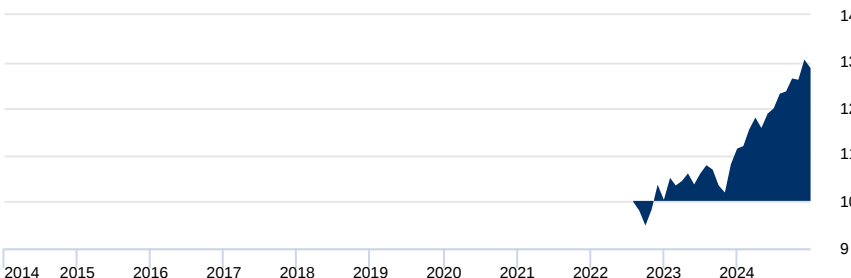
### Benchmark

28.30%	FTSE Canada Universe Overall Bond Index
25.60%	S&P 500 Total Return Index (C\$)
25.60%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index
16.40%	MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index (C\$)
4.10%	MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return Net Index (CAD)

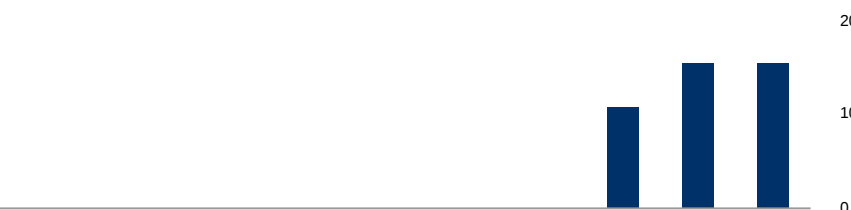
### Performance analysis for Series A as of December 31, 2024

Growth of \$10,000

Series A \$12,865



### Calendar returns %



2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.9	15.5	15.5	Fund
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
-1.4	1.8	7.2	15.5	—	—	—	12.9	Fund
3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	—	—	—	—	Quartile
45	45	43	43	—	—	—	—	# of funds in category

### Portfolio analysis as of December 31, 2024

#### Asset mix



Asset Class	% Assets
Cash	4.0
Fixed income	27.7
Canadian equities	24.2
U.S. equities	24.5
European equities	10.2
Asia-Pacific equities	3.5
Emerging markets equities	6.0

#### Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	20	33	23
Mid	5	7	8
Small	1	2	1

#### Equity characteristics

Weight %	Dividend yield (%)	2.2
● > 50	Price to earnings ratio (forward)	16.5
● 25-50	Price to book ratio	2.7
● 10-25	Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	517.1
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## Portfolio analysis continued as of December 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%	Fixed income characteristics	
RBC Bond Fund - Series O	15.1	Financials	23.9	Yield to maturity (%)	4.7
RBC High Yield Bond Fund - Series O	12.8	Information Technology	17.2	Current yield (%)	4.5
RBC Canadian Equity Fund - Series O	12.0	Industrials	13.1	Duration (years)	5.7
RBC European Equity Fund - Series O	10.0	Consumer Discretionary	8.6	Average term to maturity (years)	11.8
RBC U.S. Equity Fund - Series O	7.2	Energy	7.8	Average credit rating	BBB
RBC Private U.S. Large-Cap Core Equity Pool - Series O	7.2	Health Care	7.0		
Phillips, Hager & North U.S. Multi-Style All-Cap Equity Fund - Series O	5.4	Consumer Staples	6.1	<b>Fixed income breakdown</b>	<b>%</b>
RBC Canadian Dividend Fund - Series O	5.0	Materials	5.6	Government Bonds	27.8
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Growth Fund - Series O	5.0	Communication Services	5.4	Corporate Bonds	71.0
RBC U.S. Mid-Cap Growth Equity Fund - Series O	4.9	Utilities	2.9	Other Bonds	0.3
		Real Estate	2.0	Securitized Debt	0.0
		Unclassified	0.2	ST Investments (Cash & Other)	1.0
				Direct Mortgages	0.0
RBC Emerging Markets Equity Fund - Series O	3.9				
RBC Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity Fund - Series O	3.5				
RBC QUBE Low Volatility Canadian Equity Fund - Series O	3.0				
RBC Japanese Equity Fund - Series O	2.4				
Total % of top 25 holdings	97.4				

Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr				
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return
Highest	10-2024	23.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lowest	10-2023	3.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Average	—	12.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
No. of periods	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—
% positive	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>†</sup>Highest/lowest returns (%) is based on data since inception of the fund.

Distributions(\$)/unit*	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	—	0.00	0.01	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	0.08	0.05	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	0.08	0.05	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	-0.01	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	0.21	0.12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>0.22</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

\*Income type characterization and foreign taxes paid for the previous year, are reported at or around January month-end. Distributions reported are for the same series as the performance analysis. For distributions on other series please visit [rbcgam.com/funds](http://rbcgam.com/funds).

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