

Socially Responsible Investing

The Bendigo Socially Responsible Growth Fund is a diversified multi-manager growth fund designed to incorporate environmental, social, governance and ethical considerations into the research, selection and monitoring of investments while aiming to deliver a competitive return over the medium to long term.

The Fund targets a minimum level of 75% to be allocated to expert asset managers who incorporate environmental, social, ethical and corporate governance considerations into their asset selection.

Asset managers may consider the following when selecting assets:

- **Environmental** – strategies and actions look to address specific environmental issues, management of environmental impacts and integration of production processes with more durable, recyclable or renewable alternatives.
- **Social and Ethical** – the social impact of activities including community involvement, engagement and indigenous relations, meeting basic fundamental human rights and labour standards.
- **Governance** – the evaluation of a governance structure, board independence and gender diversification, remuneration, bribery and corruption and shareholders rights.



Comfort that good financial performance needn't compromise your values.



Links long-term success with positive environmental and social impacts.



Invest in a wide range of socially responsible assets including shares, property and fixed interest.

Investing meets positive social change

The Fund selects investments from a range of industries, including innovative technologies, aged care and health care. The Fund has an objective of entirely excluding investments in companies that produce or manufacture tobacco products and controversial weapons. Examples of tobacco products are nicotine alternatives (i.e., electronic cigarettes) and tobacco-based products (e.g., cigarettes, cigars). Examples of controversial weapons are anti-personnel mines, biological and chemical weapons, cluster weapons, depleted uranium and nuclear weapons.



Sandhurst also conducts involvement screening with an aim to reducing exposure to non-pharmaceutical animal testing and companies with high event controversy.

Further to this, Sandhurst conducts revenue monitoring of companies with the below table outlining the maximum revenue threshold per activity:

Activity	Revenue
Tobacco products (nicotine alternatives and tobacco-based products)	0%
Distribution and/or production of adult entertainment	10%
Production of alcohol	10%
Gambling operations and/or specialised gambling equipment	10%

The screening criteria applied to the Fund does not consider derivatives or certain underlying assets, including inflation-linked and government bonds, property, and unlisted assets.

Fund Facts

Fund objective A return after fees in excess of 4% above inflation over a 10 year period.

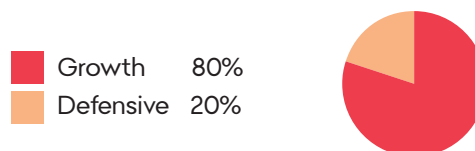
Inception date 20 September 2016

Minimum initial investment \$5,000 direct, or no minimum through Bendigo SmartStart Super®

Recommended investment timeframe 5+ years

Risk Profile Medium to high

Neutral asset position



Asset allocation

	Min	Max
Australian shares	15%	50%
International shares	20%	65%
Property & Infrastructure	0%	22%
Fixed interest	5%	25%
Alternatives	0%	20%
Cash	0%	25%

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Management Fees & Costs 1.00% p.a.² on the net asset value of the fund

Distributions Half-yearly



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The Bendigo Socially Responsible Growth Fund has been certified by Responsible Investment Association Australasia (RIAA) according to the strict operational and disclosure practices required under the responsible investment certification program. The RIAA champions responsible investing and a sustainable financial system in Australia and New Zealand.

See www.responsibleinvestment.org for details.¹

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²See the 'Fees and costs' section of the Product Disclosure Statement for full details.

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