Young adults—college students, college graduates, and those who didn't complete their degree—are responsibly managing their money

**The majority pay their bills on time**
- Student: 72%
- Graduate: 91%
- Non-completer: 84%

**Around half save money from their paycheck**
- Student: 49%
- Graduate: 62%
- Non-completer: 50%

**And, more than half track what they spend**
- Student: 55%
- Graduate: 57%
- Non-completer: 54%

College grads are the most confident in their money skills
- 7 out of 10 rate them “good” or “excellent”

**Most learned some financial skills from their parents**
- Student: 68%
- Graduate: 70%
- Non-completer: 56%

**Young adults want to grow their financial know-how**
- Student: 84%
- Graduate: 77%
- Non-completer: 69%

**But, most young adults rely on debit cards**
- Student: 85%
- Graduate: 89%
- Non-completer: 91%

**And, 86% of college students say they use mobile pay**
- Student: 57%
- Graduate: 83%
- Non-completer: 61%

**Most young adults carry at least one credit card**
- Student: 58%
- Graduate: 77%
- Non-completer: 74%

They say that establishing credit is their #1 reason for having a credit card

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