

The chart above shows major market events between 1992 and 2022, and tracks the growth of a £10,000 investment over that time. Over the last 30 years, there have been plenty of market falls and crashes, as well as rises and bubbles. But one of the main takeaways here is that, over the long term, investments have the potential to grow in value significantly.

Source: abrdn. FTSE® 100 Index, total return, with dividends reinvested, but no further payments made, from 30 June 1992 to 30 June 2022. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. In addition, returns don't include the impact of charges or inflation, which could further reduce what you get back.