



Financial Literacy Month

APRIL 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Grade Level Resource Key: K-4 red 5-8 green 9-12 gold			1 Invest in Yourself: A wonderful video for all ages on investing in themselves, their human capital... http://www.econedlink.org/interactives/index.php?iid=1&type=student	2 Money Doesn't Grow on Trees: Find ways people earn money by visiting: http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/index.php?lid=475&type=afterschool	3 Saving: Try these savings games: http://pbskids.org/itsmylife/games/mad_money_flash.html http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/games/road_trip/road_trip.html?width=600&height=420	4 Fun K-12 Financial Activities at Home: Looking for financial activities for families? Check out these parent guides at http://fffl.councilforeconed.org/book-overview.php?gradeLevel=Parent-Guides
For more information, contact: Jennifer jennifer@economicsarkansas.org Marsha marsha@economicsarkansas.org			8 Advertising: Be an ad detective! http://www.admongo.gov/ http://pbskids.org/dontbuyit/	9 Budgeting: Try these activities: http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/projector.php?lid=483&type=educator National Budget Simulation: http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/index.php?lid=306&type=student	10 Allowance: Check out this School House Rock video on the subject of allowance. http://www.youtube.com/v/GawH48QNDfc?version=3	11 Take Charge Today: Ready to teach, activity based lessons at no cost. https://takechargetoday.arizona.edu/
5 Banks: Get your hands on some great resources to share the roles of banks at www.handsonbanking.com	6 Interest: Use this compound interest calculator to see how your money works for you. http://www.econedlink.org/interactives/index.php?iid=2&type=educator	7 FREE Resources: A great place to find K-12 lesson plans, videos, podcasts, and more is the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank at www.stlouisfed.org/education_resources	15 The True Cost of Credit: How much does that new item really cost using a credit card? http://www.aie.org/managing-your-money/credit-cards/Calculating-the-True-Cost-of-Credit.cfm	16 Investing: http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/index.php?lid=707&type=student http://www.kidseconposters.com/posters/the-basics/investing/?query=categorq_eg.The%20Basics&back=posters	17 Stocks: A great way to learn about investing is the Stock Market Game available to 4 th -12 th grade students. www.stockmarketgame.org	18 Bonds: Two great resources to teach about bonds: http://www.stlouisfed.org/education_resources/no-frills-money-skills/episode-4-understanding-bonds/ https://www.treasurydirect.gov/kids/kids.htm
12 Credit: Activities about Credit http://www.maysfinancial.com/money-management/the-quest-for-credit-winning-the-battle-for-credit/ http://www.themint.org/teachers/buy-now-and-pay-later.html	13 Finance in the Classroom Many great resources may be found at: http://financeintheclassroom.org/student/activities.shtml	14 Let's Chat: Check out a number of personal finance 101 chats at http://www.stlouisfed.org/education_resources/personal-finance-101-chats/	22 Preparing for College: Do you have a plan for college? Visit http://www.arkansas529.org/?page_id=72 to learn more.	23 Investor Protection: Students can learn more about investing. Love the Damon video! http://www.investorprotection.org/	24 When Life Gives You Lemons: Try these two lemonade stand games: http://bizkids.com/games/dollar-a-glass http://www.ae4rv.com/games/lemonade.htm	25 Great Online Lessons: Visit EconEdlink for lots of free lessons, activities and videos for K-12 educators. www.econedlink.org
19 Fraud Scene Investigator This interactive investor education game challenges students to prevent investment fraud. http://www.nasaa.org/2059/fsi/	20 Take Charge: These elementary level lessons plans focus on financial literacy. http://www.takechargeamerica.org/financial-education-resources/educator-resources/	21 Save the Murktide: Check out these fun, online financial missions for middle and high school students at www.genirevolution.org	29 Info on the Go! www.feedthepig.org/toolbox/podcasts#UyxhDfdXms https://www.stlouisfed.org/education/economic-lowdown-podcast-series	30 Secret Millionaire's Club: Join Warren Buffett in this animated video series. Visit http://www.smckids.com/	WHY FINANCIAL LITERACY? Mint.Com https://www.mint.com/blog/trends/making-the-grade-are-americans-failing-financial-literacy-0413/?display=wide	
26 What is a Dollar Worth? This is a fun calculator for ALL ages. (middle of page, right hand side) http://www.minneapolisfed.org/index.cfm?	27 Are You Ready for Some Football? Financial Football that is! http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/games/trainingcamp/ff/	28 Building Wealth: The Dallas Fed has developed a great resource. http://www.dallasfed.org/microsites/cd/wealth/online/index.html	29 Info on the Go! https://www.stlouisfed.org/education/economic-lowdown-podcast-series	30 Secret Millionaire's Club: Join Warren Buffett in this animated video series. Visit http://www.smckids.com/		

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