



Online Financial Literacy Program
FL1 – Introduction to Financial Literacy
Syllabus

Course Description

Financial literacy is the ability to understand and successfully earn, budget, save, borrow, and invest money. This three lesson course will help you better understand the following:

- 1) Ways to earn money
- 2) How to set up a spending plan
- 3) Types of banks and the services

Objectives

Upon completion of this course, you should be able to do the following:

- Explain the importance of saving
- Recognize the importance of the history and use of money
- Understand how to prepare a monthly spending plan/budget
- Describe the steps involved in opening and maintaining a bank account
- Identify the different types of products and services banks offer

Assignments

There are four (4) required tasks in the course:

Lesson 1 **Knowledge Check**: five multiple-choice questions worth 10 points.

Lesson 2 **Progress Survey**: a five-question survey worth 10 points.

Lesson 3 **Course Completion Survey**: a five-question survey worth 10 points.

Lesson 3 **Reflection Report**: summarizes what you have learned in the course worth 20 points.

Participation

- 1) Log in to the course to review the material, the videos, and the games.
- 2) Communicate with your Personal Mentor during Lesson 2.
- 3) Communicate with your Financial Mentor during Lesson 3.
- 4) Participate in the Corner Café discussion board. This is optional, but encouraged.

Course Calendar

Depending on your program, each module (FL1, FL2, and FL3) is designed to run one to three months. If you are in the general FL program your assignment calendar generally runs January through October. If you are in a specific program (i.e. Military, Employee Benefit, or other program) your schedule will be specific to your program and timing.