

Money Smart Kids Program

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Money Smart Kids Ages 5 to 8			
This program consists of 8 lessons, which are up to an hour each. Please note that the age range here is only by recommendation.			
	Course Overview		
Lesson 1	Introduction to money Children will be introduced to the concept of money, and learn about what their currency is called in their local country as well as a brief introduction to other currencies.		
Lesson 2	Money long ago The children will be introduced to the many uses of money, and the concept of bartering.		
Lesson 3	Why do we have jobs? Children will learn about the many different jobs there are in the world, and why their parents/guardians need to go out and work to earn a "living".		
Lesson 4	Banks and banking The concept of putting money into a bank and the reasons for doing so will be explored. The children will also learn about bankcards and the different types.		
Lesson 5	Saving money The concept of saving money and why we need to do so will be explored.		
Lesson 6	Investing Children will learn the advantages and risks of investing money. They will also be introduced to the various types of investment options available.		
Lesson 7	Budgeting Children will learn about record keeping and how to budget.		
Lesson 8	Social responsibility The children will learn the concept of donating, including non-monetary donations.		





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Money Smart Kids Ages 9 to 12			
This program consists of 8 lessons and each lesson is one hour long. Please note that the age			
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Course Ove	Course Overview		
Lesson 1	Talk about money		
	Introduction to financial terms and concepts.		
Lesson 2	Saving and savings goals		
	Illustrate and practice concepts of saving, setting savings goals and price checking.		
Lesson 3	Spending and different ways to pay		
	Students will be required to tabulate the advantages and disadvantages of various		
	payment methods to highlight spending wisely.		
Lesson 4	Credit cards and debit cards		
	Students will look at banking terminology, discuss different accounts and look in depth		
	at debit and credit cards.		
Lesson 5	Budget: Keeping records		
	Students will learn key concepts such as spending, saving, donating, budgets,		
	budgeting, keeping records and expenses/income.		
Lesson 6	Budget: Fixed and variable expenses		
	This lesson will highlight the expenses side of a budget covering both fixed and variable		
	expenses. Key concepts include: fixed expenses, variable expenses, spending,		
	budgeting, saving, income, expenses, donations and taxes.		
Lesson 7	What is debt		
	Understanding the differences of good versus bad debt, managing debt and the concept		
	of credit score.		
Lesson 8	What is insurance		
	This lesson introduces the concept of insurance.		



Money Smart Teens Program

ZalaSmart is a company geared towards teaching kids, teens and youth essential life skills, starting with financial literacy. We do this via fun and interactive programming, which embed money management concepts through storytelling, experiential learning and games when practiced in person. Our virtual programming is done in a presentation style.

Money Smart Teens – Ages 13 to 17			
This progra	This program consists of 6 lessons. Please note that the age range here is only by		
recommendation.			
Course Overview			
Lesson 1	Income and Expenses		
	Students will learn about different types of income and how to manage expenses. For		
	example: passive vs active income and fixed vs variable expenses.		
Lesson 2	Saving and investing		
	Students will learn the various types of savings and investing options, the difference		
	between them and their advantages/disadvantages.		
Lesson 3	Ways to make money		
	Students will understand different avenues to make money. From crowd funding for a		
	business, to dividends, passive income, etc.		
Lesson 4	Banking		
	Students will look at banking terminology, how banks make money and different ways		
	of banking.		
Lesson 5	Debt		
	Students will learn about good and bad debt. In addition to secured and unsecured debt		
	they will also learn about credit reports and credit scores.		
Lesson 6	Budgeting		
	Students will learn more about budgeting. Why we budget, how to budget and		
	budgeting tips and hints.		



Money Smart Youth Program

ZalaSmart is a company geared towards teaching kids, teens and youth essential life skills, starting with financial literacy. Our adult content is taught in a presentation style format.

Money Smart Youth – Ages 18 to 25		
This program consists of 7 lessons. Please note that the age range here is only by		
recommendation. The concepts below are taught within the ages 9-17 programs. In our adult		
program we review similar concepts at a more in-depth level.		
Course Overview		
Lesson 1	Income and Expenses	
	Students will learn about different types of income and how to manage expenses.	
Lesson 2	Saving and investing	
	Students will learn the various types of savings and investing options, the difference	
	between them and their advantages/disadvantages.	
Lesson 3	Insurance	
	Students will learn about the advantages and disadvantages of insurance. If they are	
	over or under insured, and when insurance is important.	
Lesson 4	Banking	
	Students will look at banking terminology, how banks make money and different ways	
	of banking.	
Lesson 5	Debt	
	Students will learn about good and bad debt. In addition to secured and unsecured debt	
	they will also learn about credit reports and credit scores.	
Lesson 6	Budgeting	
	Students will learn more about budgeting. Why we budget, how to budget and	
	budgeting tips and hints.	
Lesson 7	Financial literacy fundaments	
	Students will receive a high level overview of key financial literacy concepts.	



Money Smart Workshop

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Money Smart Workshop – Young adults			
This workshop consists of 7 topics. This is a general one hour workshop for beginners that			
are new to investing and want to learn more about this world and how to get started.			
Workshop Overview			
Topic 1	Financial Literacy		
Topic 2	The most productive method used when it comes to savings		
Topic 3	Types of assets & financial accounts		
Topic 4	Risks of Investments		
Topic 5	Key rules and methods to understand when investing		
Topic 6	When and how to invest		
Topic 7	How to minimize the costs of investing		