

Get Your Kids
Money Smart!

Money Wi\$e Back to School Workshop



For Kids Ages 9-15

JULY 30th – 31st or AUGUST 20th – 21st, 9am-5pm

Registration Form

Price: \$75.00 (\$60 by July 9th or August 5th)

Date Desired:	
Name/s:	
Age/s:	
Phone (w):	(c):
Address:	
Email Address:	
In case of emergency, contact:	

Please check to reserve your space at the Family Money Night on Friday, July 31 and August 21st. Yes No

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Payment by Cash Check

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About the workshop

Our **MoneyWise Back to School Workshop** is a FUN and PRACTICAL workshop that encourages 9 to 15 year olds to practice the habit of saving, financial goal setting and to think about what they do with the money they get right now.

It sensitizes children to the high cost of education and introduces them to the basics around earning money and proper money management. But best of all, the workshop is focused on the children having fun and having a great experience. It's a great foundation for their future financial success.

A few of the concepts our MoneyWise participants experience are...

What it Costs to Educate Me?

Most children have no clue on what it costs to raise and educate them. In this insightful activity, participants have an opportunity to get a bird's eye view into the many expenses parents have in ensuring that they have the best that life have to offer. This activity is most effective as participants are usually shocked at the high figures they uncover.

What Animal Are You?

Kids love learning about animals! With our money animals they learn about different approaches people have to managing money. They are introduced to the concepts of saving, spending and just avoiding dealing with money in the first place. This is demonstrated by how the animals live in society.

Delayed Gratification

We use games and activities to teach all of our concepts related to money. Our delayed gratification activity is one of our favorite activities. It has great impact on the participants. And you will need to wait to find out why.

What is Money For?

What is this thing that causes parents so much stress and many people don't like to talk about? Why do we have money? Many of our games and activities have great impact because the children have their own experiences. In the goal setting exercises, it is amazing to see the creativity children use in deciding how they would use their money. This is where dreams start.

To give a child the opportunity to learn how to manage money is a great gift. This will help them for the rest of their lives.

Beliefs, Attitudes, and Values

By the time a child is 5 years old he or she has formed many opinions and began building his or her own value system. Playing games is a great way to experience one's value system first hand. It is interesting to explore oneself through games. These exercises help kids and teens learn more about their approach to life. Increased self awareness helps children learn to manage money.

Be, Do, Have

We encourage children to explore with their creativity what they want to be, do, or have. What is important to them? What would they be willing to save for?

The Power of a Dollar

Does money make the world go round? How powerful is a dollar? Is the amount of value in the world infinite? What idea could you come up with that would create huge wealth for yourself and your family? Once they realize the power of a dollar, understanding the value of it comes naturally.

Wants vs. Need

Is it a necessity or does it bring us comfort? Or is it just plain old Piddlycrap? There are many activities we have that challenge children on what to spend money on. This is the initial step in learning to control money instead of having it control them. It isn't a coincidence that children's toys and candy are on the lower shelves at the store and at the checkouts where kids can see them.

Money will only make you more of what you already are. So why not be a great philanthropist? Participants will explore all of the different ways they can make their planet a better place. The heart and passion that is experienced during these activities is earth-moving in and of itself.

Save Early, Save Often

It is best to teach people about managing money when they are very young. Much like learning a new language, children pick up on new concepts much more quickly than adults. They have not yet developed bad habits and associations with money. As a result, their minds are more open and willing to learn. Children's minds are bombarded every day with messages from the media: advertisements, television programs, etc. These things do have an impact on how child relates to money. Another reason it is better to learn about money earlier is the power of saving early and saving often.

What is this Stuff Called Money?

Money is...Value is...Wealth is...Rich is... Why do we have money and what is it used for? Activities will guide children through the chaos of conflicting beliefs and attitudes towards money and help them form their own ideas about what money is to them.

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The Money Jars

The great money jars from is a fantastic way to introduce the concept of budgeting. Yes budgeting...ohhhh. We use a jar system for money management and introduce it through an active game where the children are the game pieces. This way, they have fun while learning how to manage their money and budget their spending habits. You will have to do it to believe it.

How is Money Earned?

Many children are only exposed to the way money is earned by their parents and other close adults in their lives or maybe a sibling who has a part time job. But do they really understand the effort that goes into earning that money? Or what the options for earning money are? Or how investors get money to earn more money? Or how expenses come into the picture? Through games, activities, and discussions children soon begin to see there are many options open to them when it comes to earning money.

Piddlycrap

The stuff you buy that turns your cash into trash. This is usually stuff that your children want so bad and gotta have and yet within a couple days of purchasing it you find it in the trash can. So wouldn't it be wonderful if your child began to appreciate the value of a toy and its quality as well as if they really, really, really need (want) it or not?

Who's In Control?

A great concept for children of this age to understand is that they are in control of their spending habits. When they get money from Grandma, for their birthday or from the tooth fairy, they are responsible for that money. They have choices to make around what to do with it. They can save it, spend it, to donate it, invest it, lose it, etc. Now is a great time for them to realize the responsibility they have and educate them on it. And with the use of that knowledge they will have control over money right from the start

Where's All My Money Going?

Usually the more money you make the more money you spend. So our saying is "it's not how much you make, it's how much you keep." Even if it is your first job and you are getting paid minimum wage, it is still a great time to develop the habits for creating wealth. This is what the participants of the MoneyWise Back to School Workshop will learn about.

What's Your Passion?

What would you like to do with your time when you are finished your schooling? Some people never live their passion, or even realize their passion. They are living their life for someone else. Getting children to think about who they are and what they love to do and are great at is a gift that keeps on giving. It would be a wonderful world indeed if everyone found something to do that they loved and were good at.

The #1 Habit of Millionaires

There are a lot of common habits that Millionaires have but the most common is the habit that is foundational to producing wealth. Without it you are leaving everything to chance. So sign up to find out!

Money is a Tool

We teach the children how to use money as a tool to help build and create their dreams. By understanding money and learning how to use it, people gain more control of their lives instead of having money control them.

Much more