



Farmington Bank Financial Education Team

We're proud to support financial literacy in our communities.

Understanding the options and costs associated with using money can help individuals and families make the best decisions about spending, borrowing and investing. Farmington Bank's Financial Education Team, comprised of Farmington Bank employees, is available to visit your school or organization to share information about various financial topics broken down below by audience.

If you are interested in our program, please contact Chris Traczyk at ctraczyk@farmingtonbankct.com.

GRADE SCHOOL

Grades K-2 (30 minutes each)

How Safe – Students learn about safe places to keep money

Living Green, Saving Green – Students learn how “living green” can save money and help the environment

Dollars and Cents Sense – Students learn to recognize the different denominations of our currency

Kids as Coins – Students play the role of coins and combine to purchase items at the school store

Grades 3-5 (30 minutes each)

Tale of Two Brothers – Students compare the savings results of two brothers who have different styles

Decision Tree – Students decide which examples of financial decisions are good or bad

Secret Agent Savings – Students learn about protecting their money

Where's the Money – Students learn about checks and debit cards, and track the flow of money from a paycheck to buying lunch

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Grades 6-8 (35-45 minutes each)

Make a Wish, Get Your Goal – Students learn about setting and defining goals

Saving for a Sunny Day – Students read and discuss a series of teen choices about money

Energy Detectives – Students learn about saving money while protecting the environment

Double or Nothing – Students learn about simple and compound interest

HIGH SCHOOL

Grades 9-10 (35-45 minutes each)

Excuses, Excuses – Students learn about saving money early

Park Your Savings – Students learn about the different types of accounts and vehicles to save money

Give Me Some Money – Students learn about borrowing money

But That's My Balance – Students learn about ATM cards, checking account balances and what's really available

Grades 11-12

Headline News – Students learn the financial repercussions of events

Easy Come Easy Go – Students learn about spending habits and tracking where their money goes

Pitfalls and Predicaments – Students learn about using automated financial services

Credit Connection – Students learn that having good credit saves them money