

Resources for Financial Literacy Education (Updated July 18, 2006)

- Department of Financial Institutions—Unbiased financial information and financial education programs in Wisconsin <http://www.wdfi.org>
- DFI Links to Financial Education resources <http://www.wdfi.org/links/fe.htm>
- Get Checking Program <http://www.getchecking.org/locations.php?state=WI>
- Financial Management Service—Federal Government service—unbiased financial information <http://www.fms.treas.gov/index.html>
- Jump Start Coalition—Focus on Youth Financial Education—Basic information, speakers list and educational materials. <http://www.jumpstartcoalition.org/>
- For information on Wisconsin's Jump\$tart effort, contact the Department of Financial Institutions--David Mancl at 608-261-9540
- US Securities and Exchange Commission <http://www.sec.gov/>
- University of Nevada at Reno Financial Education Site <http://www.unr.edu/sb204/fls/>
- Federal Reserve Bank of New York Economic Literacy Home Page—materials, curricula, calculators, assessments, etc. <http://www.ny.frb.org/pihome/educator/>
- Resources for Youth <http://www.dallasfed.org/ca/pfemonth.html#youth>
- National Endowment for Financial Education: A free service offering educational materials on financial planning. Check out the High School Financial Literacy Awards. <http://www.nefe.org>

- The Securities Industry Associates <http://www.sia.com>
- Federal Trade Commission: Facts for Consumers Brochures <http://www.ftc.gov>
- Article on Credit Repair Scams <http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/conline/pubs/credit/repair.htm>
- NRL Credit Union—Calculators <http://www.nrlfcu.org/site/controller.aspx?sectionID=2&itemID=10&pageID=11&cat=>
- Comprehensive, objective information at Bankrate.com www.bankrate.com
- Federal Reserve Home Page (Board of Governors) <http://www.federalreserve.gov/>
- Economic Policy Institute <http://www.epinet.org/>
- National Association of Investment Clubs <http://www.betterinvesting.org/index.html>
- Personal Finance and Education Information http://www.chicagofed.org/consumer_information/personal_finance_information.cfm
- Financial Literacy Resources <http://www.nnfr.org/curriculum/topics/eco.html>
- Credit Card Nation (geared for college students) <http://creditcardnation.com/cced.html>
- Consumer Handbook to Credit Protection Laws:
Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System
Publications Services
Division of Support Services
Washington, DC 20551

- Credit When Credit is Due
12 module curriculum
American Center for Credit Education
111 St Joseph Street
Rapid City, SD 57701
1-888-830-3104
- Consumer Credit Counseling Service—Milwaukee 414-482-8801
- Consumer Credit Counseling Service—National Website with links to calculators, education, brochures, etc. <http://www.cccsintl.org/>
- National Federation For Credit Counseling—Education, training, brochures, information, etc <http://www.nfcc.org/>
- Consumer Counseling Service—Education, training, brochures, information, etc. <http://www.consumercounseling.org/>
- The Center for Debt Management
<http://www.consumercounseling.org/>
- Thinking About Dropping out of School
www.dol.gov/dol/asp/public/fibre/dropout.htm
- Understanding Your Paycheck
<http://www.taxes.ca.gov/paycheckind.html>
- Where does your money go? www.pbs.org/newshour/on2/budget.html
- Kid's Eye View, Explaining a Budget
www.kiplinger.com/basics/managing/kids/budget.htm
- A college Student Budget www.edwise.org
- Product Reviews: Comparison Shopping www.cg.superpages.com

- Cost of paying minimum balance calculator
www.bankrate.com/brm/calc/minPayment.asp
- Knee Deep in Debt
www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/pubs/credit/kneedeep.pdf
- Savings Calculator
http://www.quicken.com/banking_and_credit/savings_calc/
- How to be a millionaire calculator
www.calcbuilder.com/cgi-bin/calcs/SAV1.cgi/cunanational
- Understanding Market Risks
http://www.siainvestor.com/categories/investingessentials/underst_risk/understrisk_011.htm
- Stock Market Fraud "Survivor" Checklist
www.sec.gov/investor/pubs/fraudsurvivor.htm
- Building Wealth: A Beginners Guide to Securing your Financial Future
<http://dallasfed.org/ca/wealth/index.html>
- Family Budget Calculator
<http://www.epinet.org/datazone/fambud/budget.html>
- Hardships in America: The Real Story of Working Families
http://www.epinet.org/books/hardships_intro.pdf
- Financial Compatibility Quiz
<http://biz.yahoo.com/pfg/e39couple/art031.html>
- Family Economic Security—Financial Literacy UW Extension Extended Resource Web site—*very good*
<http://steenbock.library.wisc.edu/extension/familyecon.htm>
- Consumer credit information <http://www.incharge.org/>

- For parents, teens, teachers and consumers:
<http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/index.php>
also available in Spanish at:
<http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/spanish/>
- Financial Literacy Program for grades 4-12
www.bankingonourfuture.org
- The "Advice & Planning Link" for adults and high school students:
<http://www.chase.com>
- For young children (includes games and stories):
<http://kids cansave.gc.ca>
- <http://www.themint.org> for kids
- FTC Brochures on Business Opportunities Scams
<http://www.ftc.gov/ftc/consumer.htm>
<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/menu-fran.htm#coned>
<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/edcams/telemarketing/>
<http://www.ftc.gov/bizopps/>
<http://www.consumer.gov/sentinel/>
<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/edcams/makingabuck/>
- Wisconsin Certified Public Accountants Organization
<http://www.wicpa.org>
- Top 10 Dot Cons (scams)
<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/edcams/dotcon/text.htm>
- Wisconsin IDA Programs
WISCAP—Community Action Agencies. 16 IDA programs in Wisconsin
<http://www.wiscap.org/>
- Wisconsin Women's Business Association
IDA Program—IDA programs—Southeastern Wisconsin
<http://www.wwbic.com/>