Personal Finance

Course Outline (Syllabus)

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This course is required for graduation!

The topics covered in this ½-credit (nine-week) course will include:

- Career choice influence on income
- Money management
- Bank account maintenance
- Savings
- Investing & retirement planning
- Responsible use of credit
- Insurance

See state standards here: State of Tennessee Curriculum Standards for Personal Finance

You will need the following items each class period:

Notebook, simple calculator, charged Chromebook, and a pencil or pen

Grades will be determined as follows:

Tests, projects: 55%

Daily grades (class work, quizzes, etc.): 45%

Make-up work will be handled as follows:

Look on Planbook (there is a link to it on Google Classroom) to get assignments and other materials if you are absent. It is your responsibility to access, complete, and turn in your make-up work. According to school policy, it must be turned in equal to the number of days you were absent, e.g., miss two days, make up work is due in two days.

Late Work

Work is due the day it is assigned. Per school policy, it may be submitted one day late with a 20% penalty. It will not be accepted more than one day late. There is a maximum of two late assignments per semester; any others will result in a zero.

Communication

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Students and parents, you are able to check your grades and attendance at any time on any device by accessing your **Skyward** account. Check this regularly; there is no need to ask me what your grade is. You can view assignments, notes, handouts, practice activities, etc., on Planbook.