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The Money Experience

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Introduction

In this webquest you will experience various scenarios on spending and using money in very common daily life activities.   You will complete two worksheets that accompany two specific scenarios.
Happy learning!!! :)

Tasks

Throughout this Webquest, you will be learning, applying, and practicing important money skills that you will need in life. You will be using basic arithmetic skills and problem-solving skills to complete the activities.   Your assignment is to complete all the five (5) tasks, complete two (2) worksheets, and finally complete a Summative Assessment that will assess the skills you learned throughout this Webquest. You will be allowed to use your calculator or the computer calculator to help you in solving the problems. If you need any assistance while completing your tasks, please raise your hand.

Process

You will complete each one of the online activities listed below.   Complete the worksheets in the indicated activities. Your teacher will hand out the necessary worksheets before you start the Webquest activity. You may use your calculator or the computer calculator to complete your worksheet.
1. That's Right! You will practice using estimation measurements in real-world problem solving using money.   Go to this link:
 http://www.beaconlearningcenter.com/WebLessons/ThatsRight/default.htm 2. Show Me The Money: You will practice adding columns using decimals to the hundredths place.   Go to this link: http://www.beaconlearningcenter.com/WebLessons/ShowMeTheMoney/default.htm   Complete the Worksheet: Grocery List3. School Store: You will practice subtraction of decimals and making change.   Go to this link: http://www.beaconlearningcenter.com/WebLessons/SchoolStore/default.htm4. Let's Do Lunch: You will use a menu to order different lunches.   Go to this link: http://www.beaconlearningcenter.com/WebLessons/LetsDoLunch/default.htm   Complete the Worksheet: "Menu"5. Let's Go Shopping: You will use estimation by rounding to the nearest dollar as you shop.   Go to this link: http://www.beaconlearningcenter.com/WebLessons/LetsGoShopping/default.htm6. Complete the Summative Assessment when you have completed all the above activities.

Evaluation

You will be graded as follows:1. Following Directions2. On-task Work3. Completion of

Tasks4. WorksheetsPlease read the Rubric below so you can understand expectations and be successful in completing this Webquest.

Category and Score					Score
Following Directions	Student did not follow directions.	Student did not follow directions well bud did acknowledge them somewhat.	Student followed directions with a few minor issues.	Students followed all directions.	
On-Task	Student had difficulty remaining on-task to complete activities.	Student had some difficulty remaining on-task to complete activities.	Student had minor issues remaining on-task to complete activities.	Student remained on-task at all times.	
Completion of Activities	Student did not complete most of the tasks.	Student completed only 3 of the 5 assigned tasks.	Student completed 4 of the 5 assigned tasks.	Student completed all 5 assigned tasks.	
Worksheets	Student did not complete assigned worksheets.	Student partially completed the 2 assigned worksheets.	Student partially completed 1 worksheet and fully completed the second worksheet.	Student fully completed both assigned worksheets.	
				Total Score	

Conclusion

Now that you have completed "The Money Experience", it will be good to summarize what you have learned. You will be handed an "Exit Slip" in which you will write three things you learned or improved while doing this activity. Once you fill out your "Exit Slip" write a short sentence telling me if you liked (or not) this Webquest.Ms. Vargas :-)

Teacher Page

This Webquest is targeted to address the needs of my ESE Functional students. Money skills are an essential life-skill. Many of my students struggle with money recognition, making change, and adding and subtracting decimals.   This Webquest addresses these skills. I have noticed that using web-based math activities, such as webquests, facilitates student learning in many ways because of the visual and interactive aspects involved in these activities. It also makes the learning fun and students interest and involvent increases.

Reviews

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