



Financial Foundations will provide you with an introduction to the exciting world of finance. You will investigate the business environment, our economy, money management, and business law in a fast-paced, interactive atmosphere. You will participate in hands-on projects to put financial concepts into practice and develop computer skills in Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Publisher. Most of all, you will have fun while doing all of this!

SUGGESTIONS: Stay organized, be productive, and keep deadlines in mind. Refer to these weekly sheets for your assignments and due dates; use the quarterly syllabus to plan further ahead. Tests and major projects should never be a surprise! Use our class website (www.myfinanceclass.com) as a resource at school and as a way to stay connected from home.

Monday, August 27 Day 5

Today's Topic: "Making Decisions: Cost-Benefit Analysis"

Picture Day

Read and Discuss: "Making Decisions"
Worksheet: "To Choose or Not To Choose?"
Activity: "Chicken?"

Tuesday, August 28 Day 6

Today's Topic: "What's Up With BPA?"

KCU First Day

Activity: "What's Up With BPA?"

Wednesday, August 29 Day 7

Today's Topic: "SLO Pre Testing"

Open House (6-8pm)

SLO Pre Test

Thursday, August 30 Day 8

Today's Topic: "Rules & Incentives Matter"

Read and Discuss: "Rules and Incentives Matter"
Worksheet: "Rules Influence Economic Activity"
Activities: "Left-Foot Factory"

Friday, August 31 Day 9

Today's Topic: "Maximizing Utility"

Student Contracts & Fees Due / BPA Rep Intent Forms Due

Read and Discuss: "Maximizing Utility"
Activity: "Marshmallow Marginalism"
Article: "The Perfect Income for Happiness?"

IMPORTANT

Student Contract – signed forms due Friday, August 31.

Fees – \$22 cash/check payable to "Butler Tech" due Friday, August 31.

BPA Rep Elections – intent forms due Friday, August 31; elections on Tuesday, September 4.