



The first semester of FSS is **Fundamentals of Financial Services**, which will focus on personal finance topics that will help prepare you for life after high school – budgets, saving, investing, real estate, insurance, and credit. You will participate in hands-on projects to put financial concepts into practice and enhance your business technology skills. 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](http://www.myfinanceclass.com)) as a resource at school and as a way to stay connected from home.*

**Monday, October 19****Day 31**

*Today's Topic: "Income Protection: Life and Health Insurance"*

PFIN 6-2: Think Critically, In Depth

Activity: "The Puzzle of Life & Health Insurance"

Article: "Where Do Profits Come From...?"

**Tuesday, October 20****Day 32**

*Today's Topic: "Property Protection: Auto, Home/Renters Insurance"*

PFIN 6-3: Think Critically

Worksheet: "Research Financial Responsibility Laws..."

Video Clip: "Get Renter's Insurance!"

Article: "Are Female Drivers Any Safer Than Males?"

**Wednesday, October 21****Day 33**

*Today's Topic: "PFIN 6 Project: Keep It Safe"*

PFIN 6 Review: FITB, Excel Problems

Activity: "Car Insurance and Risk Factors"

Worksheet: "Determining Insurance Needs"

Web Mapping Activity: "Factors Affecting Insurance Rates"

**Thursday, October 22****Day 34**

*Today's Topic: "Money Management Review"*

Review Activities: FITB, Check Register/Endorsements, 10-in-10 Review, Article: "Tyranny of the Average"

**Friday, October 23****Day 35**

*Today's Topic: "Unit II Test"*

Unit II Test: PFIN 4, 5, 6

Current Event (related to a business, finance, or entrepreneurship topic) – due Sunday by midnight.

**IMPORTANT**

The **Northwest Finance BPA Stock Market Competition** continues through *How The Market Works!*