



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 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) as a resource at school and as a way to stay connected from home.

Monday, October 24

Day 42

Today's Topic: "Payment Methods"

PFIN 8-1: Think Critically, In Depth

Project: "Methods of Payment"

Discuss: "Bitcoin, Square, PayPal, and More"

Tuesday, October 25

Day 43

Today's Topic: "Consumer Loans"

PFIN 8-2: Think Critically, Excel Problems and "Loan Amortization Table"

Table Topics: "Granting and Analyzing Credit" and "Reviewing a Credit Report"

Article: "Moral Hazard"

Blue Jackets Field Trip



Wednesday, October 26

Day 44

Bells 1243 Today

Extended Advisory

Thursday, October 27

Day 45

Today's Topic: "Credit Tips" and "PFIN 8 Project"

PFIN 8-3: Think Critically

PFIN 8 Review: FITB, Excel Problems

Article: "Don't Believe These 7 Credit Card Myths"

Discuss: "The Nature of Real Estate" and Project: "Cubicl-E-state" – Work Day

Parent Conferences

♥ **BPA: "BPA Competition Prep"**

Friday, October 28

Day 46

Today's Topic: "Resolving Credit Problems"

PFIN 9-1: Think Critically, SnapShot

Article: "Debt Collectors Sock It To Consumers"

Cases: "Handling Credit Problems" and "Dealing with College Debt"

Project: "Cubicl-E-state" – Presentations

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

IMPORTANT

BT Recruiting Season has officially kicked off! Sophomore tours are next week on November 4!!!



Ohio BPA Pin/T-Shirt Designs due next week on November 4.



The BPA Thanksgiving Feast is coming up on November 9 (FSJ, FIFO) and 10 (FSS). Start thinking about what you'll bring to share!