

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, November 13 Day 54

Today's Topic: "Reasons for Saving and Investing"

PFIN 10-1: Think Critically, Excel Problems

Video Clip: "Why Are Americans So Bad at Saving Money"

Worksheet: "Saving, Investing, and The Invisible Hand"

Tuesday, November 14 Day 55

CHS Sophomore Exchange Tours (B5-6) / BPA Meeting

Special Event: CHS Sophomore Exchange Tours

Wednesday, November 15 Day 56

FSJ FIFO BPA Thanksgiving Party / BT Off-Campus Tours

Bells 1243 Today

Thursday, November 16 Day 57

FSS BPA Thanksgiving Party / Advisory Committee

Special Event: BPA Thanksgiving Party

Friday, November 17 Day 58

Today's Topic: "Saving and Investing Principles"

PFIN 10-2: Think Critically, In Depth

Discuss: "The Impact of Inflation" and SmartArt: "The Cost of Waiting"

Group Activity: "What's a 401(k) and Why Should I Care?"

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

Monday, November 20 Day 59

Today's Topic: "Saving and Investing Strategies" and "PFIN 10 Project"

PFIN 10-3: Think Critically and PFIN 10 Review: FITB, Excel Problems

Activity: "Strategies for Stock Selection"

Project: "Researching the DJIA"

Tuesday, November 21 Day 60

Special Event: BPA Competition Prep

Student-Staff VB Game

BPA Competition Prep – Day 4

♥ *BPA: "BPA Competition Prep"*

NO CURRENT EVENT OVER THANKSGIVING BREAK!

IMPORTANT



Have a great Thanksgiving Break!

