



Reavis High School
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Unit 1: Economic Thinking and Economic Systems

21-25
Days

Students will understand the fundamental concepts of economic choices and opportunity costs. They will demonstrate an understanding of the three basic economic systems. Students will then examine the characteristics of the American free enterprise system.



Unit 2: Supply, Demand, and Market Structures

21-25
Days

Students will analyze key economic forces including supply and demand and their effect on prices. Students will also gain an in-depth understanding of market structures and the forces that drive the American economy.



Unit 3: Investment Planning and Credit Management

20-24
Days

Students will distinguish between various investment options while creating a personal savings plan. Strategies for tax planning and credit use will also be discussed. Students will gain consumer awareness by recognizing the effects of advertising on their buying habits. The students will gain an understanding of the role, use, and dangers of credit in regard to their personal financial plans. Finally, they will understand what credit ratings are, and how credit bureaus work.



Unit 4: Money Management and Financial Responsibility

20-24
Days

The students will learn consumer skills that will help them develop long-term financial responsibility. Skills such as personal banking management, budgeting, and consumer purchasing behavior will be developed. Students will understand the impact of taxes in their personal lives.