

Real Money. Real World. Participant Self-Assessment

1. Circle the answer in both the “before” and “after” columns below that best describes **how much you realized before**, and then **how much you realized after** you participated in *Real Money. Real World.*:

	How much did you realize BEFORE ATTENDING?			How much do you realize now AFTER ATTENDING?		
What it costs to maintain a household.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
What it costs to care for a child.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
How much money is deducted from paychecks for taxes and insurance.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
How every spending decision affects other spending opportunities.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
What type of education it takes to get the job you want.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
How the type of job you have affects how much money you will make.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot

2. Circle the answer in both the “before” and “after” columns below that best describes **how important you thought these things were before** participating and **how important you now think they are after** participating in *Real Money. Real World.*:

	How important did you think this was BEFORE ATTENDING?			How important do you think it is now AFTER ATTENDING?		
Doing well in school.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
Getting more education or training after high school.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
Waiting until I am financially ready before having children.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
Having a plan for spending that includes both needs and wants.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
Learning how to make wise financial decisions.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot
Saving my money regularly.	Not much	A little	A lot	Not much	A little	A lot

3. Circle the answer that best describes **how likely it is that you will make changes** in the following areas as a result of your participation in *Real Money. Real World.* If you are already doing what is listed (for example, you are getting A's so you are already doing well in school), circle “**No change needed, I’m already doing this.**”

	How likely is it that you will make changes in these areas?			
Doing well in school.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.
Planning to get more education or training after high school.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.
Planning to wait until I am financially ready before having children.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.
Having a plan for spending that includes both needs and wants.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.
Learning how to make wise financial decisions.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.
Saving my money regularly.	Not likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely	No change needed, I’m already doing this.

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4. Circle the answer that best describes **your thoughts about participating** in *Real Money. Real World.*:

I believe that participating in this program gave me a better idea of what is involved in earning, spending, and managing money.	Not much	A little	A lot
I believe that participating in this program will help me in the future.	Not much	A little	A lot

5. What did you learn in this program that surprised you the most?

6. What one thing do you plan to change as a result of participating in this program?

7. Other thoughts about my participation in *Real Money. Real World.*:

8. Are you ... (check one) Female Male

9. What is your age? Age

10. What is your grade? Grade

11. I am currently involved in 4-H. No Yes

Thank you!



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