



2010 Money Smart Week® Elementary School Bookmark Contest

“MAKE YOUR OWN MONEY”

Official Contest Rules & Guidelines

Theme

"Make Your Own Money"

Timeline

The contest will take place during Federal Reserve Bank's Money Smart Week, April 17 -24, 2010.

Eligibility

3rd through 5th grade Michigan students

Details

Incorporate one of the suggested lesson plans during Money Smart Week and conclude the class with the contest as an activity to reinforce the lesson. The teacher and class select the best bookmarks to submit for contest.

Lesson plan: Teach students where money comes from, the different features of currency, and how it is made. Give students an overview of how money was created, include sample pictures of each bill and identify some watermarks/features.

Suggestions:

On the Money

<http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/index.php?lesson=169&page=teacher>

Bill, Are you Bogus?

<http://www.econedlink.org/lessons/index.php?lesson=59&page=teacher>

www.moneyfactory.gov

Specifications

All entries must be submitted on white stock paper 8 ½" by 11" cut into 1 / 4

Deadline

Entries submission deadline is April 30, 2010

Judging

Bookmarks will be judged on expression of the theme (40%); artwork style and content (30%); and creativity (30%) by MI Jump\$TART Coalition members. Final selections will be determined by Co Chair-Persons, Samirian Hill and Doreen Mikhail.

Winners Announcement

Winners' teachers and parents will be notified by email by Monday, May 24th.

1st Place - \$250 529 College Savings Plan (Bonus - Federal Reserve Bank Tour for winner's class*)

2nd Place - \$150 529 College Savings Plan

3rd Place - \$100 529 College Savings Plan

***Disclaimers**

Michigan Jump\$tart Coalition will arrange a tour of the Federal Reserve Bank – Detroit Branch

The Federal Reserve Bank will provide the tour and lunch.

The school is responsible for arranging the field trip and transportation to/from the bank.

The tour must be completed by the end of the 2009/2010 school year or trip is forfeited.

The tour is optional and contingent upon the school's ability to provide and finance transportation and the distance of the trip.

The Federal Reserve or MI Jump\$tart Coalition reserve the right to cancel the tour.

Note: Upon submission, all entries will become property of Michigan Jump\$tart Coalition, which reserves the right to reproduce.

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Official Entry Form

Please attach this completed form to your entry. **All entries must have an official Michigan Jump\$Start Entry Form attached each entry.** Print clearly or type the information. **All information must be filled in.** "NA" can be used where needed. Good luck!

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Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

School: _____

School Telephone: _____

Teacher Name: _____

Teacher's email address: _____

Class: _____

Parent Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Email: _____

Home Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Please attach to entry and mail to:

*Extra Credit Union
ATTN: Doreen Mikhail
661 Chicago Road
Warren, MI 48092*

DO NOT STAPLE

Please let us know where you heard about this contest: _____

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