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Economics

Credit and Credit Cards (22:00) ★ ★ ★

This program uses young actors and straight talk concerning wise use of credit cards. Emphasis is placed on avoiding common errors and credit card abuses, as well as suggestions on how to deal with any bad credit issues that have already occurred. After viewing this program and working with its supplemental activities, you should be better prepared to handle the flood of credit perils that will confront you as a young adult. © 2003 United Learning

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Discovering Math: Concepts in Business Mathematics: Economics and Finance (56:28) ★ ★ ★

This program shows how algebraic functions are used in business and finance to calculate and compare rates of simple and compound interest, to efficiently store products, and to track profit and loss in a business setting. © 2006 Discovery Channel School

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Economics: Framework for Teaching the Basic Concepts: Fundamental Economic Concepts (29:16) ★ ★ ★

Economics is the study of the use of limited resources to produce and distribute goods and services. This program, which may function as an introduction or as a review, examines the principles that are at the core of economics. Scarcity leads to opportunity cost decisions, the necessary choice between economic options. "Fundamental Economic Concepts" equips students with an understanding of historical economics systems. The program then focuses primarily on the structure and function of the free market economy and explains the institutions and incentives that have developed to regulate production and distribution of goods, services, and money, which are exchanged in the world marketplace. © 1997 United Learning

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Economics: A Framework for Teaching the Basic Concepts: Macroeconomic Concepts (29:22) ★ ★ ★

Macroeconomics is the study of the factors that influence, and result from, the large scale functions of economies, It is the way economists measure the behavior and functioning of economies. To do this, economists quantify aspects of the economics process using economic aggregates, or averages; measurements, such as the Gross National Product; unemployment; and inflation. This program looks at how these measurements can provide insights into the health of an economy, how they impact the purchasing power of currencies, and ways governments can control and impact economic aggregates. © 1997 United Learning

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Stolen Identity: Crime of the Millennium (28:00) ★ ★ ★

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When one person literally takes over the identity of another person; when one person assumes the identity of another by taking their name and personal information to steal money and credit cards or to commit serious crimes. Stolen identity is one of the fastest growing crimes in the country, partly because it's so easy to perpetrate. It can happen to anyone and at anytime. All a person needs to steal someone's identity is a driver's license or social security card. This program identifies and explains the means by which a person's identity can be stolen-credit repair, shoulder surfing, account takeover, dumpster diving, social engineering or a dishonest employee-and gives some of the reasons why this type of crime occurs. Victims of stolen identity share their stories with viewers, describing how difficult it is to regain your identity once it's been taken. Precautions are outlined to help viewers avoid becoming a victim of stolen identity, including shredding all personal documents and never freely giving out your social security number, and ways to repair damage done by identity thieves are described. © 1999 AIMS

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Tools for Financial Success (21:10) ★ ★ ★

This 20-minute program introduces a number of simple tools that anyone can use to improve his or her financial position. Participants will see the importance of having financial goals and keeping good records. Basic financial tools such as checking accounts, bank accounts, and credit are addressed. After viewing this program and working with its supplemental activities, you should have a better understanding of how to achieve financial success. © 2004 United Learning

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What Is Financial Success? (17:22) ★ ★

This 20-minute program explores what it means to be in control of your financial future. You will be encouraged to view financial success as something that anyone can obtain, with the right viewpoint and tools. After viewing this program and working with its supplemental activities, you should be better prepared to begin building a brighter financial future. © 2004 United Learning