

Financial Education

Activity-Based Money Workshops for SEN Groups

The MONEY Charity

About Our Workshops

What You Need To Know

- We offer **face-to-face** Money Workshops to **class-sized groups** of **11-19 year olds** with Special Educational Needs (SEN).
- These Workshops are usually made up of **3-4 activities**, but this can vary depending on need and ability of the group. We would recommend an initial discussion with us, prior to booking request, to work out which activities are best suited to your group.
- These activities can fit in **during your usual class time**.
- The activities are designed for classes with **small groups**.
- Our Consultants are able to adapt the content to go at an **easily understandable pace** and the Workshops are **very flexible**.
- Our Workshops bring together the **expertise** of our Financial Education specialist **Workshop Consultant and the teachers/practitioners** who work with young people with SEN and know them best. The Consultant will lead on running the Workshop and answering questions, while the teacher/practitioner assists with ensuring the content is accessible to their young people.

“The Workshop was excellent and interactive. Thank you very much!”

Student



How to Book

To book a Workshop, we would recommend an initial conversation with us, followed by completing a Booking Request Form and sending it to us at:

youngpeople@themoneycharity.org.uk

Or find out more at:

<https://themoneycharity.org.uk>

List of All Activities

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Estimated Duration</u>
What is Money Used For? Worksheet	5-10 minutes
Money In vs Money Out Worksheet	5-10 minutes
Money Personality Quiz	5-10 minutes
Goal Mood Board	5-10 minutes
Spending Priority Card Sort	15-20 minutes
Guess the Price of Shopping	15-20 minutes
Spot the Scam Flashcards	15-20 minutes
£250 Budgeting Activity	15-20 minutes
Reading a Payslip	15-20 minutes
Reading a Bank Statement	15-20 minutes

The duration may vary depending on the ability of the class.

We recommend choosing 3-4 activities after an initial conversation with us to help choose the best-suited options.

List of Activities: 5-10 Minutes

<u>Activity (5-10 minutes)</u>	<u>Description</u>
What is Money Used For? Worksheet	<p>The worksheet will have certain activities (with pictures) such as going to school, going to the doctors, having a shower etc and the students will go through and tick/cross which ones cost money. This facilitates a discussion around how money is used and who pays for what.</p>
Money In vs Money Out Worksheet	<p>This worksheet helps the students visualise money in terms of income and outgoing costs.</p>
Money Personality Quiz	<p>A multiple choice quiz that aims to find out the students' different attitudes to money, i.e. where do you keep your everyday money? To help them figure out if they are more a spender or a saver!</p>
Goal Mood Board	<p>Class drawing activity that aims to get the students thinking about their short- or long-term goals for the future. They will draw pictures of their goals and create a class mood board. This will then facilitate a discussion about how money can be used to help achieve their goals.</p>

List of Activities: 15-20 Minutes

<u>Activity (15-20 minutes)</u>	<u>Description</u>
Spending Priority Card Sort	Using A3 picture cards, the group will sort various costs into low, medium and high priority. Costs include rent, transport, hobbies etc.
Guess the Price of Shopping	The students will aim to estimate the price of a basket of shopping.
Spot the Scam Flashcards	Using cards of different text messages, the students should choose which ones are real and which ones are a scam.
£250 Budgeting Activity	The students will be given £250 in fake laminated notes and will be given a spending sheet with different choices. They can work in groups or pairs to allocate the money to different costs.
Reading a Payslip	The students have a worksheet that explores the features of a payslip.
Reading a Bank Statement	The students have a worksheet that explores the features of a bank statement.

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Other Options

Downloadable Resources

Additionally, we have free resources available to help your school, our **Student Money Manual** is the essential guide for those looking towards going to uni, while our **Teacher Resource Packs** help you bring more expert Financial Education sessions to your class. Find out more at:

<https://themoneycharity.org.uk/resources/>

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