

HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF

WEEK 1

To put SMG in context for your class, show our video “**Life Goals**,” which discusses how saving early then investing can help students achieve their long term goals. Click here to watch: <https://www.stlouisfed.org/education/tools-for-enhancing-the-stock-market-game-invest-it-forward>.

Lesson: Visit www.stockmarketgame.org and log into the Teacher Support Center (TSC) with

WEEK 2

Lessons: “What is a Company?” and “What is a Stock?”

Visit **The Stock Market Game's YouTube** page and click playlists to view our **Stock Market Game Training Videos:** Portfolio Overview, Entering Trades, and Research. (or click [here!](#))

Invest It Forward™ connects students with real financial

WEEK 3

Lesson: “Identifying Ticker Symbols and Interpreting Stock Quotes”

Log into www.stockmarketgame.org. Click the “Curriculum” tile and search for: **In the News-Starting Up and Stocktalk-Tickers Tales.**

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WEEK 6

Lessons: "What Causes Stock Prices to Change?" and "Buy, Sell, or Hold?"

Extension Lessons (grade levels vary): "What is an Exchange/ Market?", "What is an Index?", and "What is P/E Ratio?"

In the News- A Tale of Two Shacks and An Apple for the Dow. Click the "Curriculum" tile and search for each publication in the search bar.

WEEK 7

Lesson: "What is Diversification?"

InvestWrite™ is SMG's national essay competition. Introduce the program to your class with the lesson "How to InvestWrite."

Check out

www.investwrite.org to find this season's prompt. This is a good time to have students draft their essay.

WEEK 8

Lesson: "What is a Mutual Fund?"

Stocktalk- Fund Time and In the News- Dr. B and the QE Medicine. Click the "Curriculum" tile and search for each publication in the search bar.

InvestWrite- Submit your essays by the deadline! Follow all submission instructions and submit at www.investwrite.org.

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