



LEARN TO EARN FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What is this program about?

Learn to Earn is a financial education program that is focused on learning about saving and good financial habits.

2. Who can participate?

Youth between the ages of 14 and 18 can participate, along with an adult from their household.

3. What kind of paperwork will there be?

There will be an application form to complete at an introductory meeting on September 10th at 6:00pm at the Lyons Community Center.

4. How long is the program?

The program runs from September through May, 2013. We will meet 14 times over this period for about 2 hours each night.

5. Where will it occur?

Lyons Community Center.

6. What do I have to do to participate?

Complete paperwork and commit to coming to meetings (youth with one adult), actively participate in the entire project, and agree for us to contact you with follow-up questions in July, 2013, November, 2013 and May, 2014.

7. This is the evening dinner hour—will you be feeding us?

Yes, we will provide dinner for the youth and adult.

8. Is childcare provided?

We are sorry, but we cannot provide childcare and ask that other arrangements be made for other children in the family not

participating in the program.

9. How do I get the money?

You will earn incentives throughout the year for attending the workshops. At the end of the year, we will match your savings. More information will be provided when you complete your application. **ADULTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR INCENTIVES OR SAVINGS MATCHES.**

10. Do I have to bring an adult with me to each workshop?

Yes

11. Is there a lot of work?

There will be assignments on most of the weeks we meet, but there will be plenty of time to complete them, and completing assignments help you earn money.

12. Can I spend the money on anything I want? This will be your money. We will encourage you to set goals for yourself and save for those goals.

13. How do I get a savings account at a bank or credit union?

You will choose the bank or credit union where you want your account.

14. What if I already have a bank account at a bank or credit union?

You can add your earnings to your existing account.

15. Who do I contact to get involved?

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16. Who is doing this program?

The Collaborative is partnering with Give Back Organization, under a grant from the City of Raleigh. **Need more information? Call Donna or Tarin: 919-341-6418**