

Case Study: St Clere's School



**MONEY
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Money Smart is a financial education programme aimed at 11-25 year olds who are Deaf or sight impaired. It aims to build financial capability and improve access to services, focusing on public and personal finance.

Topics include everything from budgeting and banking to fraud and spending.

Joseph, 11

"I've learnt how not to get in overdrafts, spend money responsibly and use the services banks provide like cards, cheques and statements. I know how to manage my money and not get into financial problems down the line.

"I've enjoyed finding out how to get money! I'm going to start doing chores around the house. £5 a chore and use it to pay off my monthly phone bill.

A lot of things are printed out very small. It's nice to know the options for us who can't see it, that we will get the same opportunities to not get into difficulties.

It's very useful to know the difference between credit and debt and not to go over certain amounts.

There's a lot of remember, how to properly save money, look after it, the best bank account to put it in, how to best choose a bank, but this will stick in my head. I really enjoyed it, the Money Mechanics lady was very friendly".



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