Money Twist  For Key Stage 3

Content

Three highly interactive sessions building young people's knowledge around basic finance and helping them engage with money:

Money Twist involves writing, presenting, drawing, maths and problem-solving.

Sessions cover:

Session 1: The functions of money, understanding their relationship with money and the impact that advertising, peer and media pressure, and shopping deals can have. Alongside comparing costs and benefits of a range of goods and service.

Session 2: Creating positive money mindsets through exploring money motivations, budgeting, minimum wage, needs and wants, and making financial decisions based on their circumstances.

Session 3: Making good money decisions based on current and savings accounts, interest, flow of money, understanding bank statements, overdrafts and the future of money

An award-winning programme, Money Twist engages young people to discuss, present, problem-solve and apply math. We use real life case studies, ‘escape the room’ style interactive games, videos and tasks, enabling young people to understand their money habits, motivations and how to effectively manage their relationship with money. Activities cater for a variety of learning styles, with many extensions and ability variations.

Money Twist is based on the Money Advice Service’s Teacher Outcomes Framework and key research. The content maps into the financial literacy parts of the Citizenship, Maths and PSHE curriculum. It is ideal for financial capability focus days, enterprise weeks, or can be built into a scheme of work over a number of weeks.

Multiple Money Twist workshops can be run simultaneously to allow several classes to take part at once.

“After Money Twist, I feel having money is a responsibility. MyBnk taught me to save rather than spend. I’m more cautious about what my pocket money is spent on and no longer spend cash on fast food after school”. Noura, 12, Prendergast Vale School.