Youth Financial Management, Literacy, and Physical Activity with StoryWalk®

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StoryWalk® Project: Required Statement



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Source: Kellogg- Hubbard Library

http://www.kellogghubbard.org/storywalk



StoryWalk® Project: History & Purpose

FOUNDER: ANNE FERGUSON, CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTION SPECIALIST

About the Project

- Create something different, fun, and interesting
- Create something where the parents had to be as active as the children
- Books with minimal text that would appeal to all ages
- Could fit into families' busy schedules
- Free so financial limits would not interfere with people enjoying it

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Fun and educational family activity to communities promoting:

- Early literacy
- Physical activity
- Family together time
- Time outdoors in nature



Family Financial StoryWalk®: Our Goals



- Help parents talk with their children about money through reading books and one-on-one discussions using conversation starters
- Statewide activity during Money Smart Week the month of April
- Fits with Walk Kansas health initiative program



Family Financial StoryWalk®

- Identified 5 books
- Obtained funding
- Developed discussion guides
- Developed evaluation
- Assembled 25 sets
- Statewide activity during Money Smart Week





Family Financial StoryWalk®: Sources

MyMoney Five – Building Blocks for Managing and Growing Your Money

- Earning
- Saving & Investing
- Spending
- Borrowing
- Protecting against risk



Source: My Money Five

mymoney.gov

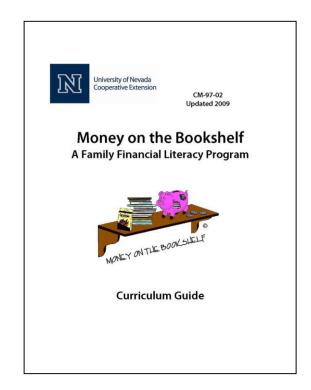
https://www.mymoney.gov/mymoneyfive/Pages/mymoneyfive.aspx



Family Financial StoryWalk®: Sources

Money on the Book Shelf

- Goal setting
- Decision making
- Planning
- Saving



Source: Money on the Bookshelf
University of Nevada Cooperative Extension
http://www.unce.unr.edu/publications/files/cy/other/cm9702.pdf



Family Financial StoryWalk®: Sources

Money as You Grow Club

Key Ideas:

- Patience, wants verse needs
- Making decisions, problem-solving
- Setting goals, planning, prioritizing
- Spending, saving, earning
- Sharing, borrowing



Source: Money as You Grow Club

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

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Family Financial StoryWalk® Books

Curious George Saves His Pennies

Making decisions, sharing & borrowing

Those Shoes

Prioritizing, sharing and borrowing

Sheep in a Shop

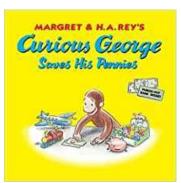
Making decisions, solving problems

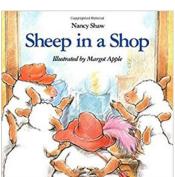
Ox Cart Man

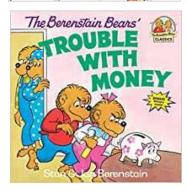
Earning, setting goals

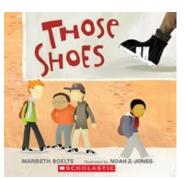
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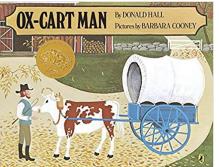
Making decisions, spending













Family Financial StoryWalk® Funding

Internal Funding

- ESP Alpha Rho
 Chapter Extension
 Endowment Fund –
 \$500
- Katey Walker
 Extension Excellence

 Fund \$300
- Gift Cards \$45
- FRM PFT Funds \$1500

Local Funding/Grants

- Frontier Farm Credit
- Hospital/Community Foundations
- Banks
- Walmart



Family Financial StoryWalk® Supplies

Book

2 copies of each title

Industrial Velcro

• \$20/15 feet

Glue Sticks

Poster Board

Heavy Lamination

• \$1.25/page

Corrugated Boards

• \$1.49/24"x18" page

Yard Stands

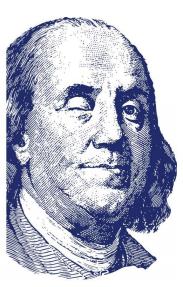
• \$1.00/stake



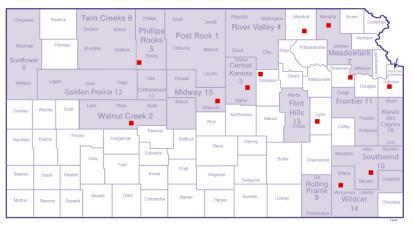


Money Smart Week 2018

SMART WEEK



KSRE Program Focus of Extension Agents



Family Resource Management



Money Smart Week 2018





STORYWALK® IN YOUR COMMUNITY

- All usage of the StoryWalk® mark must comply with these guidelines, and must be limited to use in connection with educational, noncommercial projects consistent with the StoryWalk® Project mission to promote literacy.
- Please use the StoryWalk® trademark and include the following statement in all promotion of the project:

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3) Frequently asked questions: http://www.kellogghubbard.org/storywalk



June 16th

Stop By Between 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. At the Corner of Main & 1st - Across from Lincoln Library

You are invited to walk around the block reading signs with the pages of the book <u>Handa's Surprise</u> by Eileen Browne. A snack will be provided for all participants.

This book will be on display for 1 Month.

The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, Vermont and developed in collaboration with the Vermont Bicycle & Pedestrian Coalition and the Kellogg-Hubbard Library.



StoryWalk® in Your Community

Partners, Partners, Partners

- One Time Events
- One Week
- One Month



- Walking Trail/Park
- Downtown/ City Block/Courthouse Square
- School Fun Night
- Farmer's Market
- Library/ Summer Reading Program
- Walk Kansas



Family Financial StoryWalk® Resources

Instructions for creating

Discussion guides

Evaluation questions

- How much did this StoryWalk® help you talk with your child about money? (A great deal...Not at all)
- Will you read with your child in the future? (Yes | No)
- Will you exercise with your child in the future? (Yes | No)



Other Resources

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