



Florida Financial Literacy Initiative
A statewide initiative managed by the Florida Literacy Coalition
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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. When is the due date for proposals?

Proposals must be received by **August 10th, 2018**.

2. How do I submit my application?

Submit your completed electronic application online at
<https://app.formassembly.com/forms/test/4666416>

3. Is my organization eligible to apply?

Eligible organizations must be a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization or government-based agency that provides adult ESOL and/or family literacy instruction in Florida. See guidelines for what constitutes a family literacy program.

4. If I received the grant before, am I eligible to reapply?

Yes, previous grant recipients are encouraged to reapply.

5. Are we required to use the Hands On Banking curriculum?

No, it is not required, only recommended. You are free to select your own instructional materials and may use grant funds to purchase these materials if needed.

6. My students are beginning level ESOL students – is this program right for them?

Financial Literacy information can be incorporated into all levels. However, this program is most successful when implemented with students who are not beginning English language learners.

7. I'm not sure what we will do for the project-based learning section of the application. Do I have to know now?

No, your students should help you decide. However, try to begin the process with potential ideas. To help you brainstorm, you may want to review [previous projects](#) listed on this website.

8. What reports must be completed throughout the grant year?

- A. Mid-Year Report
- B. End-of-Year Report
- C. Student and Instructor surveys and assessments (Note: some of these may be revised for 2018)

9. We are interested in incorporating a career pathways component into our proposal. Is this allowed?

Yes, we encourage applicants to consider doing this provided that it is a good fit for their program and the focus is on introducing adult learners to careers and credentialing programs in healthcare. FLC's new *Health Careers Guide* and corresponding teacher's manual were developed specifically for adult basic education learners and may be a helpful resource for applicants and their students.

10. Do you provide teacher training in Financial Literacy?

Yes, FLC is committed to supporting teachers in this regard and will be offering a number of trainings throughout the year, including a financial literacy track at the Florida Literacy Conference.

11. Who do I call or write if I have questions?

Contact Heather Surrency at (407) 246-7110 ext. 209 or send an e-mail to Surrencyh@floridaliteracy.org