

MINISTER OF EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING

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To: Superintendents of School Divisions
Principals of Funded Independent Schools
Directors of First Nations Education Authorities
Student Services Administrators
Manitoba School for the Deaf

Dear Colleagues:

Financial literacy prepares our young people to become resilient, confident citizens in our current and future economy. I am pleased to proclaim November as Financial Literacy Month in Manitoba. This proclamation is intended to support students, teachers and schools in continuing awareness of financial literacy throughout Kindergarten to Grade 12.

Personal financial literacy opportunities are interdisciplinary throughout a student's educational journey. A variety of valuable financial literacy resources are available to support learning, including:

- Make It Count! a Grades 4 to 8 resource from the Manitoba Securities Commission https://mbsecurities.ca/get-informed/programs/make-it-count.html
- Program Guides for parents and teachers from Money Smart Manitoba https://moneysmartmanitoba.ca/resources/
- Financial literacy programs and resources from The Financial Consumer Agency of Canada www.canada.ca/en/financial-consumer-agency/programs/financial-literacy.html

Thank you for your ongoing commitment to fostering financial literacy in Manitoba.

Sincerely,

Nello Altomare

Attachment

c. Board Chairs, School Divisions
Principals of Public Schools