

Introduction

This manual introduces concepts related to financial and investor literacy, and developing financial capability. It is an ideal teaching tool for secondary school teachers, Forms One-Five, primarily within the subject areas of Business and Economics. The Manual delves into topics such as: Goal-setting and financial decision-making; concepts of saving, investing and debt; investing essentials and identifying financial and investor fraud or scams. This document can be used as a separate document or blended with other instructional materials and/or with the schools' curricula.

This teacher's manual is supplemented with a student workbook. The student workbook includes core practical exercises for students to grasp key concepts and apply the knowledge learned, towards their personal financial development and management throughout life.

Experiential learning is at the core of this Manual and Workbook, providing avenues for students to participate in activities; reflect on their experiences, analyse accordingly and apply the knowledge they have learnt by connecting to real examples.

The following table identifies the core areas of study within the Secondary School system that are applicable to the various Units within this Manual and corresponding Workbook.

SYLLABUS CONTENT	(TTSEC's) Investor Education Manual
CSEC Principles of Business (POB)	
Section 1 Nature of Business	Units 1-9
Section 8 Business Finance	
CSEC Economics	
Section 1 Nature of Economics	Units 1-9
Section 5 The Financial Sector	Units 1-9
NCSE Technology Education (Entrepreneurship Strand)	Units 1-9

