

CP Economics: Calendar, 'The' Essential Question(s), and Enduring Understandings

"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets"

1. How can you make the most of your money?
2. Money provides a medium through which individuals and societies enter into basic economic activities.
3. The policies and actions of major banking institutions, including the Federal Reserve, have important effects on the U.S. and world economies.
4. Modern banks offer consumers a wide range of opportunities for saving and for borrowing.
5. Financial institutions provide consumers with opportunities to invest savings in ways that can create economic growth.
6. The stock market and bond trading markets provide means for corporations to raise money that can then be invested for further growth.

"Topic 8: Taxes and Spending"

1. Can and should the government be fair to everyone?
2. Governments collect taxes to pay for programs, but taxes can have powerful effects on the general economy.
3. The federal government taxes income, the manufacture or sale of some goods, imports, and other sources of wealth.
4. The national government spends tax money on mandatory outlays, including entitlements such as Social Security, and on discretionary spending.
5. State taxes provide money for education, public safety, transportation, and other public goods.
6. Local governments tax residents in order to pay for police, fire protection, education, and other public goods.

Date	Class Items	Homework: always review
10/14	"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets" 1. Money and Banking 2. Crash Course #14	1. Look over text pages 228-254
10/16	"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets" 1. The Federal Reserve 2. Tour guide speech- activity 3. Crash Course #15	1. Recommended= complete 'Targeted' Key Terms 6.1, 6.2 & 6.3- (see back of calendar)
10/20	"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets" 1. "Too Big To Fail" (movie)	1. Look over text pages 255-285
10/22* *minimum day	"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets" 1. "Too Big To Fail" (movie)	1. Recommended= complete 'Targeted' Key Terms 6.4, 6.5, 6.6 & 6.7- (see back of calendar)
10/20	"Topic 6: Money, Banking, and Financial Markets" 1. Investing 2. Financial investments - activity 3. Crash Course #16	1. Recommended= to look over review on p. 288, and to complete #1-8, #10, #11 & #13
	"Topic 8: Taxes and Spending" 1. Taxes 2. The IRS and taxation - activity 3. Crash Course #17	1. Look over text pages 348-371 2. Recommended= complete 'Targeted' Key Terms 8.1, 8.2, 8.3 & 8.4- (see back of calendar)
10/24	"Topic 8: Taxes and Spending" 1. Government Spending 2. Federal income & government spending- activity 3. Crash Course #18	1. Recommended= to look over review on p. 374, and to complete #1-8, #9, #10, #12 & #14
10/28	TOPIC 6/8 TEST... 90 POINTS	GOOD LUCK AND DO WELL!

✱ FOCUS YOUR STUDIES ON THE TOPIC/UNIT NOTE OUTLINE, THE 'TARGETED' KEY TERMS, AND THE ASSIGNED TOPIC/UNIT QUESTIONS ✱