Financial Literacy and Financial Aid Will.Power. Module

In an effort to increase student understanding of personal finance, the Departments of Student Enrollment Services and Financial Aid, in collaboration with campus partners, have launched an online financial literacy tool. This tool is a financial education program that assists students in developing sound financial management skills.

The goal of financial literacy is that our students will have the tools and skills necessary to maintain a budget, managing their expenses, meet and be able to navigate financial goals and obstacles, while being able to understand credit card and loan debt and be able to estimate the financial effects of current and future employment. Additionally, students will be able to get basic knowledge on how to save and invest, protect their financial resources, as well as personal property and identity, and be able to pay for college whether with financial aid, scholarships, savings plans and/or out-of-pocket.

As a Will.Power. student, you will need to complete all of the six webinars below. Each webinar has a pre-test, a video and a post-test. Please complete the pre-test first, which will test your current knowledge on the topic that will be covered. Once you complete the pre-test, you will be prompted to watch the short video. After the video, you will complete a post-test which will test and reinforce what you learned. At the end, you will be able to select to continue to the next webinar or click on the link to return to this page and continue the other webinars at your leisure.

<u>Click here to begin the Financial Literacy Webinar</u> <u>Click here to begin the Savings and Goals Settings Webinar</u> <u>Click here to begin the Fraud Protection Webinar</u> <u>Click here to begin the Reapplying for Financial Aid Webinar</u> <u>Click here to begin the Completing Your Financial Aid File Webinar</u> <u>Click here to begin the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) Webinar</u>

Once you have completed all of the webinars, please prepare a document where you answer the following questions and submit the document to your Will.Power. instructor by the specified deadline.

- What is Financial Literacy?
- How does Financial Literacy and Financial Aid relate?
- What can you do to maintain Financial Aid eligibility?
- What actions can you take to be financial literate?
- Overall, what did you learn from the webinars?

