SPRING 2021 FINANCIAL READINESS & FINANCIAL WELLNESS CALENDAR

https://linktr.ee/UNTmoney - UNT SMMC Media & Important Links

TABLEING EVENTS

General Tabling
Join the SMMC to learn more about our programs and services offered at UNT.
Thursday, January 14 | 12:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Jazmin & Stephanie
Tuesday, February 9 | 12:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Haley & Destiny
Tuesday, March 9 | 12:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Haley & Stephanie
Tuesday, April 13 | 12:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Giuliana & Destiny

Finance Fridays
The Student Money Management Center is hosting a virtual workshop on several Financial Topics! Whether its building your credit or setting up your budget, Finance Fridays will help you get your money in the right direction.
Friday, January 15 | 2:00 PM | Social Media | Leads: Jazmin & Kaylee
Friday, February 12 | 2:00 PM | Social Media | Leads: Destiny & Cortney
Friday, March 12 | 2:00 PM | Social Media | Leads: Haley & Giuliana
Friday, April 9 | 2:00 PM | Social Media | Leads: Stephanie & Kaylee

Coaching Corner
UNT students have access to FREE financial coaching from our experts! If you’ve ever been curious about our coaching services, but don’t really know where to start, then join us as we answer any and all questions related to coaching and how to set up your appointment. Visit Navigate Scheduling to schedule your session today!
Tuesday, January 26 | 2:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Joey & Cortney
Tuesday, February 16 | 2:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Giuliana & Kaylee
Tuesday, March 16 | 2:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Joey & Jazmin
Tuesday, April 20 | 2:30 PM | Social Media | Leads: Stephen & Danielle

No Foolin’ with Money!
The SMMC would NEVER fool our students! In honor of April Fool’s Day, Joey and Cortney will be going over true and false beliefs about money topics. Tune in to make sure no one can pull a fast one on you!
Thursday, April 1st | 1:30 PM | Instagram & Twitter @UNTmoney
WORKSHOPS & PRESENTATIONS

**Denton on a Dime**
- **Lead**: Destiny & Cortney
- **Description**: Come discover everything you need to know about living the best of life in Denton-without breaking the bank! Here you'll find the best deals for you and your friends from transportation to the best local Denton hangouts.
- **Date**: Thursday, January 21 | 2:00 PM | Microsoft Teams Live Event

**Transfer Student 101**
- **Lead**: Stephanie
- **Description**: Join us in our Transfer 101 event where we will go over financial resources on campus, resources for on-campus & off-campus job opportunities, learning whether commuting, an apartment, or a residence hall is best for you financially.
- **Date**: Thursday, January 28 | 2:00 PM | SMMC YouTube Channel

**Get Cash Now**
- **Lead**: Haley & Jazmin
- **Description**: Waiting on that first paycheck, or just looking for a little additional income? We’ll give you over 20 ways to make money while still being a full-time student. We’ll cover what to look out for when taking on side hustles and how to make the most of your time to boost your income.
- **Date**: Thursday, February 4 | 2:00 PM | Microsoft Teams Live Event

**Dallas Dates on a Dime**
- **Lead**: Kaylee
- **Description**: With so many things to potentially buy for your significant other on Valentine’s Day, it can be hard to pick just one. It can be even harder to find something for a low price. Join in our fun and informational session on how you can have a Valentine’s Day in the DFW Area that doesn’t break the bank!
- **Date**: Thursday, February 11 | SMMC YouTube Channel

**$20 Meal Plan Prep/Round Table**
- **Lead**: Giuliana & Stephanie
- **Description**: Drastic times call for drastic measures, and our $20 Meal Plan workshop is just that. Come learn how to survive off $20 a week to eat.
- **Date**: Thursday, February 18 | 11:00 AM | Microsoft Teams Live Event

**Game of Life: Personal Finance**
- **Lead**: Giuliana
- **Description**: How will you do in the Game of Life? Join us for a life sized, Game of Life where you’ll learn where your income will take you? Planning your financial future has never been so entertaining.
- **Date**: Thursday, February 25 | 11:00 AM | Zoom Registration Link

**Thrifty ‘n’ Nifty**
- **Lead**: Cortney
- **Description**: Enter a world where you can find treasure at a bargain! Whether it’s decorating your apartment, looking to score that big interview, or just trying to save the planet, thrifting can help you be frugal and look good while doing it.
- **Date**: Thursday, March 4 | SMMC YouTube Channel

**Building Credit**
- **Lead**: Joey & Destiny
- **Description**: Credit can be an essential part of one’s financial life, from credit cards to mortgages. Credit can help or hinder your financial goals. Join us to discover how best to manage your credit, what steps to take to build a strong credit history and score, and the role that credit can play in your financial life.
- **Date**: Thursday, March 11 | SMMC YouTube Channel

**Destroying Debt**
- **Lead**: Cortney & Kaylee
- **Description**: Do you have debt? Want to pay it down and put your money towards other financial goals? If so this workshop is for you. Join us as we discuss debt repayment strategies, covering credit card, medical, and student loan debt.
- **Date**: Thursday, March 18 | SMMC YouTube Channel
Salary Negotiation
Learn about common negotiating tactics that can help you be in control of your proper worth. Discuss and explore web and print resources that maintain accurate descriptions of company pay and benefits. Avoid selling yourself short and learn to negotiate a fair and balanced salary and benefits package.
Thursday, March 25 | 2:00 PM | Microsoft Teams Live Event
**SPRING 2021 SIGNATURE EVENTS**

**Mean Green Money Podcast**
Mean Green Money is your source for all things personal finance at UNT. From budgeting and saving to side hustles and investing, we’re here to help you be confident with your money. Want more? Visit our office in Chestnut Hall 313.

*Listen on your preferred podcast services or go to MeanGreenMoney.buzzsprout.com*

**Club B.I.G.I. (Bank It, Grow It)**
Do you want to swap ideas with your peers about financial tips? Does the idea of in-depth discussions about money topics sound appealing? If so, Club BIGI might be the fit for you! Join the official student organization of the SMMC as we meet virtually throughout the semester to engage in community, share ideas, and gain new knowledge.

*Biweekly Starting February 2nd | 2:00 PM | Microsoft Teams*

*Registration Link*

**FITER (Expert Resources)**
Got a handle on your finances and still looking to improve? This workshop is for you! This FREE 2-Week course dives straight into the specialized topics of credit, self-investment and debt management. Join the SMMC and UNT Alumni on this journey to advance your Financial Intelligence Training.

*February 8-19 | 2-Week CANVAS Course*

*Registration Link*

**FIT Basic**
Want to increase your personal finance skills? Financial Intelligence Training is for you. This 3 week personal finance class will teach you how to set goals, budget, manage credit and debt, and plan for your future. You’ll also receive an individual coaching session with advice specific to your situation and goals. Attendees will receive a Financial Intelligence Training certificate. Classes are FREE for all students.

*March 1-19 | 3-Week CANVAS Course*

*Registration Link*

**Women’s Entrepreneurship Showcase**
Join us in the evening March 8th for our first ever online “Women’s Entrepreneur Showcase” via Zoom! You won’t want to miss the opportunity to ask these amazing entrepreneurs about their journeys, and tips for success! Learn more about the panelists on our social media outlets. Hope to see you there!

*Monday, March 8 | 7:30 PM | Zoom Registration*

**Money Month**
Can’t get enough of the SMMC? Well come get your fix during our annual Money Month! Celebrate the end of the semester with one-of-a-kind events, workshops, and giveaways. Our theme of “Connection” will help our students (that’s you!) celebrate unity in a tumultuous world through the lens of money topics.

*April 1-23 | TBA*
COACHING SERVICES

SMMC Money Coaches
Have a money question and need to talk to someone about your personal finances? Our trained coaches of professionals and peer mentors are here to help. Whether it’s a question about your financial aid awards, a bill you can’t pay, preparing for life after graduation, creating a budget to live on or any money question on your mind.

Visit Navigate Scheduling to schedule your session today!
In-Person, Online, or Over the Phone

SMMC Cost of Attendance Coaching
In partnership with the Orientation and Transition Program Office, the center provides a special cost of attendance session to students requesting deferment of orientation and housing fees. This session provides new freshmen and transfer students greater insight into the financial realities and responsibilities of pursuing degrees at UNT.

Visit Navigate Scheduling to schedule your session today!
In-Person, Online, or Over the Phone

Student Loan Entrance Counseling
For students new to the financial aid process, or for those who would like guidance through the complexity, our money coaches can help. This special 30-minute one-on-one session provides important information to help students and their parents make informed decisions when reviewing financial aid funding options.

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Student Loan Exit Counseling
Exit counseling is required for all student loan borrowers when they graduate, leave school, or drop below half-time enrollment. This special 30-minute session provides important information a student loan borrower will need to prepare to start repaying federal student loans. This session fulfills the Department of Education’s mandatory requirement and will remove the counseling block from your student account.

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In-Person, Online, or Over the Phone

Study Abroad Coaching Sessions
Interested in studying Spanish in Spain? Engineering in Egypt? Business in Bahrain? Risk Management in Romania? A study abroad experience is often the highlight of a student's college experience. This special coaching session reviews the financial side of study abroad programs from program costs to funding options.

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Student Athlete Coaching Sessions
Through a special collaboration with Athletics, the center is able to help student athletes receiving off-campus living stipends understand the new financial obligations and realities they will be facing living off campus. This session fulfills the Athletics Department mandatory counseling requirement to receive the stipend.

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SMMC Emergency Assistance Coaching Sessions
This special session is required for every student applying to the center’s loan-based emergency assistance program. During the session's students will review their financial need, repayment sources, and program eligibility.

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