

Science Bound Participants Comments
For Program Improvement and Impact I
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*Completion of this evaluation is voluntary, but please help us to improve
by sharing your ideas with us. Thank you.*

What was the most important thing you learned in this session?

- Learned a lot about credit
- Not to buy on impulse. Give allowance, it helps them appreciate their money better
- Different ways to look at money
- That our financial management habits has a lot to some extend a bearing of our upbringing
- To be informed so that I can inform my children
- My money history. Why I do the things I do
- The importance of examining the origins of attitudes toward money – The importance of making sure that young people have accurate information about money and credit
- The importance of how I spend my money – How my family history of money spending have affected me as adult
- Children need opportunities to manage money - provide an allowance to encourage savings & spending habits
- Balances on credit cards – your item costs three times what you paid for it
Paying the minimum monthly payment it will take 20 years to pay off \$2000
- The value of taking control of your money
- The interest put on the amount of charged purchase and the time frame to pay the debt off
- Saving money and investment of money
- Made me really think about how I handle money. I learned that “It’s the day to day handling of \$\$ that counts”
- What not to do with credit cards – Greater appreciation for what I buy
- Money is important, necessary and should be discussed as a family

What do you plan to do differently as a result of today’s program?

- To talk to the kids about credit
- Try to put away some extra money
- Talk more to my child about financial ability
- Discuss money issues with young people with our encouragement to budgeting and saving
- Track my money spending
- Talk to my children about credit
- Consider giving my son a small monthly allowance (I stress small because he’s old enough to earn part of what he needs)
- Get more in control of my spending
- Establish a budget to chart if we are managing our money – To change some of our spending habits to reduce the amount of debit incurred each month

- Keep a spending journal and plan to save money for items I know I want or need to buy in the next year
- Better management my money and start investing my money
- Start working with my children about saving and share the information with my husband
- Talk to my child about credit cards and saving money
- Make the decision to face the problems and decide to take control of my money
- Practice money management
- Show children monthly finances and bills must be paid on time

What future topics will interest you?

- Another day of this – credit
- Other ways to pay for college
- I wish you would have some of these discussions wit the students because he listens to others better than he listens to us
- A money topic at least twice a year
- Study habits – Curfew – How to have a conversation with your child
- Vocational guidance – Study habits
- Time management – how to use your time more efficiently
- Scholarships / Grants – Talking to child about choosing a college – Time management and studying
- Please do this kind of session more often and earlier
- Make mistakes with less risk – Learn limits exists