

FAMILY FINANCE DAY - School Competition

The Family Finance Day competition will offer students the opportunity to demonstrate their financial knowledge while playing sports and other activities. Sounds fun, right? In an effort to prepare competition teams, the TCAI Credit-Wise Cats students and the Tucson Association of Realtors provided them 6 personal finance classes. The competition structure will not only test teams' knowledge on specific topics, but will also test their ability to apply their new skills under specific circumstances. To begin, every team will start the competition with the same basic family scenario; however, teams will build their family's financial situation based on their performance throughout the competition. Teams will be required to complete 6 stations. As teams complete stations, they will earn a credit score, acquire savings, establish credit history, etc. which will build their family's financial standing. The teams' performance in the first 5 stations will directly impact the 6th station as they try to purchase a home. A panel of judges will determine which team is more "financially fit" at the end of the competition and that team will be declared the winner. Come and support your favorite team and see how they build their "family's" financial standing!

Awards

First Place: \$600 + Trophy + Big Check

Second Place: \$450 + Trophy

Third Place: \$300 + Trophy

Participant: \$100 + Trophy

Good Luck to all Competing Schools and Advisors

| # | School | Advisor |
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| 1 | Alice Vail Middle School | Gale Mitchell |
| 2 | Catalina Magnet High School | Mark Hanna |
| 3 | Quincie Douglas Library | Jennifer Nichols and Tara Foxx-Lupo |
| 4 | Rincon High School | Brenda Tyler |
| 5 | Sahuarita High School | Laura and Norberto Acosta |
| 6 | San Miguel High School | Larry Moskal |