

Career & Personal Finance 1

Online Expectations

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Course Dates: May 13 - July 15, 2024

Initial meeting: May 13, 2024

Description: This course will provide students with a basic understanding of the principles of personal economics and investment opportunities. Topics will include consumerism, budgeting, use of credit, financial institutions, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, retirement plans, and business investment opportunities.

Expectations:

- This course is designed to raise the awareness of: yourself, career considerations, training platforms, and how money works.
- The online platform gives you an opportunity to complete the course work at your own pace. However, all work is to be turned in by the stated due dates. You may work ahead and turn in assignments early. Assignments will be closed after the due dates. All incomplete assignments will receive a zero.
- Extended time will only be granted for:
 - Doctor's appointments and / or illness. (A doctor's excuse is required).
 - Students who are in conflict with another school-related activity must show proof of the conflict.
 - Makeup dates will be determined on an individual basis.
- Participation is mandatory for each activity posted on the lesson plans.
- Lesson Plans are posted at:
 - <https://penntrafford.blackboard.com>

- When posting on Blackboard, **place your answers in the Assignment Submission area, not the comments area**. Do not send attachments or links to your work. Allow at least 72 hours for posting of corrected assignments.
- All notes, homework and other assignments are through Safe Assign, a plagiarism website. Any student(s) caught plagiarizing will receive a zero for the assignment. Safe assign checks student to student work as well as internet plagiarism. This program automatically checks each assignment.
- Course grades consist of daily activities and written work via online assignments.
- **WEBSITE:** <https://penntrafford.blackboard.com/> . Click on the login icon, then click blackboard.
- It is recommended you use Chrome as your web browser.
- Check your email on a regular basis for updates.
- Deadlines are:
 - June 4, 2024 = Block 1
 - June 25, 2024 = Block 2
 - July 15, 2024 = Block 3

Final grades for this course will be based on the percentage of total points earned and the grades will be assigned as follows:

Letter Grade	Percentage
A	90 - 100%
B	80 - 89%
C	70 - 79%
D	60 - 69%
F	0 - 59%

- If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at KosoglowD@PennTrafford.org.
- Office hours will be scheduled based on student need via google meet for in office.