



This FREE course runs for five to six weeks, and has been specially developed to assist you to financial independence and support you in employment and education opportunities as well as providing a range of other support information.

We have a range of modules available to use and the participants choose the modules most relevant to them at the start of the program.

We are focused on making sure we provide supportive learning environments, with small class sizes, safe classroom environments and flexible learning that is responsive to the needs of the individual.

A key feature of our program is that the course is developed and facilitated by skilled educators, we find that our students have the skills and knowledge to support each other throughout the course and we provide a full range of useful resources and contacts to expand that support and develop confidence and independence.

Some of the key points we cover includes but is not limited to:

- Budgeting
- Relationships and money
- Goal setting
- Talking about money
- Mindful spending
- Managing debt
- Children and money
- E-safety
- Financial abuse
- Planning for the future: Wills & Superannuation

Over the duration of the course, we develop the topics to suit the interests of the group. We will work in conjunction with participants ensure we are meeting the needs of the group and where necessary we can adapt the program. We have the flexibility to provide one on one support as required and may extend the program if needed.

We make use of guest speakers on specialist topics such as wills and superannuation to ensure our participants get the most current and up to date information.

Our training can support learners with their Workforce Australia mutual obligation points requirements through:

- Pre-accredited training
- Resume support
- Volunteering

Some feedback from previous participants: *"this course is the 100% the best thing I have ever done"* and *"I will be recommending this to my friends"* and *"I wish I had completed this course earlier in my life."*

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