The Official Guide to All the Money Stuff

One of the most important things to know after graduation: How to handle your money, but don’t take our word for it. Here’s what other students are saying.

78% of students say

Planning early pays off, seriously.

SERIOUSLY.

OWN EVERYDAY MONEY STUFF

Sallie Mae, survey of 500 high school seniors
George Lucas Educational Foundation (Edutopia), “Financial Literacy Pays Off” infographic
College Savings Foundation, “How Youth Plan to Fund College”
Council for Economic Education, “Financial Literacy after High School” infographic

SOURCES:

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EXPLORE FIRST

COST OF LIVING

THE MONEY STUFF

you make.

easy to accidentally

health, clothes? It’s

YOUR IDEAL LIFESTYLE.

Learn which kinds of jobs support

FEES ENTIRELY.

DISCOUNTS FOR VETERANS — OR WAIVE TUITION

Many colleges and universities offer tuition

TUITION WAIVERS FOR SERVICE:

Texas colleges for military veterans.

TUITION EXEMPTIONS AT:

...tuition in exchange for training and a...

...commitment to serve after graduation.

...benefits you can get after serving, ...

...GI Bill:...

...money toward your...

...americorps members...

...money for college based on skills and needs —

Money for college based on skills and needs —

...no need to pay the money back! These top

Borrowing

82% of students say

Building Credit

Credit cards let you spend money and...

Lenders

CREDIT VOCABULARY

APR is basically...

INTEREST:...

CREDIT SCORE:...

Borrowing

It’s not just about the money stuff...

Paying just a few dollars to get a high ...

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