

KCEE SUGGESTED WEBSITES AND SIMULATIONS TO TEACH PERSONAL FINANCE

Website/Simulation Teacher Review

High School (grades 9-12)



Hot Shot Business

<http://disney.go.com/hotshot/hsb2/>

Play the simulation that gives you a chance to open your own pet spa, skateboard factory, or comic shop. You choose what you'll sell and scour the headlines for the latest local news that could affect your business. Set your own marketing and advertising strategies, budget your money and determine production quantities for products and services that

are in demand. Presented by *Disney Online* together with *The Kauffman Foundation*

FAQ

How easy is it to get started?

No registration is required. There is an optional 5-minute tutorial for students.

Is this website a stand-alone lesson or is it best used as a supplement?

Given that no lesson plans are provided, this site is best used as a supplement.

How much time will my students need to complete the activity? Also, is this one activity or a series of activities that must be completed as a whole?

This stand-alone activity can be completed in 30 minutes or less.

What kind, if any, assessments or pre-/post-testing is provided?

No assessments or pre-/post-testing is provided.

Are there any supplements or lesson extensions provided for the classroom?

No.

What grade levels would benefit from this website?

This website is best used with high school students.

What topics are covered by this website?

Students will be exposed to supply and demand; financing; advertising; marketing; budgeting; goods and services; and competition.

This website is suitable for which high school classes? (If applicable)

Economics, Marketing, Introduction to Business

What Kentucky Core Content does the website address?

Program Review: Career & Vocational Studies

Social Studies

SS-HS-3.1.1

SS-HS-3.2.3

SS-HS-3.3.1

Math

6.RP-3

6.RO-7

7.EE-3

7.SP-2