

## Evaluation Strategy

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My Evaluation strategy will be based on comprehension of main ideas and concepts while assessing application to real-world scenarios from buying a car to investing for retirement while creating and evaluating their own financial plan for their life. For a 17 year old, many of these concepts can and will seem foreign so there will have to be continuous assessment on the concepts as we go because if their base knowledge on these topics is lacking then their real-world connection will suffer.

The smaller eleven units are all continuously working towards their final authentic assessment where they chart their financial lives out in an appropriate manner while attempting to avoid financial pitfalls that so many of us fall into. I believe that connecting this course to their own career goals can help make these concepts more relevant for the learners as they can picture themselves doing the things they will be doing in this class in real life, whether it is five years later or fifty years later.

In the end, the evaluation will demonstrate the learner's ability to adjust to different economic issues from purchasing a TV to paying income taxes. This course will give them the awareness that there are numerous financial issues they will encounter and that knowledge about these issues should be ongoing and continuous. This course is not the end of their financial literacy but only a beginning, it is a gateway into their adulthood when they will reexamine best practices for their financial well-being whether it be to pay for college for buying a car and home in real life. Hopefully, in the future when thinking of their child's education or their own retirement they will utilize the tools they learned here to learn even more in the future.