ConsumerMan Video for LifeSmarts: Let’s Talk About Money
Video Discussion Questions

These open-ended prompts will help promote thoughtful discussion.

1. “Managing your money is a skill.” What are some of the reasons a budget is necessary to manage money?

   How is a budget a tool to manage money, not just spend money?

2. What is cash flow and why is it important?

   Would tracking cash flow change your spending habits? Explain.

3. Why is quality v. quantity a consumer-balancing act?

   Choose an apparel item you would like to buy and make a case for quality and another case for quantity.

4. Overdraft protection can mean a steep fee. Create a persuasive argument for and against this service.

5. How is PYF (Pay Yourself First) a habit that builds wealth?

   Why is saving money difficult and how can teenagers learn the importance of saving for the future?