



# LifeSmarts

*Learn it. Live it.*



## TeachSmarts

*The best resources and tips  
for LifeSmarts success*

Oct. 27, 2020

### Special time-sensitive opportunity: Making Life Easier Scholarship

Encourage your seniors and recent grads to apply for a [Making Life Easier Scholarship](#). Our friends at Toyota Financial Services are once again providing \$1 million in scholarships to college-bound students! This is a renewable scholarship, and LifeSmarts students and alumni are among the winners every year! The deadline is Friday, November 6, 2020. Don't delay! Apply today!

### Thank a Crime Fighter today

Continuing our focus on Personal Finance this month here at LifeSmarts, today is National Financial Crime Fighter Day. This special day recognizes the Bank Secrecy Act (BSA) and Anti-Money Laundering (AML) professionals. Not all superheroes wear capes—sometimes they wear business suits, dresses, or jeans, and serve in the back offices of financial institutions. They include law enforcement officers and other government personnel, and these are the people who protect the U.S. financial industry.

To celebrate National Financial Crime Fighter Day, check out our newly revised LifeSmarts U lesson on [Banking Services](#).

## Upcoming deadlines

The [October TeamSmarts](#) quiz on Personal Finance closes at midnight EST on October 31. The quiz shows up under your Captain's "competitions" tab once the Captain is logged in. Top-scoring teams earn \$100 cash prizes, and awards go to the top Varsity, Junior Varsity, 4-H, FBLA, FCCLA, HOSA, and SkillsUSA teams!

**FBLA LifeSmarts Competitive Event:** LifeSmarts is a competitive event with the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA). Competition begins with teams of two competing online, and there are two opportunities to compete: the fall challenge is currently open through November 13, and the spring challenge opens in February. Twelve teams from each challenge qualify to compete at the FBLA-NLC next summer in Anaheim, CA.

Stay safe and sound and have a great, treat-filled week! May you find the *Great Pumpkin!*

Until next week,

– The LifeSmarts Team

*LifeSmarts: Learn it, Live it!*

