

**Course Name:** Consumer Math

**Duration:**  1 Semester  Full Year

**Grade Level:**  9th  10th  11th  12th (check all that apply)

**Are there any prerequisites for the course?**

This course is for students with an IEP and a math goal.

**WHAT this course is about:**

Students in consumer math will learn the basics of managing money using a variety of math skill to compute weekly/annual wages, overtime hours, figuring tips, rounding money, as well as comparing gross pay to net pay.

**WHY take this course:**

This course explains how you can use the four basic mathematical operations-addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division to solve real-life problems. It address practical applications for math, such as wages, taxes, money management and interest and credit.

**WHAT you'll learn:**

- Wages
- Annual wages
- Time worked
- Overtime
- Salary commission
- Net pay
- Reading prices
- Coupons
- Counting calories
- Ratios
- Reading meter
- Renting or buying a home
- Utility consumption

**WHAT you'll do:**

You will explore the basic concepts of how money is earned, saved, and spent in your society.

**WHERE this could take you:**

Your future is open with many opportunities. One powerful tool that you can use for your future success is a solid understanding of how money can work for you and help you meet your life goals.

**OPTIONAL Course Outline (“scope and sequence”, sequence chart, etc.)**

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