

ALL PRINCIPALS/APS/TEACHERS: Social Sciences- Free Rock Concert on Financial Literacy September 25, 2015

Category: For Your Information

Audience: Principals/APs (Elementary), Principals/APs (Middle), Principals/APs (Senior High), All Teachers

Due Date: Sep 09, 2015

Meeting Date: n/a

Attachment(s): [Funding the Future.pdf](#)
[Financial Literacy Event FT_form.pdf](#)
[infographic The Value of Financial Literacy.pdf](#)

To announce a free event open to all K-8 Centers (Middle School Students Only), Middle Schools, and Senior High Schools to attend a FREE Rock concert about financial literacy

- The Department of Social Sciences, in cooperation with Steckler Wealth Management Group of Raymond James, Arshat Center Initiatives, the James L. Knight Center, and the Sam Berman Foundation is pleased to offer a FREE educational and entertaining event to all K-8 Centers (middle school students only), Middle Schools, and Senior High Schools to teach students about the importance of financial literacy in a creative and fun-filled manner.
- The GOODING Band, a Rock 'n' Roll Band, uses the power of a live rock performance to inspire young people with lessons of finance and discipline to help them see their own dreams as possibilities.
- The GOODING Band has traveled to over 58 cities entertaining young people and delivered their inspirational and important message about financial literacy and health in over 900 shows.
- Please see the following links for additional information about the GOODING Band:
 - <http://video.cnbc.com/gallery/?video=3000386055>
 - <http://www.fundingthefuturelive.org/>
- This is the first time the GOODING band will be performing in Florida and this unique experience is open to M-DCPS students free of admission charge due to the generous sponsors aforementioned.
- **Details of the event are as follows:**
 - Date: Friday, September 25, 2015
 - Location: James L. Knight Center Concert Hall, 400 SE 2nd Avenue, Miami, Florida 33131
 - Beginning Time: Concert begins at 11:30 a.m. (schools should arrive by no later than 11:00 a.m.)
 - Ending time: Concert ends at 1:00 p.m. (should have their transportation meet them at the James L. Knight Center at 1:00 p.m. to return to their schools)
 - **Bus transportation and funding are NOT provided and is the responsibility of each school to organize. The James L. Knight Center is easily accessible via the metro rail and people mover.**

- **Substitute teacher funding is NOT provided.**
- To register your school to attend, please do so by accessing the link below and completing the requested information on or before Wednesday, September 9, 2015.
 - <http://socialsciences.dadeschools.net/forms/financial-lit-concert-form.asp>.
- The event has a maximum capacity of 1,800 students. First registered, first served.
- Please see attached flyer for additional information.
- Please see the attached “Field Trip Packet” partially completed to assist in the field trip approval process.
- Please see the attached “Financial Literacy Infographic” attached to learn about the importance of teaching students about responsible financial management.
- Should you need additional information, please contact Mr. Robert C. Brazofsky, Executive Director, Department of Social Sciences, rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.

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