



# Secure Futures Money Path

Teens in our community face a complicated series of choices as they head into life after high school. Should I enter the workforce or pursue more education? How will I pay for college? Will I need student loans? How do I prepare and save for my future?

Money Path is our cutting-edge, web-based financial education application preparing students to answer these questions and more. If you have basic knowledge of technology and personal finance and a passion for connecting with teens, you can change lives by bringing this transformative tool to teens as a Money Path volunteer.



## You give

- Life-changing financial tools and skills to youth who need them
- Connection of what's being learned to your unique personal and professional experience
- A commitment to deliver at least two 90 minute programs per year, based on your schedule

## You get

- Satisfaction from a positive impact on a teen's life
- Interactive, engaging experiences with teens
- Training and support from our staff
- Teaching tools that are regularly improved based on educator & volunteer feedback

*"I enjoy the conversation with the students regarding their ideas, plans, thoughts and expectations for the future. They really did a great job of engaging in the app and were impressed with the depth of information available to them. I'm looking forward to my next volunteer opportunity!"*

*- Robert Albright, Money Path volunteer*

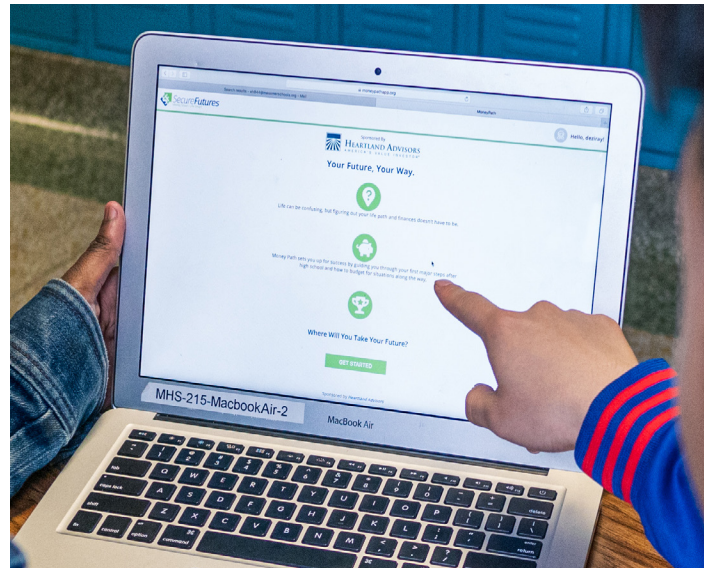
# The Money Path app

Money Path allows teens to compare and contrast the effects of their choices after high school through an intuitive, step-by-step simulation which includes everything from student loans to car payments to retirement savings. As a volunteer, you'll guide teens through how to use the app and equip them with financial planning principles as they work toward the decisions and goals that will secure their futures.

## Money Path Lesson Objectives

Students will:

1. Explore important questions about financial health and decision-making.
2. Identify their path after high school: a 2-year or 4-year college, an apprenticeship in the trades, or direct entry into the workforce.
3. Investigate the steps along that path by examining career options and majors, student loan debt, salary, savings goals, major purchases, and budgeting.
4. Receive guidance from a Money Path volunteer facilitator about how engaging in financial planning tactics can lead to better outcomes.
5. Review a personal profile showing the impact of their decisions on their long-term financial success.



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*“Money Path gives you a platform to investigate your future.”*

*-Spencer, Money Path Student*

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**Take the first step toward changing teens' lives -- and your own.  
Become a Money Path volunteer:**

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### About us

**SecureFutures** empowers students with life-changing financial education and coaching. SecureFutures was founded as Make A Difference - Wisconsin in 2006 and remains dedicated to strengthening our communities by ensuring every teen is confident and capable when it comes to managing money. Our collaborative network of supporters, volunteers and educators have worked to improve financial futures for more than 78,000 teens. For more on our student stories, community commitment and Investment Conference, visit [securefutures.org](http://securefutures.org).