

**AGENDA REQUEST FORM**  
**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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**TITLE:** Leadership Broward

**REQUESTED ACTION:** Accept the donation of curriculum materials regarding consumer credit and personal finance from Leadership Broward.

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:**

Curriculum developed by Leadership Broward, entitled "Financial Skills for Life...Setting You Up To Succeed" was piloted at Plantation High School last year as part of the School Board of Broward County's ninth grade freshman focus course, Seminar of Success Program. The Financial Skills for Life curriculum was awarded the Solutions for the Community Award from Union Planter's Bank.

The intent of the curriculum was to make students aware of setting financial goals as part of their career and educational planning. Students learned the importance of understanding credit and how it works. The curriculum has been so successful at Plantation High School, as demonstrated by student gains on the post test, that the curriculum will be included in the 2001-2002 Seminar of Success Program in all Broward County High Schools.

Recognition should be given to:  
 Mr. Pete Tingom, Principal, Plantation HS  
 Mr. Robert Colin, Teacher, Plantation HS  
 The Leadership Broward team consisting of: Kathalyn Feuer, Sid Weigner, Joanne Hallahan, Marcy Lambert, Dr. Rosa Lawson, Gail Meltzer, and Joel Silberman.

**MAJOR SYSTEM GOALS:**

•Goal One: All students will achieve at their highest potential.  
 •Goal Two: All schools will have equitable resources.  
 •Goal Three: All operations of the school system will support and align with student achievement and needs.  
 •Goal Four: All stakeholders will work together to build a better school system.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

**EXHIBITS: (List)**

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Approved in Open Board Meeting on:           AUG 14 2001            
 By:           *Paul Budnick*           School Board Chairperson