



Curriculum-rich Workshop  
with  
Real World Math Applications  
for the K-12 Classroom

**VIRTUALEconomics®**

**Financial Fitness  
For Life**



Space is limited...  
*Register Today!*

*1 CPDU per contact hour  
available! (5 maximum)*

To Register, Click [here](mailto:kchapman@niu.edu)  
([kchapman@niu.edu](mailto:kchapman@niu.edu)) to  
send an email and please  
include the following  
information:

- Full name
- Complete school name & address
- School email address
- Grade(s) teaching
- Subject(s) teaching
- Preferred phone number

Coffee, snacks and short  
breaks will be offered during  
the workshop

*Should registrations exceed the  
maximum number available for this  
workshop, a waiting list will be  
established.*

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Registration is **FREE** for this  
8:00am-1:30pm workshop.

Workshop and accompanying materials:

- brought to you by the NIU Center  
for Economic Education with support  
from Econ Illinois
- made available to teachers through  
the generous support of State Farm  
and the Council for Economic  
Education

## Super Saturday!

December 3, 2011  
Registration 7:30  
Workshop 8:00-1:30  
DeKalb CUSD 428  
901 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St., DeKalb

**FREE of cost!**

**IMPORTANT:** Workshop attendees are  
requested to bring a fully-charged laptop to this  
workshop, although bringing a laptop is not  
required.

### Virtual Economics® Version 4 (VE4)

A teacher's single-stop resource library for activity-based lessons, publications, key concepts, glossary, quizzes, interactive simulations, media clips, online resources all searchable by: concept, grade level (K-12), curriculum piece, subject area or state standard. Teachers will learn to target critical thinking, reading for information and real world math applications as they look to integrate the common core standards into the curriculum.

### The Stock Market Game™ (SMG) program

The SMG is an online education program to help teach math, social studies, business, economics and language skills while focusing on the importance of long-term savings and investment. Teachers will learn how students (4-12) participate in teams to manage a simulated investment portfolio during the school year. Teachers will have access to a resource center featuring grade- and subject-specific lesson plans, activities, newsletters and tutorials for classroom instruction.

### Financial Fitness for Life® (FFFL)

FFFL is an activity-based personal finance curriculum for K-12 students that teaches students how to make well-informed decisions about personal finance choices. Economic concepts form the foundation of all lessons, providing students with a decision-making framework for the real world. Content correlates to standards in economics, personal finance, mathematics, and language arts. Materials are available in four grade levels.

Join us for:

- ✓ Engaging curriculum activities
- ✓ Comprehensive VE4 lesson searches by grade, content area & standard
- ✓ Complimentary VE4 CD (\$99.95 value)
- ✓ Navigation thru SMG features
- ✓ SMG portfolio activities
- ✓ SMG Teacher Support Center training
- ✓ Real world math application (supporting common core standards)
- ✓ Networking opportunities