Unit: Money and Banking

Final Project Assignment

Project Description

Drawing on the knowledge and skills you have learned so far in this unit, recommend a bank for a specific financial service you need or a personal goal you set for yourself. Examples of a financial service include opening a savings account, applying for a student loan, or applying for a credit card. An example of a personal goal could be saving for a vacation to Hawaii or the purchase of an Apple product. The project consists of two parts:

<u>Part 1</u>

Written work: The written part should be in the form of a short essay, approximately 350 words in length. It should have an introduction, a body, and a conclusion. Make sure that the financial service or personal goal you plan to use the bank for is specifically stated, the bank you recommend clearly identified, and your recommendation fully justified by facts, data, sound reasoning, and good research. Please also make sure that the connections to the concepts and practices we have explored so far in this unit are evident in your discussion. The written work should comply with the requirements of good essay composition, i.e. focus, clarity, organization, effectiveness, and grammar. Use New Times Roman 12 and double space the text.

<u>Part 2</u>

Presentation: You will present your work to the class towards the end of the unit. The presentation should take no more than five minutes. You can use any form when presenting your work. You can use PowerPoint, Prezi, graphics, charts, pictures, photos, cartoons, videos, Stop Motion animation, or good old method of standing up at the front and addressing your audience.

Evaluation

This is an individual assignment. The whole project is worth 40 points. The written portion accounts for 25 points and the presentation 15 points. Performance in this assignment will count towards your final marks for the course. Please see separate evaluation rubric for details on how different components of the project will be assessed.

Plagiarism

All works should be properly cited in APA style. **Zero tolerance** is the policy towards offense.

Accommodations

Accommodations will be made to students whose circumstances require adaptations to the way they are assessed or modifications of the learning outcomes for them. Students who need accommodations should speak with the teacher as soon as possible.

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