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To: All Heads of Secondary Schools (State and Non-State) and Sections

From: Lorraine Dimech Magrin – Education Officer, Home Economics

Subject: Financial Literacy Challenge 2017

The Department of Curriculum Management is inviting schools to take part in the Financial Literacy Challenge 2017 in preparation for the European Money Week and Global Money Week that will be held between Monday 27th March and Friday 31st March 2017.

Target audience: Year 7 and Year 8 students in State, Church and Independent Schools. The Challenge is also open to other sections such as Learning Support Centres that cater for this specific target audience.

Description of activity: This challenge aims to promote awareness related to financial literacy, financial education and financial inclusion. It also encourages the sharing of good practices among schools, teachers, students and other community members.

Implementation of activity: The activity is to be implemented between Wednesday 1st March 2017 and Friday 10th March 2017.

Application submission deadline: Wednesday 22nd February 2017.

Kindly refer to attached information sheet for more details regarding this Financial Literacy challenge.

Interested teachers are kindly asked to register through their Head of School by clicking on the link below.

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Thank you for your co-operation.

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