

# ABA Education Foundation's Get Smart About Credit

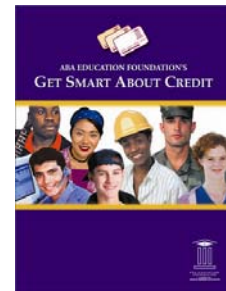
## Resource Kit Contents Catalog #3004160

The redesigned and improved **Get Smart About Credit** resource kits are \$95 each for ABA Members and \$165 for Non-Members. Special pricing is also available for members of the ABA Marketing Network and the Institute of Certified Bankers (ICB). To order a kit, call 1-800-BANKERS or visit [www.abaef.com](http://www.abaef.com).

### Banker Resources

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Program Objectives  
Presentation Guide  
Program and Kit Usage Guidelines  
Tips and Ideas for Successful Presentations  
Tips on How to Use PowerPoint and Flash Presentations  
Photo Release Forms  
Teacher and Banker Evaluation Forms

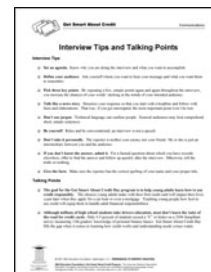


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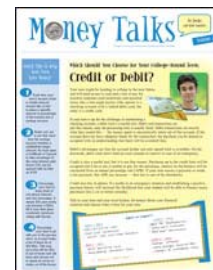
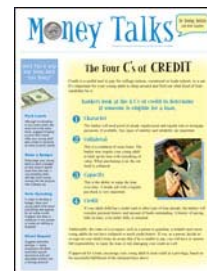
Sample Approach Letter to Educators  
Achieving Curriculum Standards  
Working with the Media  
Interview Tips and Talking Points  
Sample Op-Ed  
Sample Media Advisory  
Sample Press Release



### Additional Resources

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Crossword Puzzle and Answer Key  
Credit Quiz and Answer Key  
Matching Credit Terms Exercise and Answer Key  
Money Talks to Teens, Vol. 1 and 2  
(in English and Spanish)  
Money Talks to Young Adults  
(in English and Spanish)  
ABAEF Consumer Education booklets on Credit  
and Budgeting



## Get Smart About Credit Resource Kit Contents (continued)

### Lesson Plans

The Get Smart About Credit resource kit includes updated lessons, many with case studies to help the lessons come alive for students. Detailed lesson plans and handouts make the lessons easy for the banker to lead, and the student to follow.

#### **Lesson 1 – Credit: What Is It and Are You Worthy?**

This lesson covers the basics of credit and information on creditworthiness.

#### **Lesson 2 – Comparing Cards**

Comparing Cards helps students decide which credit or debit card options are best for them.

#### **Lesson 3 – The Cost of Credit**

Lesson Plan, Case Studies Banker Cheat Sheet and Student Handout.

#### **Lesson 4 – Credit Reports – Your Financial Résumé**

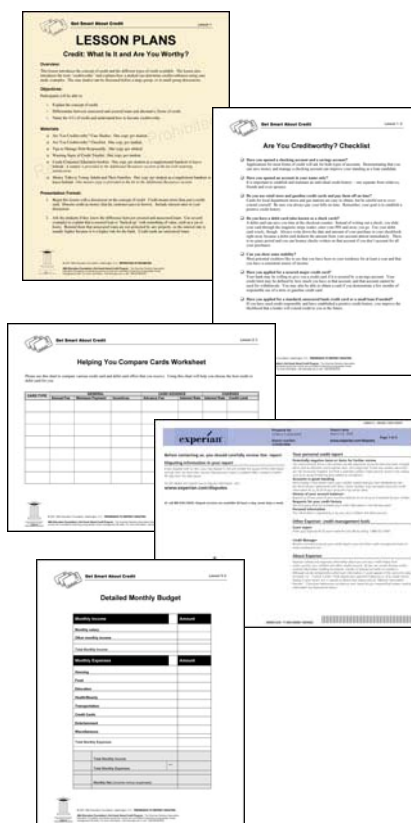
Lesson Plan, Sample Credit Report from Experian, How to Read a Credit Report handout, plus a supplemental handout on reviewing and requesting a credit report.

#### **Lesson 5 – Budgeting**

Lesson Plan and Budgeting worksheets.

#### **Lesson 6 – Protecting Yourself from Identity Theft**

Lesson Plan, Case Studies Banker Cheat Sheet and Student Handout, ID Theft prevention tips, supplemental handouts for victims of identity theft.



### Supplemental Visual Materials (included on CD)

A CD of supplemental visual materials with PowerPoint slideshows and a Flash presentation make presentations more dynamic. Bankers can interweave electronic and hard copy materials to create an experience that informs – and engages – their teenage audience.

Introductory Presentation

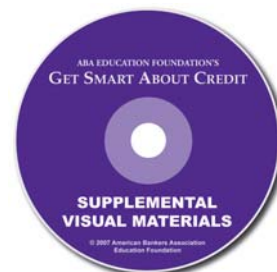
- Macromedia Flash
- PowerPoint

Credit Quiz – PowerPoint

Case Studies – PowerPoints for Lessons 1, 2, 3, and 6

PDF of Sample Credit Report from Experian for Lesson 4

Interactive PDFs of Budgeting Worksheets for Lesson 5



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