Bankers helping Texans in making informed decisions about budgeting, credit, asset building, savings and debt management through financial education.

What can Bankers do? Be Active in Your Community!

Participate in our FREE Quarterly Financial Education Webinars
Every quarter, the Texas Department of Banking hosts webinars which can be viewed in the convenience of your home or office.

Establish an In-School Bank
The Texas Department of Banking proposed the “Center for Monetary Education for Texans” (COME T) to encourage state-chartered banks to initiate in-school banking programs. Fees are waived and locations will not be deemed a “branch.”

Join the “Bank On” Initiative
The “Bank On” program focuses on banking the unbanked and was launched in Brazos Valley, Central Texas, Dallas and Houston. If your area is not listed, start a “Bank On” program in your community.

Share Your Financial Education Story
Submit a summary of your bank’s financial education community initiative for a chance to be highlighted in our Texas Bank Report’s “Financial Education Spotlight.”

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April is National Financial Literacy Month!

Join Financial Fitness Greater Austin, Houston Money Week, Financial Fitness Greater Dallas/Fort Worth, and Money Smart Week El Paso to promote financial education in April 2017! For more information, visit:

www.financialfitnessaustin.org
www.mymoneydfw.com/manage-it/financial-fitness-dfw/
www.houstonmoneyweek.org
www.moneysmartwekep.org

Financial Education Curricula

- Youth Financial Education
- Adult Financial Education
- Your Money, Your Goals
- Money Smart for Older Americans

Texas Jump$tart is a proud affiliate of the National Jump$tart Coalition for Personal Financial Literacy, based in Washington, D.C. The mission is to unite diverse partners from business, finance, non-profits, associations, academia, government and financial literacy champions who are committed to improving the financial wellbeing of America's youth. For more information, visit www.jumpstart.org/states-texas.html.

Austin and Houston Area Bankers
Join the Alliance for Economic Inclusion (AEI)
www.fdic.gov/consumers/community/AEI

The mission of the AEI is to improve the economic wellness of low-and-moderate income individuals and families. The goal is to improve access to the U.S. banking system by working with financial institutions and other partners on ways to bring those currently unbanked and underserved into the financial mainstream through innovative low-cost products, services, and expanded financial education efforts.

Every quarter, the FDIC hosts AEI meetings in Houston and Austin. These events are free and everyone is welcome to attend. Participants include: non-profit organizations, financial institutions, businesses, federal, state and municipal government agencies, faith-based organizations, teachers and individuals interested in financial education initiatives.