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The Financial Education Plan launches a new edition of the programme and competition to encourage financial literacy in schools and training centres

The Financial Education Plan, promoted by the Banco de España and the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV, by its Spanish abbreviation), has this year launched a new edition of the Financial Education Programme and Competition, to foster financial literacy among secondary school and vocational training students.

The Programme aims to bring basic personal finance tools to the classroom, to enable students to develop skills and abilities that will help them deal with the main financial challenges they will come across throughout their lives. The Programme is free of charge, voluntary and can be taught in a flexible manner, adapted to the needs of each school or training centre.

This is the eighth edition of the Programme, which has already been taught in more than 1,800 schools and training centres throughout Spain. It covers the financial literacy issues established by the PISA programme: money and transactions, planning and management of personal finances, risk and return, and the financial environment.

The Competition is an initiative which complements the Programme and is open to students at schools and training centres that have signed up to it. It consists of a game of questions and answers on financial issues, played by teams in several elimination rounds, both online and onsite. The two best teams will face each other in the final hosted at the Banco de España's Madrid head offices on 7 October 2019, as part of the main event of Financial Education Day.

The deadline for signing up to both activities is 26 April 2019. Full details can be found at www.finanzasparatodos.es

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