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The Financial Education Plan launches the tenth edition of its financial education programme and contest for schools

Schools participating in the programme may register their teams for the contest, which will test the knowledge acquired.

The Financial Education Plan, promoted by the Bank of Spain and the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV), launches its Financial Education Programme and Financial Knowledge Contest, which will be holding its tenth edition this year. These two initiatives are aimed at fostering the learning of basic financial concepts among secondary school, upper secondary school and professional training students.

The purpose of the Programme is to include the teaching of basic personal finance tools in classrooms for students to develop the necessary skills and abilities in their relationship with financial stakeholders throughout their life. The Programme is free, voluntary and flexible as it can be covered under different subjects, and it is available in English and in co-official languages.

The initiative has been fully consolidated over the course of these ten years. More than 280,000 students from 2.500 schools throughout Spain have received Financial Education in previous editions. The content, to be delivered by the schools' teachers, will include financial subjects under the PISA programme: money and transactions, personal finance planning and management, risks and benefits and the financial outlook.

The Financial Knowledge Contest is an entertaining and educational initiative that supplements the Programme. It is addressed to students from schools registered in the programme who wish to participate. It is a game of questions and answers relating to financial matters. Last year, 564 teams registered to participate in the contest, which consists of a preliminary online phase in which the best eight teams are classified. These teams will then advance to quarter finals, semi-finals and the final.

The deadline for registration for both activities has been extended to 29 April 2022. All the information can be obtained at: www.finanzasparatodos.es