

VOLUNTEER INSTRUCTIONS



Thank you for participating in Test Drive...Next Stop Reality! Your job as a volunteer will be to guide students through making purchases while they create a monthly "adult" budget.

Students are approximately 25 years old, have chosen an occupation, and have determined their net monthly income. They may be single, single with a child, married, or married with a child. These important life details should be displayed on their name tags. If not, the front page of their Student Status Packets will list this information. Their life status will be a factor in what they will need to purchase from your station.

Clothing

Each student will visit your table to purchase three articles of clothing for each member of their family.

Ask, "How many people are in your family?"

Each member in their family will need to be considered when making their clothing purchase, so this is a good place to start. Once you know the student's family status, you may start leading them through the options on the station guide.

- Students will be required to make a selection for themselves, as well as their spouse and/or child (if applicable)
- For each member of their family (including themselves) they must choose a **Hooded Sweatshirt, Pair of Jeans, and Pair of Athletic Shoes** from the appropriate clothing category (adult or child).
- Briefly discuss the differences between name brand, store brand and gently used options on the Station Guide to help the student decide what is best for them.

Will each student have the same number of selections?

No. The number of selections the student is required to make will depend on their family status. If students are single, they only choose for themselves. If married, they must choose two adult options. The student can choose different options for each adult. If they have a child, the student must choose from the children options as well.

For each applicable section, the student will record the cost of their choice on their Road Map and total it. They will then record the amount on the Transaction Register of their Student Status Packet and subtract it from the balance.

Acknowledge the transaction by placing a stamp in the right column of the Clothing section of their Road Map.

Clothing is on page 4 of the Road Map

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