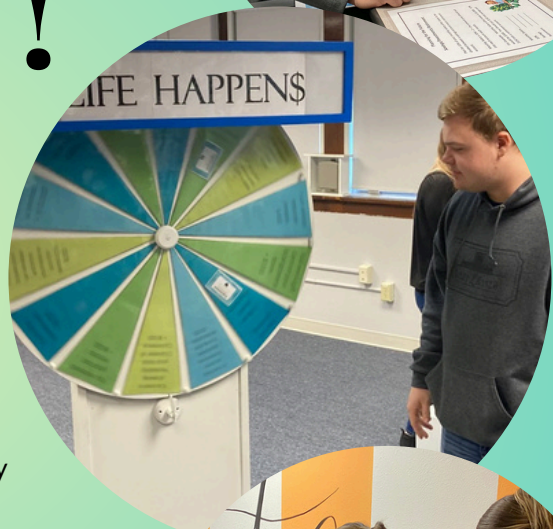




JOIN NEX-GEN FOR LIFE\$KILLS!

Geared towards high school juniors and seniors, Life\$kills engages students in a hands-on learning environment at our Young AmeriTowne of Kansas site in Lenora, KS, and helps them prepare to be financially-fit for their future.



\$ BUDGET\$

Students are assigned a role (position, salary, dependents) and use a monthly budget sheet to evaluate income vs. expenses, and needs vs. wants as they pay for daycare, groceries, student loans, and utilities. Just when they think they have enough left over for a new home, they might spin the "Life Happen\$" wheel and spend more to replace a tire or cover an unexpected medical bill.

\$ RESUME WRITING AND INTERVIEWING SKILLS

This hands-on workshop gives students tips and tricks on presenting themselves professionally while writing resumes and when attending an interview. Students are also able to identify their skills and abilities and gain tools and techniques to utilize in their future.

\$ COMMUNITY READINE\$\$

Students are given a presentation on the importance of being a part of their communities. The information shared helps students get an idea of what they can do to be actively involved in their community.

\$ ADULTING

Using real-world scenarios and data helps this program be as realistic as possible for the students. Making decisions and adjusting their budgets as needed helps students open their eyes to the adult world.

ENROLL TODAY!

Spring 2025 Enrollments Due
January 15, 2025

Contact us!



sriggins@nex-generation.org



<https://www.nex-generation.org/lifeskills>



LIFE\$KILLS

2024-25 Enrollment Form

ENROLLMENT

School

Contact

Phone

Email

Participating Grade(s)

Number of Students

About Life\$kills

Life\$kills engages students in a hands-on learning environment at our Young AmeriTowne of Kansas site in Lenora, KS, and helps them prepare to be financially-fit for their future. Students are assigned a “role” with a monthly salary and given a budget sheet. Students use this budget sheet to evaluate income vs. expenses, and needs vs. wants as they pay for daycare, groceries, student loans, and utilities. Later when they spin the “Life Happen\$” wheel, they may spend more to replace a tire or cover an unexpected medical bill. We also give a presentation on community readiness, resume writing, and interviewing skills.

FEES:

FREE

per student

Send your enrollment form to:

Sabre Riggins

Youth Programs/AmeriTowne Coordinator

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Role Sheet

Name _____
Job _____ Nurse _____
Number of Children _____ 2 _____
Age of Children _____ 3, 7 _____
Address _____ 101 E. 1st St _____
_____ AnyTown, KS, 12345 _____
Degree _____ Associate's Degree _____

Annual Salary _____ \$60,000.00
Monthly Salary _____ \$5,000.00
Taxes Withheld _____ - \$1,385.00
SUBTOTAL _____
Secondary Monthly Salary _____ \$6,500.00
Monthly Income _____
Supplemental Salary _____
ADJUSTED MONTHLY INCOME _____

Expenses (includes taxes & insurance)

Rent/Mortgage \$ _____
Utilities (electric, gas, water, trash) \$ _____
Food \$ _____
Clothing & Hair \$ _____
Communications \$ _____
Vehicle (vehicle, insurance, fuel) \$ _____
Insurance (health, life) \$ _____
Child Care \$ _____
Student Loan \$ _____

Disposable Income

\$ _____

(Disposable Income equals your Monthly Income/Adjusted Monthly Income minus Total Expenses)

Wants and Savings

(Wants and Savings should be less than or equal to disposable income)

Entertainment \$ _____
Charitable Giving \$ _____
Savings \$ _____
Retirement \$ _____

Life Happens

Life Happens #1 \$ _____
Life Happens #2 \$ _____

Totals

Total Expenses \$ _____
Total Wants and Savings \$ _____
Total Life Happens \$ _____

FINAL TOTALS

(Subtract your totals from your Monthly Income/Adjusted Monthly Income)

Monthly Income/Adjusted Monthly Income \$ _____
Total Expenses \$ _____
Total Wants and Savings \$ _____
Total Life Happens \$ _____
TOTAL \$ _____

Additional Tasks (Check when completed)

Voter Registration _____
Apply for Post Office Box _____