



FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP

Ready to start your journey to homeownership?



Join Habitat Lake-Sumter for our FREE financial education program in partnership with financial expert/educator, Jo-El Gonzalez with Seacoast Bank. This 6-week course is designed to prepare you with the essential financial knowledge and tools you need to make your home-owning dreams a reality. Course subjects include Budgeting and Money Management, Savings, Fraud Protection, Credit Management, Debt Management, and Homebuying Basics, with additional information about Habitat's Home Ownership program. Additional workshop opportunities will be available during the course.

Classes will be held **online** from 6-7pm

- September 12th
- September 19th
- September 26th
- October 3rd
- October 10th
- October 17th (class will be held in person, refreshments provided)

Candidates wishing to apply for the course must **meet certain requirements**:

- Must either live or work in Lake or Sumter Counties
- Must be available to attend ALL class dates and times listed
- Must be willing to partner with Habitat Lake-Sumter and commit to the work requested for the course

All classes **must be attended** to receive your **certificate of completion**

You can provide the certificate to Habitat staff when applying for the homeownership program so they know you would make a great top candidate for a Habitat home. If you are approved for a home within two years of taking this course, we will also credit your time spent on the course towards your required sweat equity!

*Please note: Completing the course is **NOT** an approval for Habitat's Homeownership program. It is an opportunity for members of the community to learn steps you can take to achieve your goal of homeownership.*

Want to be notified when applications for the course are open? Sign up for our newsletter at www.habitatlis.org, or follow us on Facebook.