

FINANCIAL LITERACY

Values Validator*

Rank your Top 5 Values. Use this method of ranking:

Not important: 0 Somewhat important: 1-3 Quite important: 4-7 Very important: 8-10

Values	Description	Rating (out of 10)
Academics	I have high regard for scholastic pursuits.	
Achievement	It's important to accomplish my goals.	
Activity	I like to be fully occupied at all times.	
Advancement	I want the opportunity for career advancement.	
Adventure	I like to do things in new and interesting ways.	
Enjoyment	I want to enjoy life and have fun.	
Expertise	I want to be a known authority in my field.	
Family	I want to contribute to family members.	
Friendship	I want close companionship.	
Health	I want to be healthy and pursue a healthy lifestyle.	
Independence	I like to be able to do the things that I want.	
Location	I want to be able to live anywhere.	
Power	I want to have influence over my future.	
Prestige	I like to obtain recognition and status.	
Routine	I like to have a set daily schedule.	
Security	I like to minimize adverse changes in my life.	
Self-Development	I want to be the best that I can be.	
Self-Realization	I like to realize the full potential of my skills and abilities.	
Social Service	I want to serve others.	
Wealth	I want to be able to afford opportunities.	

*Adapted from Values worksheet in *Client-Centered Life Planning* by Michael R. Curtis, 2005.