

This interactive exhibit allows children to learn about money. See what money can teach us about art, science, history and more!

Interested in collecting coins?

FREE Monthly classes for children ages 4-7 and 8-12!

WHEN: 10:30 a.m.-Noon and 1:30-3 p.m. on the 3rd Saturday of the month

WHERE: The Money Museum

818 N. Cascade Ave. in Colorado Springs

(one block south of the Colorado College Campus)

COST: Free for children under 12

CALL: 719-632-2646

ONLINE: www.money.org/moneymuseum/kidszone

See a full schedule of upcoming classes and more.

CULTURE, ART, SCIENCE and HISTORY. It all adds up at ...



Are you interested in collecting coins or learning more about money? The Money Museum offers free monthly classes in the Kids Zone for children ages 4-12. Through fun activities children can learn basic and advanced concepts such as making change, how money is manufactured, understanding monetary systems and more. Children will enjoy learning about history, geography, economics, world cultures, art - even language arts, as well as math and science, by participating in our Kids Zone activities on every 3rd Saturday of the month!*

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(When children participate in a Kids Zone class, their parents can explore the Money Museum for FREE!)

TO ENROLL: Call 719-632-2646 or go to www.money.org/moneymuseum/kidszone

2015 Kids Zone Classes

- January 17: How Coins Are Made The U.S. Mint can make about 750 coins in one minute, or nearly 13 coins every second! This class will show you the different ways people have been making coins for over 2,000 years. We'll also learn about error coins.
- **February 21: PENNY SORTING PARTY!** There are many good reasons to search through rolls of coins from the bank. We will be opening unsearched rolls of U.S. Cents, to find treasures within! We'll teach you what to look for, and you can swap out your own regular pennies from home for any good ones you find!
- March 21: PARTS OF A BILL There are so many different features on our paper money. Some are merely artistic, while others serve a greater purpose. This class will teach you about all the different aspects behind the designs on U.S. Currency.
- April 18: Coin-Atomy Did you know that coins, like people, have an anatomy? Just like we have arms, legs, eyes, and mouths, coins have important parts that do important things. Learn about the parts of a coin and what makes them so important.
- **May 16: Economics** Why do some items cost more than others? Have you ever had a lemonade stand? Do you know how to make the right decisions with money? This class will help you understand some of the trickier parts about spending and saving money.
- June 20: CANCELLED (Due to Summer Seminar.)

- ★ July 18: HAIL CAESAR! Julius Caesar named this month in honor of himself back in the year 46 B.C. So in his "honor," we will be conducting a mock archaeological dig, using actual copper coins from the Ancient Roman Empire.
- August 22: DESIGNING PAPER MONEY PART I -**ENGRAVING** – Even though we make millions of new bills every day, a paper bill is a lot like a work of art. Many techniques go into designing a bill and you will learn many of them by "engraving" your own. (Fourth Saturday)
- September 26: DESIGNING PAPER MONEY PART II -**PAPER MAKING** – Did you know our paper money isn't really paper at all? This class will show you some of the secrets behind the materials used to create our currency - and then we'll make our own paper from scratch! (Fourth Saturday)
- October 17: Coins From Around THE WORLD Most countries around the world mint their own coins, and many of them look nothing like ours. Imagine coins shaped like triangles or squares, and even coins that have holes in them. You will see examples of coins, both old and new, from countries all around the world - and then design your own!
- November 21: METALS & MONEY Humans have been using metals as money for over 2,600 years. Today, we'll explore the ANA's Periodic Table of Numismatic Elements and coinage metals. We'll also play our amazing game, "Guess Which Coin Weighs More?"
- December 19 N/A Happy Holidays!!



^{*} Activities may be subject to change. Please contact Sgelberd@money.org to confirm availability. Please note the August and September activities will be held on the FOURTH Saturday, August 22 and September 26.