

European Money Quiz – Teacher’s Guide

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Introduction

About the competition

The [European Money Quiz](#) is being launched for the first time in 2018 as a European-wide competition to improve the financial literacy of 13-15 year-olds.

The competition will take place in two phases, with national competitions held online to determine the finalists from each country that will be sent to Brussels to compete head to head in the European Money Quiz European Final to be crowned the 2018 champions! National competitions are foreseen for March 2018 and the European final takes place Tuesday 8 May in Brussels.

The quiz is part of [European Money Week](#), an annual initiative organised by national banking associations under coordination of the [European Banking Federation](#) to promote financial education across Europe. Throughout one week in March each year, hundreds of activities are held in 20+ countries to promote financial literacy in Europe.

The European Banking Federation and its [members](#) are passionate about financial education. It’s clear to us that the ability to manage personal finances is important for everyone, especially for young people.

The next European Money Week is scheduled for the week of 12-18 March 2018.

The dates for the national and European finals of the European Money quiz will be posted on www.europeanmoneyquiz.eu.

Participation

The competition is open to classrooms of students aged 13-15 years who are looking to test their knowledge of finance and monetary issues. National competitions are held in the following 30 countries: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Serbia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

All students are entitled to take part, irrespective of the subjects they are studying

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What is Kahoot!?

Kahoot! is a free game-based learning platform for teachers of active learners. Kahoots are best played in a group setting, for example, a classroom. Players answer the questions on their own devices, while games are displayed on a shared screen to unite the lesson. It creates a ‘campfire moment’ encouraging players to look up and celebrate together.

Learn more at www.GetKahoot.com

The European Money Quiz is played on the Kahoot platform. Teachers can find Kahoots with practice quizzes on financial literacy on the EBF website at <http://www.ebf.eu/europeanmoneyquiz/practice>

Prize– What’s in it for the students?

The winning teams from the national finals will be invited to travel to the European finals in Brussels in May. The travel expenses of this trip are part of the prize package and are generously sponsored by national banking associations in the respective countries, as members of the EBF.

In Brussels, an exciting programme will be designed around the finals on Tuesday 8 May to give students the opportunity to exchange experiences with students from other European countries and to learn about Brussels and the EU.

The winners of the European finals will receive a prize to be shared with their classroom back home.

Teachers

Your role

Teachers have a fundamental but very basic role to play throughout the European Money Quiz competition. All you really need is a link to the live Kahoot event in your country. With that link, to a live YouTube videostream managed by Kahoot, you can let your classroom to play directly against other classrooms at the same time.

Your main task will be to coordinate the classroom’s participation and to be the point of contact for the national quiz coordinator at the banking association in your country.

You should also guide your class through the preparation phase, encouraging students to do homework quizzes ahead of the finals. In case you win, you may need to accompany two students to compete in the European finals in Brussels.

Resources

To make it easy for you, we have prepared a number of resources to support classrooms during the European Money Quiz competition, including:

- The European Money Quiz [website](#), where all competition-related information and materials will be kept up to date
- The Kahoot! homework quizzes, offering 10 practice quizzes that you can use to help your students prepare
- The European Money Week [Twitter](#) and [Facebook page](#), where you can find regular updates on the competition and tips for the different rounds.
- National banking association websites with educational materials on finance and banking.

Process

Registration

The exact way the national finals for the national money quizzes are handled depends on your country. There will be slight differences between the national competitions to take into account specific factors.

In principle classrooms that want to be eligible as national winner need to register with the organisers of the national competition. It will still be possible to play the quiz without registration but then it will in most cases not be possible to qualify as the winner.

When entering the national quiz, participating classrooms must create a username consisting of: (Country Abbreviation) (Postcode)_(School's name initials)_(Classroom number/letter).

E.g.: St. John's School, Belgium, Mr. John Doe's class – 3B = BE1000_SJS_3B

Registration will be managed at the national level. In some countries, participants might be asked to pre-register their interest on the website of their country's national banking association.

This will allow the national coordinators at the banking associations to easily contact participants and share all relevant competition information.

National Finals

The first phase of the European Money quiz will be the national finals. Classrooms in participating countries will play online against each other.

To prepare, teachers will be encouraged to provide practice quizzes as "homework." Teachers and students can practice online, either at home or together in the classroom. A number of practice Kahoots are available on the EBF website at <http://www.ebf.eu/europeanmoneyquiz/practice/>

Once the date and time of the national finals are set, the national banking federations will disseminate the game details by email to pre-registered participants. They will also publish them on their website and their social media channels.

At the specified date and time, the participants will access the final by:

- Visiting the YouTube page: [\(link available soon\)](#) where a country-specific game pin will be broadcast
- Connecting to Kahoot! using that pin and entering their username as required in the game instructions

Each classroom will appoint ONE person to enter answers into the device of your choice. The final will consist of 10 questions not previously seen by any participants. All classrooms across the country will play head to head in the live national final.

To make it easier for the classroom to communicate the right answer directly to the one person entering the class answers, it's possible to use cards in the Kahoot colours. Everyone in the classroom then can hold up the colour matching the right answer. If the entire class is blue, then the blue box is the answer that the class chooses. A PDF with Kahoot! voting cards will be available at european-moneyquiz.eu.

After the quiz has concluded, Kahoot! will verify the identity of each country winner and announce the winner. In some countries this will be per email to the classroom contact. In some countries the winner will be announced in the Kahoot! livestream.

The national banking associations will announce the country winner and top 5 participants.

European Final

The winning classroom from each country must select two students and one adult chaperone (parent or teacher) to travel to Brussels for the final.

The national banking association will contact with the winning team in their respective country to arrange travel to Brussels and accommodation for one or two nights around the final on Tuesday 8 May.

Once in Brussels, EBF and its members will plan a special programme for all participating students, starting with a welcome reception and continuing to the final.

Participants will play the European final in teams of two per country. The final will take place at EBF Meeting Centre. Kahoot! staff will be on the ground to manage the quiz in a way that all students can see and answer their European final questions in their own language.

Each country's students will be provided a connected device on which they will play the final quiz in their native language. All country quizzes are run simultaneously and the winning team will be declared on the spot.

The winning team will receive a prize for their classroom and promoted widely through media and online outreach.

Privacy statement

If asked pre-registration is necessary at national level, participants might be asked to provide a name, age and address for the contact person/teacher. EBF and its members will only use this information in relation to the competition and will not use it for any other purposes whatsoever. We will not keep this information for longer than is necessary for the operation of the competition.

By entering their personal data, the participating students and teachers agree to the publication of the name of the winning team and its members on the websites of the EBF and/or its national association and in promotional material. It is also likely that photographs and videos will be taken and published by EBF and its members.