Stock Market Game

How I survived

My Stock Market Experience

Novice

Signed up for teacher session

Used it once or twice.



Pre-Game Teacher Concerns

- When to start
- How to introduce
- How knowledgeable do I have to be
- Where can I get help
- How much 'tech' is involved

- How often should we play in class
- How to incorporate it with VE



When To Start

What I Did

- At least 2 weeks before
- Frontloading with videos and discussion
- Resources from SMG:
 - Team Roles
 - Coming to a Consensus
 - Sector research

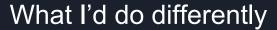
What I'd do differently

- Incorporate SMG resources into VE units from the start of the year
- Use my 2-week Teacher session with the whole group (modeling)
- These are great resources to use a couple of weeks before the session starts

How to Introduce the Game



- Create groups
- Establish expectations and team roles
- Physical portfolio to keep in the classroom
- Stock Market Vocab
- Create module in Canvas
 - Open Note Canvas Quiz on Rules of the Game





- Stick to the Canvas Module (which I'll be tweaking this summer)
- Team building activities



How I played with my class



- Introduced SMG vocab weekly; they kept definitions in the folder
- Used videos to introduce SMG concepts (In a Nutshell videos are great)
- Whole group: checked out stocks on Google Finance.
- Students started following companies on Google Finance (they should have Google Accounts to do this. They can use Yahoo Finance as well)
- Research Mutual Funds
- Small group: research and complete worksheets from SMG resources.
- Whole group: Debrief weekly, celebrate rankings.

What I would do differently



- Take advantage of Investwrite volunteers, sign up early. I already signed up for the fall.
- Vocab quizzes to keep up with understanding, and make sure everyone is on the same page
- More fun team building, i.e.: marshmallow challenge was great
- Stick to SMG day 1x per week (whether it's research, team building, trading)

Resources FYI: Stockmarketgame.org



- Register for teams
- Change password
- View team IDs and passwords
- Give teams 'nicknames'
- Sort through resources
- Teacher Guide

Resources FYI: Kahoot



- Students use a device to play the game (phone, laptop)
- Find 'Kahoots' on any subject
- Duplicate an existing Kahoot and make it your own
- Download results into an Excel file

Resources FYI: Canvas Module



- Students can work at their own pace.
- You can customize it however you want
- Include resources for students
- Include quizzes that are easily graded
- Students can use the Groups feature to collaborate/communicate

Resources FYI: Google Finance



- Must be signed in to your Google Account
- Teams can follow their stocks
- Easily compare similar companies
- Easily access company financials
- Read news related to your stock picks
- Easy place to conduct research

Let's check out the resources



- Stock Market Game
- https://kahoot.com/welcomeback/
- Canvas Module
- Google Finance

What you should today

- Register for a session
- Register for a couple of teams, even if you don't have students.
- Get familiar with resources and site.
- Play the summer session!

