

Kingsbridge Community College's aim & values, in Financial Education

- KCC aims to equip students with **knowledge, skills and confidence** so they can thrive in a challenging, changing world. kingsbridgecollege.org.uk
- Students who are “**world citizens**”, with choices, competences to choose well.
- The Scholar values include being **aspirational, resilient, and leaders**, which suggests readiness to make sound decisions, including financial ones.

The vision for *finance education* at KCC includes:

- 1 **Financial literacy:** Students understand personal finance (budgeting, saving, debt, interest), so they can manage their own resources responsibly.
- 2 **Economic understanding:** Students are aware of how economic systems, markets, financial institutions work (e.g., banking, investments, public finance) to help them engage as informed citizens.
- 3 **Decision-making and risk awareness:** Being able to evaluate trade-offs, risk vs reward, make good investment decisions, understand ethical implications.
- 4 **Enterprise and employability:** Giving students the finance-related knowledge that supports business, entrepreneurship, or working in sectors where financial acumen matters.
- 5 **Equity and opportunity:** Ensuring finance education contributes to closing gaps, so all students—including disadvantaged or SEND students—gain confidence and capability in this area.

“At Kingsbridge Community College, we aspire for all students to become financially literate, confident, and ethical decision-makers. We embed FE in our PSHE curriculum and careers programmes to ensure students gain the knowledge and skills needed to understand personal and public finance, assess financial risks, plan for the future, and make informed choices. In doing so we contribute to our aim of developing world-class citizens, fully empowered to thrive and lead in a complex, economic world.”