## **Gwinnett Pulse**

## Crews Middle partnering for Financial Literacy



Crews students celebrating their completion of the Green Financial Scholars financial literacy program.



Just when you thought good money management was being lost on the next generation, Rod Hames, a Business/Computer Education teacher and Business Partner Liaison at Crews Middle School and Roger Green, President & CEO of Green Financial Resources (GFR) are partnering to help further educate Crews students on basic financial concepts through the Green Financial Scholars Program.

In October, more than 50 students from Crews Middle School in Lawrenceville celebrated received a certificate for their completion of the Green Financial Scholars Program.

The program is an interactive online platform that builds the foundation for making good financial decisions in such areas as credit and debt, saving and investing, planning and money management, income and careers, financial responsibility and decision making, and insurance and risk manage-

Mr. Hames steps outside the box to ecucate his students in business concepts through a variety of activities and events.

One event, modeled after the TV show Shark Tank, had several local business leaders listening to entrepreneurial students present their business ideas. Mr. Green and some of his staff donated their time to participate in the Shark



Crows students were awarded this certificate or completion at the event.

Tank event, as well as prior career

Mr. Harnes approached Green l'inancial looking fer a possible sponsorship of the financial literacy program, knowing of Mr. Green's passion for serving his community and for providing financial educa-

GFR is proud to partner with EverFi, to help promote financial literacy through the Green Financial Scholars Irogram pres-entation of their Viult software. EverFi is the leading education technology company focused on teaching, assessing, badging, and certifying students ir critical skills and creator of the online pro-

GFR's sponsorship of the Green Financial Scholars Program is also being implemented at Five Forks Middle School in Lawrenceville and North Gwinnett Middle School in Sugar Hill.

For more information about Green Financial Resources/Roger Green, please visit their website at www.rogersgreen.com. Securities offered through Cetera Advisors LLC, member FINRA/SIPC. Green Financial and Cetera are not affiliated. Green Financia' is located at 3700 Crestwood Phus, Duluth GA 30096. For more information about EverFi, please visit www.everfi.com.



Photo by L. May A Crews student online and learning basic financial concepts through the



Green Financial Scholars Program.

Photo by L. Mayfield/Ev Mr. Green congratulates a Green Financial Scholars Program graduate during the event at Crews.



Photo by L. Mayfield/EverF acher Rod Hames of Crews giving a student a chance to speak during the certificate celebration.



Jason Piper of GFR congratulating a Five Forks student at their kick-off