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To: Deputy Directors-General, Chief Directors, Directors, Heads: Curriculum Support, Heads: Management and Governance, Circuit Managers, Deputy Chief Education Specialists, GET Coordinators, Intermediate Phase Subject Advisers, Senior Phase Subject Advisers and Principals of all ordinary public and independent schools

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1. The Western Cape Education Department (WCED) in collaboration with Stellenbosch University (SU), invites all Grade 9 Economic and Management Sciences (EMS) teachers to an online training course in Financial Literacy, namely debtors and creditors.
2. The purpose of the teacher professional development sessions is to strengthen the teaching of EMS in Grade 9 by providing knowledge and skills for teachers who are currently teaching the subject in Grade 9.
3. The course will be presented by lecturers from SU as well as the Senior Curriculum Planner, Dr Antoinette Venter. All course materials are endorsed by SU, the WCED as well as the South African Council of Educators.
4. The training will consist of four sessions and will take place on the following dates:
 - Monday, 26 July 2021 at 16:00 – 17:30
 - Monday, 02 August 2021 at 16:00 – 17:30
 - Monday, 16 August 2021 at 16:00 – 17:30
 - Monday, 23 August 2021 at 16:00 – 17:30
5. The sessions will be conducted in English and Afrikaans on the Microsoft Teams platform.

6. Attendance of this course will result in a certificate of acknowledgment that the recipient received in-depth support in the EMS subject from SU.
7. **Registration:**
Teachers are requested to register online using the following link:
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/14sJOW9ShARMFReMfSS7FtOkJzpO35Vvw3HwHbuDOm4w/edit?usp=sharing> **on or before Friday, 09 July 2021.**
8. For any further information kindly contact the provincial coordinator, Dr Antoinette Venter, at Antoinette.venter@westerncape.gov.za or 021 467 2501.
9. Principals are requested to bring the content of this minute to the attention of Grade 9 EMS teachers.

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