



## Winners for Spring 2011 Take Stock in Kentucky

Take Stock in Kentucky State Winning Teams
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State Rank	Team ID	% Return Above/Below S&P 500 Growth	Portfolio Value	School	Teacher
1	ZZ27	8.2924	\$111,602	St. Gabriel School (Louisville)	Dennis Comella
2	ZZ30	7.6860	\$110,996	St. Gabriel School (Louisville)	Dennis Comella

**Regional Winning Teams** 

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Central Elem/MS	ZZ27	8.2924	\$111,602	St. Gabriel School (Louisville)	Dennis Comella				
Central HS	ZZ261	0.6082	\$102,003	Fern Creek Traditional HS (Jefferson Cty.)	DeeDee Olmstead				
East Elem/MS	ZZ136	(1.1453)	\$102,166	Shannon Johnson Elem. (Madison Cty.)	Amy Harris				
East HS	ZZ86	(1.8461)	\$101,463	Madison Southern HS (Madison Cty.)	Jennifer Allen				
West Elem/MS	А3	(1.2190)	\$102,091	Benton Middle School (Marshall Cty.)	Luke Anderson				

For our Spring 2011 Take Stock in Kentucky competition, 211 teams of 816 students and 36 teachers participated.

Congratulations to all the teams participating!!

Take Stock in Kentucky awards include: 1st place prize of \$300 for team, 2nd place of \$100 for team. Teams will also receive school trophies, Take Stock in KY t-shirts, and team members will receive certificates. Regional Award first place teams will all receive certificates and Take Stock in KY t-shirts. All State and Regional winning team members are invited to the Stock Market Game Awards Banquet, hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis-Louisville Branch, at the Louisville Pendennis Club, on May 19, from 11:30am-1:30pm.

The Stock Market Game™ is a national program of the Foundation for Investor Education and is offered in Kentucky by the Kentucky Council on Economic Education (KCEE). It is an interactive,

interdisciplinary program for students in grades 4-12 (and college) to learn about economics, finance, and our American economic system. The program is offered each Fall and Spring. Over a period of 10 weeks, teams of students research companies, make investment decisions, and create their portfolios, investing \$100,000 in imaginary money in stocks and mutual funds. Teams are ranked on equity in portfolio. Teachers are provided with educational resources to teach students about investing, capital formation, the stock market, and the economy. Student teams compete against other Kentucky teams statewide and across local regions for prizes. In the Take Stock in Kentucky, students research stocks for their portfolio from a group of 200 companies that are headquartered in Kentucky, or have high presence, i.e., large employers, large number of stores, etc. They learn about the state economy and local business.

"They see that the concepts we're learning have real-life applications. Making those connections makes them more eager to learn." Kim Code, teacher

"Keeping up with their portfolios enabled (my students) to practice math skills and learn some valuable information about business. I have no doubt their math, social studies, and practical living skills were in enhanced through this program! Traci Gillock, Teacher

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