

Regions Next Step Expands Financial Wellness Offerings for Students via iGrad and WeAreTeachers Platforms

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Regions Bank on Thursday announced the launch of its new financial literacy platforms via WeAreTeachers and iGrad™, expanding the free financial education tools available for students and parents through Regions Next Step, Regions Bank's financial education program.

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financial wellness platform for Mississippi State University, with immediate plans to expand to Auburn University followed by more SEC Universities and HBCUs. Through the platform, students have access to a wide array of courses and articles, a student loan-management tool to help students with budgeting, scholarship and job search databases, and more.

“Whether back-to-school means you’re starting your first year or preparing for graduation, knowledge is power when managing college finances and beyond,” said Hehn. “Through iGrad, Regions is proud to provide students with access to financial education resources to help them build skills they will use now and long after they graduate.”

Beyond these platforms, Regions provides free tools and resources to help students of all ages and their families be financially prepared for back-to-school season and year-round needs. Additional Next Step resources include:

- **Back-to-School Budget Worksheet** – This [option](#) is designed to help people plan and track spending for everything on their back-to-school list, as well as other student activities.
- **Next Step for Students Hub** – College students and recent graduates can use the articles, worksheets, courses, calculators and other resources [available in the hub linked here](#) to improve their money-management skills, navigate student loans and transition from classroom to workplace.
- **Next Step Podcasts** – The [Insights for Students series, linked here](#), offers saving, budgeting and planning advice for students before, during and after college. These quick, educational [Next Step Podcasts](#) are also now launching on the most popular podcast platforms.

For more advice and tools for budgeting, saving and planning for this back-to-school season, visit Regions.com/NextStepFamilyBudget. The content is free and available to anyone, regardless of whether they are a Regions customer.

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