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Free “Taking Charge of Credit” workshops

Do you know a college freshman bound for campus this fall? Is there a wedding (and the mingling of personal finances) in your future? You might carry several, but how much do you *really* know about credit cards?

Michigan State University Extension–Macomb is partnering with the United Way for Southeastern Michigan to offer a three-part series designed to help you be an educated consumer of credit card financing.

Dates: Tuesday evening (July 12, 19 and 26, 2011)

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Place: VerKuilen Building

21885 Dunham in Clinton Township

Register: By phone at 586-469-7614

Cost: FREE! Sponsored by MSU Extension & United Way

The workshop will teach participants how to shop for a loan or credit card, determine how much debt they can afford, interpret credit reports, build and repair credit history and protect against identity theft. A MSUE certificate will be issued to those who successfully complete all three sessions.

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