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Nonprofit adjusts methods amid virus

Economics Arkansas, an educational nonprofit organization, has shifted its teaching methods and delivery of educational materials in compliance with the Coronavirus Response Act, organization leaders said last week..

The changes mean that Arkansas teachers and students in grades pre-kindergarten through 12th grade can continue to receive professional development training and ready-to-use resources.

The organization typically trains approximately 3,000 teachers each year through a variety of face-to-face, project-based workshops at many different locations throughout the state. Now all training has been modified to accommodate remote learning.

Among its offerings are webinars and webcasts showcasing well known speakers.

In a pilot project in early to mid-April, elementary school students in three different counties will receive "Sammy's Big Dream" coloring books and crayons when they pick up their take-home meals provided by their school district or community.

Additionally, the organization's website has been updated to feature educational activities to do at home, such as, a savings bank contest for families as part of April Financial Literacy Month.

Its Facebook and Instagram pages offer additional short quizzes and bingo games as well as book giveaways.

Webinar listings, educational resources and more information about Economics Arkansas are available at www.economicsarkansas.org.

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