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## 5 October is the date set for the first Financial Education Day

On 5 October the first Financial Education Day will take place within the framework of the Financial Education Plan (FEP), in which numerous institutions are participating and which counts the Banco de España and the CNMV among its sponsors.

This day will be commemorated by a programme of initiatives and events drawn up by FEP sponsors to impress on public opinion and the educational system the importance of financial planning, saving and access to information as the basis for taking economic decisions.

The institutions participating in Financial Education Day include, in addition to the CNMV and the Banco de España, the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Competitiveness, the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport, the main financial institutions through their associations (AEB, CECA, UNACC, Asociación Hipotecaria Española and ASNEF) and institutions such as Fundación ONCE, Fundación Mapfre, Fundación UCEIF, Fundación de Estudios Financieros, Spainsif (Spanish forum for socially responsible investment), Fundación de Estudios Bursátiles y Financieros, Fundación AFI, Instituto de Estudios Financieros, Chambers of Commerce and Instituto BME.

Their initiatives can all be found on the Financial Education Plan website <a href="www.finanzasparatodos.es">www.finanzasparatodos.es</a>, and on the social networks (<a href="www.facebook.com/FinanzasParaTodos.educacionfinanciera">www.finanzasparatodos.es</a>, and the hashtags #EducaciónFinanciera and #5deOctubre).

On 5 October an event will be held at the Banco de España to award the III Financial Education School Prizes. In the past academic year, more than 45,000 secondary students in 520 public, government-subsidised and private centres accessed the course material of this financial education programme.