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- January 9<sup>th</sup> January 13<sup>th</sup> Parent pick-up and sign for banks from 7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. or 3:00 – 3:30 p.m.
- 2. Visit Mlk's website to find home activities related to financial literacy to do at home with your child.
- 3. Students are expected to make weekly or monthly contributions to their banks.
- 4. Together, parents and the student should set a goal on opening or adding to an existing bank account for the student.
- 5. Parents should plan to be a part of the *Lemonade Day Classroom Competition on Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>*. You can help by securing sales and inviting co-workers, friends and relatives to stop by your child's classroom to purchase a cup of lemonade. The cost of one cup of lemonade is 25 cents. The classroom with the most lemonade sales will receive a \$250 gift certificate to purchase items for their classroom.
- 6. In accordance with our philosophy of helping students understand giving back to the community, each classroom will choose a non-profit organization to donate/invest their earnings.
- 7. Financial literacy concepts and activities will be integrated into current themes used for instruction.
- 8. Presentations by Capital One Bank personnel will be provided for parents.
- May 2012 There will be a celebration held in honor of students and parents participating in the program. Parents and students will receive Financial Literacy Certificates and have their pictures displayed on our website.