CHICAGO ECONOMIC WRITERS

Student-Created Textbook

Common Core Anchor Writing Standard 2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

How the Economy Works



About the Author:

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I have learned about the economy by



INTRODUCTION

Why you need to know about the economy.

In my book, I will explain the Chicago economy. Here are some words you will need to know to read my book. I have written a short definition of each word.

WORD What it means.

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The Chicago Economy: My Part

Here is a map of ______. It shows the economy here.

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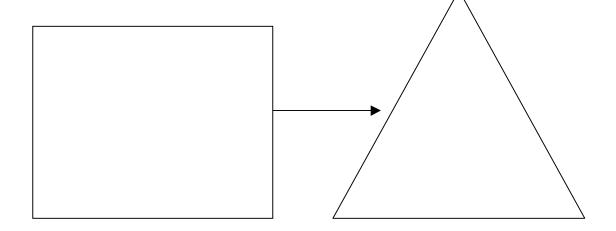
An economy has many parts. I have shown some parts on this map.

Here is what the map shows about this economy.



The Chicago Economy: Changes

The economy in Chicago has changed a lot. People have changed it. This diagram shows one change.



This is what I think about that change.

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Connections

There are many connections between parts of one economy.

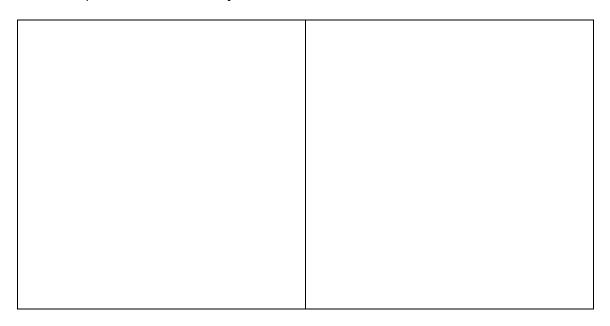
This cartoon strip shows how one person is connected to different parts of the economy in just one day.

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ASSESSMENT

Did you learn from my book?

If you did, you can answer these questions. Here are two multiple choice questions I made up about the economy.



Here is an open-ended question about the economy.

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