

## **Stock Market Competition Rules and Guidelines**

Welcome to the Stock Market Competition, an exciting component of our Financial Literacy Boot Camp! This competition is designed to provide you with hands-on experience in trading and investing while honing your financial skills. Below are the rules and guidelines that will govern the competition:

### **1. Account Setup:**

- Each participant will receive \$100,000 in their marginal trading accounts to commence trading and investing.

### **2. Trading Options:**

- Participants are permitted to buy and short sell stocks or ETFs.

### **3. Day Trading Policy:**

- Day trading, defined as buying and selling securities within the same trading day, is not allowed. This policy is in place to encourage strategic decision-making and discourage short-term speculation.

### **4. Tradable Securities:**

- Stocks or ETFs with a value above \$10 are eligible for trading.

### **5. Portfolio Diversification:**

- Each participant can allocate a maximum of 10% of their portfolio to any single stock or ETF. This rule promotes portfolio diversification and risk management.

### **6. Weekly Reports:**

- Participants are required to submit a weekly report detailing their trading activities, investment strategies, and portfolio performance. These reports will help track progress and provide insights into the decision-making process.

### **7. Prizes:**

- Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the competition based on their performance and adherence to the rules. Specific details regarding prizes will be announced closer to the end of the competition.

We encourage all participants to approach this competition with enthusiasm, creativity, and a willingness to learn. Remember, the skills and knowledge gained through this experience will be invaluable in your journey toward financial literacy and success in the world of finance.

Best of luck, and happy trading!