

Creative Computing

Sobkowitz

Name _____

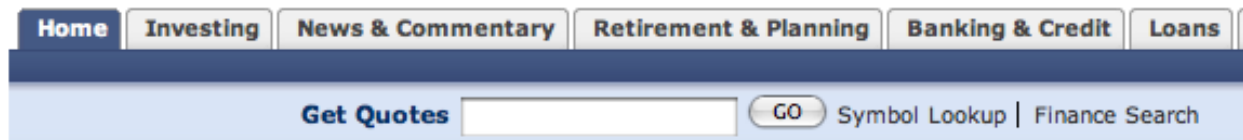
Stock Market Assignment

You will be choosing and following stocks on the stock market, and then “buying” a portfolio of stocks totaling \$10,000. We will follow those stocks for about two weeks, and make presentations about the stocks we chose and how they performed.

Choose at least five stocks based on the following criteria:

They should be companies that are actively traded, and that you use or consume products from. (Ford, Starbucks, Microsoft, etc.)

One place to get information is <http://finance.yahoo.com>, where you can look up companies stock symbols with the “Symbol Lookup” box, and then get information about them.



For each company, you should gather some information from news sites on the web - you could start with <http://news.google.com> and search for the company. Is the company growing, shrinking, opening stores, laying people off?

You will be making a presentation about your portfolio, with a page for each company.

Write down where you get your information! Copy the links into a word processing document.

Make a spreadsheet where you show your starting portfolio - you can spend \$10,000.

