

Chapter 5 Entrepreneurship

High school students can take advantage of special programs to learn how to develop a good business plan.

Francine Knowles. “[Chicago high school students prepare their business plans.](#)” Chicago Sun-Times. May 25, 2006. FindArticles.com. Accessed November 5, 2006.

If you do some research, you can find low-cost franchises for entrepreneurs looking to start their first small business.

Mark N. Howard. “[Be your own boss: affordable franchises.](#)” Black Enterprise. April 2005. FindArticles.com. Accessed November 5, 2006.

There are many funding options available to small business start-ups, but finding out about them can be a challenge.

Casey J. Dickinson. “[Finding startup funding can be frustrating.](#)” CNY Business Journal (1996+). March 5, 2004. FindArticles.com. Accessed November 5, 2006.

Perseverance, good market analysis, and a Small Business Administration loan pay off for two entrepreneurs.

Neil Young. “[MD entrepreneurs’ refusal to give up pays off.](#)” The Daily Record (Baltimore). June 3, 2005. FindArticles.com. Accessed November 5, 2006.