Junior Achievement Volunteer Opportunities

CLASSROOM PROGRAMS

Classroom programs consist of FIVE sessions, each 30-55 minutes in length. We are in need of volunteers to share Junior Achievement’s pre-written sessions that introduce students to things like a ‘want’ versus a ‘need’ and how to write a check. During the activity-based sessions, you will be introducing students to careers in our community and helping them to explore career options while in school. Clearances are required.

JA BIZTOWN

Each day JA BizTown opens its doors, 5th or 6th grade students become JA BizTown ‘citizens’ for the day where they work in one of 14 businesses, manage their personal and business finances, develop and sell products, hold business meetings, pay taxes and donate to charity. While schools normally recruit their own volunteers, JA looks to business and community volunteers to assist the students on select days during the school year.

YES! (Your Economic Success)

YES! (Your Economic Success) is a half-day morning program held at the middle school. It consists of a series of activities intended to help students realize the importance of financial and career decisions. The program’s synergy is created by every student in the building participating in JA in a single day. The volunteer facilitates one activity with four different groups of students during the morning.

STEM Summit

STEM Summit is a day long program designed for 9th or 10th grade students and held at a local high school. This program includes nine 30-minute sessions with science experiments, technology, engineering, math competitions, and trades modules. Use your experience to inspire students to pursue careers in STEM fields. Each volunteer will work with nine different groups of students during the day.

REAL Life

REAL Life is a day-long program designed for students in 11th or 12th grade. The program is held at a local high school. It consists of a series of activities intended to help students gain an appreciation for good financial decision-making and career-readiness. Help facilitate one of five modules throughout the day and make an impact to last a lifetime.

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