

Program Spotlight: JA Career Speakers Series®



JA learning experiences go beyond the classroom to inspire future entrepreneurs, foster financial literacy and provide a foundation for career success. In JA Career Speaker Series®, a volunteer guest speaker visits the classroom (or presents virtually) and shares information about their career, work, and education experience. Learn more about what makes JA's Career Speaker Series special.

JA Career Speaker Series is part of the JA Work and Career Readiness Pathway and can be placed in grades K-12. The learning experience is available in classroom based, recorded video, or after-school/out-of-school Implementation. Activities and implementation design vary based on grade level. The speaker may bring props, work samples, or other visuals to help engage students.

When students are invited to engage with community members sharing real-world experience, it results in an enriched learning experience that helps students make the connection between what they learn in school and the world outside the classroom.