

## JA and UW Eau Claire: Fostering Success



Fostering Success, a program hosted by UW Eau Claire and supported by Junior Achievement, provides resources and tools for 18+ students who have formerly been in foster care, are experiencing homelessness, or may lack family support. By providing resources, mentorship, and a supportive community, the program helps students overcome barriers to achieve their goals.

The Fostering Success program empowers students who may not have grown up with the same support systems as their peers. The program provides the kinds of experiences that can be life-changing for many students. JA provides curricula, support and resources to those enrolled.

The program offers access to:

- Campus Store school and household supplies
- Financial resources
- Scholarships
- Peer mentorship
- Monthly meals
- And more!

“Our data shows that smart career planning and financial literacy have become essential survival skills, especially for students whose families struggle with financial mobility,” said Susan Peterson, Regional Director for Junior Achievement of Wisconsin’s Northwest and Coulee Region. “JA programs are focused on preparing young people with the skills they need to transition into the workplace, succeed in their careers, and enrich our local communities.”

The next session of Fostering Success is coming up April 17. Contact [Susan Peterson](#) to learn more.