

JA appreciates Wisconsin Teachers!



"Teachers are, of course, among the most important people in our nation ... next to parents they are the most important people in our communities," said Eleanor Roosevelt, the first to suggest adding a teacher appreciation week to the calendar. And we couldn't agree more!

At JA, while teachers are at the heart of all we do, it's our pleasure and privilege to do a little something extra every May to show our appreciation for the everyday hard work and impact of teachers across Wisconsin. From classroom visits to personalized gifts and cards, read on to see some of the ways JA volunteers and staff took the time to show the teachers we work with how much we care.

In JA's north-central region, 500 volunteers and educators received handwritten thank you notes and small business discount cards.

In Wausau, at St. Anne's Elementary, Montessori Charter School, Marathon Elementary, and Spencer Elementary schools, teachers were honored with certificates, balloons and treats for their work as a "Super-school" in which every student/grade participated in a Junior Achievement program.

In JA's Sheboygan Area, teachers were recognized on social media for their hard, loyalty and connection to JA and our work in their local area.

In JA's Coulee Region, teachers were recognized at a Leadership Speaker event where teacher "Heroes" were honored for encouraging young people to pursue their entrepreneurial dreams through Junior Achievement.