

# VOLUNTEER WITH JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Where will I volunteer?** There are opportunities in school classrooms and at community outreach organizations in Kentucky and Southern Indiana.

**What is the time commitment?** There are three choices:

- ➔ **JA in a Day** (elementary only) One visit for 3-4 hours
- ➔ **Multi Day** (all grade levels) Several weekly visits for 45 minutes per session
- ➔ **JA BizTown** or **JA Finance Park** One visit for 5-6 hours

**Can a group volunteer together?** Yes. Some elementary schools request JA programming for an entire grade or several classrooms for the same day. Enjoy the teamwork of volunteering together.

**What day and time?** Delivery of the program coincides with the hours school is in session. For multi-day programs, scheduling is coordinated directly between the volunteer and the educator.

**What age are the students?** JA programs are available for students from kindergarten through 12th grade.

**What are the students learning?** The focus of JA programming is on financial literacy, career readiness, and entrepreneurship. JA volunteers make school relevant and fun, which means kids are more likely to become contributing, successful members of our community.

**How do I prepare?** JA provides an organized kit with all the materials and an overview of what to expect while in the classroom. To become more familiar with the curriculum, volunteers are encouraged to review each lesson ahead of time.

**How do I lead a JA program?** JA lesson plans are volunteer-friendly with time suggestions and systematic instructions. The curriculum includes activities for students that are hands-on, interactive and engaging. Every program allows time for you to share your unique personal and professional experiences with the students.

Your Junior Achievement representative is ready to provide support throughout your volunteer experience.

**Sign up at [JAKY.org/volunteer](https://www.jaky.org/volunteer)**

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