

# Middle School

## Program Overview 2020-2021

### CAPSTONE PROGRAMS

Program Name	Description	Duration	Delivery Format	
			Remote	Face to face
JA Finance Park® Virtual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal financial planning program includes decisions related to income, expenses, savings, credit and more</li> <li>Online student self-guided curriculum streamlines delivery</li> <li>Online simulation allows students to prepare a budget with multiple expense categories</li> <li>Flexible for in class or remote</li> </ul>	10 student self-guided sessions  Plus virtual simulation 4 hours	✓	✓
JA Inspire™ Virtual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Career exploration program</li> <li>Online student self-guided or teacher-led curriculum</li> <li>Online culminating event with over 100 local virtual career exhibits sorted by career cluster featuring videos and downloadable career information</li> </ul>	5 sessions: student self-guided or teacher led  Plus virtual event	✓	✓

### CLASSROOM PROGRAMS - Teacher-led for 2020-2021

Program Name	Description	Duration 45 min sessions	Delivery Format	
			Remote	Face to face
JA It's My Future®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Practical information about preparing for the working world while still in middle school</li> <li>Students develop the personal-branding and job-hunting skills needed to earn a job</li> </ul>	6 sessions	✓	✓
JA Global Marketplace®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduces students to the global marketplace and the ways in which countries buy, sell and trade from each other</li> <li>Students discover how goods flow through various economies and the effect of globalization on their lives</li> </ul>	6 sessions	✓	✓
JA It's My Business!®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experience the steps necessary to start a business</li> <li>Encounter an authentic entrepreneurial experience</li> <li>Sessions build up to a product-pitch competition</li> </ul>	6 sessions	✓	✓
JA Economics for Success®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn the information needed to build strong personal finances and how to spend within a budget</li> <li>Explore career options based on your skills, interests and values</li> </ul>	6 sessions		✓

### ENHANCEMENTS - An excellent addition to any JA program

Enhancement Name	Description
JA Digital Career Book <i>NEW!</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Self-guided career exploration resource</li> <li>Student friendly access to career data, videos and business websites</li> </ul>

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