

Economics for Success

Inspiring students to plan for success



*Grade 8
 Full day program*



Economics for Success (EFS) is an empowering one-day program for grade 8 students. EFS focuses on financial literacy, challenges students to reflect on their personal goals and highlights the advantages of remaining in school for long-term success. Students create personal and professional goals, prepare a personal budget, role play networking and interview scenarios and learn about career choices.

Four Central Lessons:

- **CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE** - Solidify the link between life-long learning and achieving personal and professional goals.
- **FINDING BALANCE** - Identify the financial costs of a personal budget
- **STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESS** - Recognize employability skills and learn to promote them in a social media, networking or job interview setting
- **YOU CAN DO IT!** - Discover that a career is a life long journey, set a plan and goals to begin this journey

Economics for Success lessons link school curriculum with experiential learning that increases retention and makes learning fun.

Give Youth the Skills They Need

Why Become a Volunteer?

As a JA volunteer, you'll deliver programs in a local classroom - facilitating critical financial and business knowledge to students. JA provides you with program materials, in-depth training, and support to ensure that everyone has a fun and meaningful experience.

- Enhance your presentation, coaching and team building skills
- Give back to the community and boost your organization's profile
- Open young minds to their limitless potential

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Why Bring JA to your School?

JA programs are taught by volunteers from the local community; this gives students a unique opportunity to learn from community leaders. These volunteers share their personal stories and experiences, which makes the learning engaging and inspirational.

Provide students with an opportunity to:

- Connect the value of education for careers
- Recognize the economic costs of living independently
- Discover and practice interview, networking and employability skills
- Learn from positive role models

