

2018-19 Program Snapshot

JA British Columbia (JABC) offers nine educational programs to inspire, prepare and empower BC youth for lifelong success. JABC partners with host teachers and brings volunteers from the business community into the classroom to deliver free, interactive, hands-on learning experiences. Our programs develop financial literacy and work readiness skills, and spark the entrepreneurial spirit of our youth.

Volunteer Led	Grade	Program Focus	Duration	Volunteer Visits
More than Money 	4-5	Teaches young students the fundamentals of earning, spending and saving money.	4 one-hour lessons	2-4 class visits
Our Business World	5-6	Helps students explore their entrepreneurial potential, and understand how businesses operate.	4 one-hour lessons	2-4 class visits
Business of Our Own	6-8	Gives students a hands-on learning experience running their own retail stand.	4 one-hour lessons + Sale Day	4 class visits
Dollars with Sense	7-9	Introduces students to personal money management skills including budgeting, investing and goal setting.	4 one-hour lessons	Full day, half day or multiple class visits
Economics for Success	8-10	Inspires students to stay in school and plan for success in their careers and in life.	4 one-hour lessons	Full day, half day or multiple class visits
Be Entrepreneurial	10-12	Coaches students to develop and present plans for their own businesses.	4 one-hour lessons + Business Pitch Competition	4-5 class visits; guest speaking opportunities
Company Program	10-12	Empowers student teams to experience the excitement of planning and running their own small business venture.	Weekly sessions over 10-16 weeks + Sale Days + Wrap Up	Weekly visits; guest speaking opportunities
Teacher Led	Grade	Program Focus	Duration	
Investment Strategies – Virtual	10-12	Introduces students to investing and helps them learn about markets through a real-time online stock market simulation.	4 one-hour lessons + Online Competition	Volunteers deliver lessons on pre-recorded video
TITAN	10-12	Gives students a taste of management decision-making through an interactive online simulation of a global high-tech company.	6 one-hour lessons + Online Competition	

Teachers: JABC offers flexible delivery models to accommodate different volunteer and school schedules. Contact your local Program staff member at jabc.ca/contact for details on how a program is offered in your community. For more program background and our latest work on Curriculum Matching, visit jabc.ca/programs.

Volunteers: In addition to the time you spend with students, you will need to allow time to learn the program, attend a 1-2 hour orientation and prepare for your class visits. More details on the total time commitment for each program can be found in the JABC Volunteer Handbook at jabc.ca/volunteers.