

2018-2019 Program Menu

JABC offers a variety of programs designed to inspire, prepare and empower BC youth for lifelong success. We partner with host teachers and bring volunteers from the business community into the classroom to deliver these interactive programs, free of charge. Our programs help youth develop their financial literacy and work readiness skills and spark their entrepreneurial spirit.

Volunteer Led	Grade	Program Focus	Duration	Volunteer Visits
More than Money	4-5	Helps students understand how proper money management can improve their lives and how their financial choices can impact others.	4 one-hour lessons	2-4 class visits
Our Business World	5-6	Helps Students explore how businesses are created and what makes them thrive. Using games and multimedia, students learn about innovation, start-ups, and self-employment.	4 one-hour lessons	2-4 class visits
Business of Our Own	6-8	Gives students the hands-on learning experience of planning a business, producing and promoting their products, tracking their finances and managing a team.	4 one-hour lessons + Sale Day	4 class visits
Dollars with Sense	7-9	Introduces students to personal money management skills including methods of payment, cost of credit, purchasing influences, online security, goal setting, budgeting, and the basics of investing.	4 one-hour lessons	Full day, half day or multiple class visits
Economics for Success	8-10	Encourages students to consider how they can prepare to enter the world of work by helping them map career clusters, consider post-secondary options, create a personal budget and develop strategies to achieve their goals.	4 one-hour lessons	Full day, half day or multiple class visits
Be Entrepreneurial	10-12	Students learn the essential components of launching a realistic entrepreneurial venture by a developing a plan and pitching ideas for their own business.	4 one-hour lessons + business pitch competition	4-5 class visits; guest speaking opportunities
Company Program	10-12	Students experience the excitement of planning and operating their own small business, giving them real world skills to help them in their career path.	Weekly sessions over 10-16 weeks + sale days + wrap up	Weekly visits; guest speaking opportunities
Teacher Led	Grade	Program Focus	Duration	Volunteer Visits
Investment Strategies—Virtual	10-12	Features a stock market simulation where students learn about the markets and investing by competing in an online challenge against students from across the country.	4 one-hour lessons + online competition	Volunteers deliver lessons on pre-recorded video
TITAN	10-12	Students take part in an interactive online business simulation where they become CEOs of their own company and gain confidence to become entrepreneurs. They create a business strategy, make management decisions and strive to succeed in a highly competitive industry.	6 one-hour lessons + online competition	none

Teachers: JABC offers flexible delivery models to accommodate different volunteer and school schedules. Contact your local Program Team member at jabc.ca/contact for details on how programs are offered in your community. For more program information 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 accessed at jabc.ca/resources.