

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

STATEWIDE IMPACT

Junior Achievement is partnering with Michigan educators, business leaders and policymakers to ensure that students across the state achieve their personal finance requirements for high school graduation. Our purpose is to inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy by teaching concepts that lead to sound financial choices.

Reach Across Michigan

4

regional
offices

95,000+

Michigan students completed
JA programs in 2023-2024

JA is a huge support for our school, and I can't emphasize that enough.

- Randi Watts, *Personal Finance Teacher*, Northwest High School

Our partnership with Junior Achievement has been incredibly beneficial in bringing the concepts and principles of personal finance to life that we expose our students to in the classroom, applying them in a real-world context.

- Kevin Polston, *Superintendent*, Kentwood Public Schools

My favorite part about JA Finance Park was learning about budgeting. Something from today that I will teach people about is that you should start investing at a young age.

- Mikaya, *Student*
Detroit Collegiate Preparatory
Academy at Northwestern

Junior Achievement allocates financial literacy state funding into six priority areas to achieve maximum impact.

- 1 Creating, piloting and updating curricula
- 2 Localizing financial literacy resources
- 3 Staffing offices to address the needs of Michigan's school systems
- 4 Establishing partnerships with MDE and other strategic organizations to serve as a convener for Michigan's school systems
- 5 Improving statewide communication of financial education resources
- 6 Providing resources and financial literacy training to educators and volunteers

HELPING SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS MEET MICHIGAN'S FINANCIAL LITERACY GRADUATION REQUIREMENT

Three JA programs meet the requirements outlined by the Michigan Department of Education and are available to schools statewide:



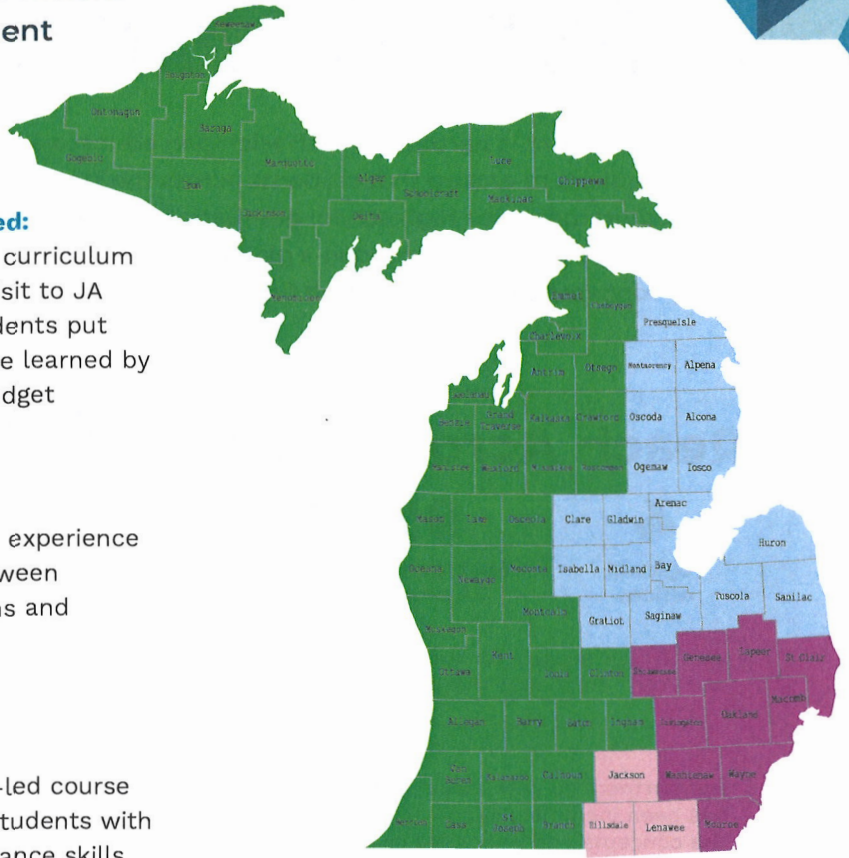
JA Finance Park Advanced: a teacher-led classroom curriculum that culminates with a visit to JA Finance Park, where students put into practice what they've learned by developing a personal budget



JA Personal Finance: a course where students experience the interrelationship between today's financial decisions and future financial freedom



JA Financial Literacy: a one-semester, teacher-led course that equips high school students with foundational personal finance skills



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