

2022-2023 School Year

IMPACT REPORT

JA Fellows

Our Mission

Junior Achievement of San Diego County inspires and prepares young people to succeed in a global economy. JA San Diego offers Common Core-aligned K- 12 programs focused on financial literacy, entrepreneurship, and workforce development.

Program Overview

JA San Diego's Fellows program provides 11th and 12th grade high school students access to San Diego's business community through a 2-semester leadership experience. The program operates in a cohort model with each cohort supporting approximately 30 students. Students meet each school day and develop foundational knowledge of the local economy, personal finance, work readiness, housing and food stability resources and options, and career pathways. The cohort model provides students with social capital and paid work experiences that directly connect students to local industries. Through these experiences, students are exposed to career opportunities, expanded professional networks, investing, and opportunities to which they might otherwise not have access.

"As I look towards a future career in the medical field, I am more focused on what I need to get there, JA has connected me with medical and life science professionals who I can look up to, admire, and help me build a pathway. From JA, I not only found myself, but I also found a network of positive people who I know I can turn to at any time."

-Bianca, JA Fellow



2022-2023 Program

109

students

131

contact hours per student



After successfully completing their internships, two of the JA Fellows were hired on permanently by their host site. (Miguel at Symons Fire Protection & Ketura at Maya's Cookies)

Program Locations

- Lincoln High School, Southeast San Diego
- Chula Vista Learning Community Charter (CVLCC)

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