

A Correlation: Arkansas Academic Standards and Junior Achievement Middle School Programs



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Overview

Junior Achievement programs offer a multidisciplinary approach that connects learning across social studies disciplines, such as economics, geography, history, government, and civics, while incorporating mathematical concepts and reasoning and language arts skills. This list is not meant to be exhaustive or intended to suggest that a JA program will completely address any given standard but is designed to show how it can enhance or complement efforts to do so. The flexibility of the programs and supplementary materials allow specific content or skills to be addressed in depth by the teacher and/or business volunteer as needed.

In this document, Junior Achievement programs are correlated to the Arkansas Social Studies, Personal Finance Standards, Arkansas Career Development Standards and Arkansas standards in English/Language Arts and Mathematics. Alternate delivery methods, such as student self-guided, cover the same learning objectives for social studies standards and the JA Pathway Competencies. However, the varied implementation models may cause slight variation in English Language Arts and Mathematics correlations.

JA Middle Grades Classroom Learning Experiences

[JA Economics for Success® Blended Model](#) introduces middle school students to initial work and career readiness and personal finance concepts through flexible facilitation materials and engaging interactive activities, games, and role plays that support learning objectives.

[JA Global Marketplace® Blended Model](#) introduces students to the global marketplace and the ways in which countries buy and sell from each other. Through completion of this program, students will gain an understanding of the role of producers and consumers in the interconnected global market.

[JA It's My Business!® Blended Model](#) provides middle school students an opportunity to experience the initial steps necessary to start a business. New program content provides an authentic entrepreneurial experience for students, with each session building up to a product-pitch competition

[JA It's My Future® Blended Model](#) offers middle school students' practical information to help prepare them for the working world. Students develop the personal-branding and job-hunting skills needed to earn a job.

[JA Inspire® Entry](#) is more than a career fair, it brings together the business community and local schools and is designed to help launch students into their futures: high school, college, and careers beyond. (Grades 6-8)

[JA Career Exploration Fair®](#) is an event where students learn about a range of career options across multiple career clusters. (Grades K-12)

[JA Career Speakers Series™](#) In JA Career Speakers Series, a volunteer guest speaker visits the classroom and shares information about his or her career, work, and education experience. (Grades K-12)

[JA Excellence through Ethics®](#) Through JA Excellence through Ethics, students will learn the importance of ethics and ethical decision-making and how ethical and unethical choices affect everyone in a community. (Grades 6-12)

[JA It's My Job® \(Soft Skills\)](#) will help students understand the value of professional communication and soft skills, making them more employable to future employers across multiple career clusters. (Grades 6-12)

[JA Company Program® Pop Up](#) teaches students how to plan, launch, and operate their own business venture within a structured, guided experience. Throughout the start-up process, students collaborate, make crucial business decisions, practice communication skills, and develop entrepreneurial knowledge and skills. (Grades 6-12)

JA Economics for Success

Session Descriptions	Personal Finance Standards	Career Development Standards	Arkansas ELA Standards	Arkansas Math Standards
<p>My Career Exploration</p> <p>Students explore the 16 career clusters and identify the clusters they find interesting. They learn that early career planning results in more choices and opportunities for success in a career that matches their interests, skills, and values.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize the career clusters and their related careers. Apply values, skills, and interests to the career clusters. 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.3 Develop a flowchart to outline the steps needed to achieve chosen career paths (e.g., trade school, associate’s degree, bachelor’s degree, master’s degree, doctorate)</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.3 Identify values and the effect they have in choosing a career.</p> <p>2.1.1 Differentiate between the [Arkansas] Career fields and the career clusters associated with each field.</p> <p>2.1.2 Research and discuss the sixteen (16) Career Clusters using various sources of information.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p> <p>3.2.4 Describe how personal values affect decisions due to conflicting demands.</p> <p>3.3.2 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of decisions when determining a tentative career goal.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.RC.4.RF</p> <p>6.CC.1-6.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.RC.4.RF</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.RC.4.RF</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p>	<p>NA</p>
<p>Getting to Know Me</p> <p>Students better understand their own values, skills, and interests, as well as the importance of applying self-knowledge to future choices. Students use their self-knowledge to develop a word-based personal brand.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply self-knowledge to identify personal values, skills, and interests; set priorities; and make decisions. Discuss the importance of a personal brand statement. Recognize that self-knowledge is needed to work effectively with others. 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.3 Identify values and the effect they have in choosing a career.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>3.2.4 Describe how personal values affect decisions due to conflicting demands.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p> <p>5.1.4 Avoid projecting a negative social media image.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-6.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>

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<p>My Career Goals Students recognize that the choices they make will affect their education, career, and financial security. Students learn the value of self-efficacy in achieving their goals.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize the connections between your choices and your education, personal finances, and career paths. Create short- and long-term goals. Identify character traits that can help you overcome obstacle 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.1.EI.2* Determine ways to locate and apply for a job by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completing a job search in an area of interest Completing a job application, cover letter, resume, and follow-up letter <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1..1.5 Recognize different personality types and the effect of different types working in the same environment.</p> <p>1.1.6 Identify how an individual's school experience connects to an individual's future success.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>3.2.1 Describe the structure of setting short, medium, and long-term goals.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p> <p>3.2.3 Identify resources needed to meet personal goals.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p>	<p>6.CC.1,3-5,7.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1,3-5.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>
<p>My Transferable Skills Students recognize that skills they learn now will be useful in both their personal life and their future career. They learn about the digital skills needed to work remotely.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize appropriate skills for the workplace. Identify transferable skills and their importance. Recognize the importance of having digital skills and using professional digital tools and programs. 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communication Time Management Basic Employer Expectations <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.2 Evaluate how self-concept, self-esteem, and attitude could affect educational achievement.</p> <p>1.1.5 Recognize different personality types and the effect of different types working in the same environment.</p> <p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with</p>	<p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p>	<p>NA</p>

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		<p>management.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.2.1 Describe the transferable skills needed when transitioning between careers and/or jobs.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p>		
<p>My Income and Expenses</p> <p>Students explore the importance of earning enough income to pay for expenses, including savings and common deductions. Students learn how to read a paycheck stub and explore the Pay Yourself First strategy. They also practice solving income and expenses-related problems with positive solutions.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize that workers should not expect to keep all the money they earn. Recognize problem solving as a challenge and not an obstacle. Explore career-based solutions for income planning. Reflect on the personal impact of saving money. 	<p>PF.2.EI.1* Compare and contrast the methods by which employees are paid (e.g., direct deposit, paper check, payroll card)</p> <p>PF.2.EI.2* Represent and analyze various types of income deductions and how they impact income (e.g., payroll taxes, deductions, gross pay, net pay)</p> <p>PF.2.EI.3* Analyze differences among salary, hourly, commission, and overtime pay</p> <p>PF.5.MM.4* Analyze expenses to create a household budgeting including, but not limited to, housing, utilities, food, saving, insurance, taxes, and charitable giving</p> <p>PF.7.SI.1* Compare the effects of interest rates as applied to saving and borrowing money</p>	<p>1.1.4 Identify lifestyle preference and write steps to achieve that lifestyle.</p> <p>2.3.2 Identify types of work schedules--self-employed (entrepreneur), part-time, full-time, temporary, seasonal, volunteer, flextime, and rotational.</p> <p>2.3.3 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of being employed in a non-traditional occupation.</p> <p>2.3.4 Identify job benefits and forms of income.</p> <p>4.4.3 Assess the relative income and benefits of a future career goal with respect to personal goals and lifestyles.</p> <p>4.4.5 Identify the advantages and challenges of self-employment.</p> <p>5.2.1 Describe the importance of earning an income and managing personal finances.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-6.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.RC.4.RF</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.RC.4.RF</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.RC.4.RF</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>6.ALG.7</p> <p>6.PR.5</p> <p>7.PR.3</p>

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<p>Planning for My Future Income Students explore the role work plays in living independently. They gain financial knowledge about the costs of living on their own. They consider the role of career choices and the costs of goods and services.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Express the financial considerations of possibly living independently and the importance of choosing work that can earn enough to pay for expenses. (WCR) Examine the true costs of goods and services. (FL) 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.2.EI.2* Represent and analyze various types of income deductions and how they impact income (e.g., payroll taxes, deductions, gross pay, net pay)</p> <p>PF.2.EI.3* Analyze differences among salary, hourly, commission, and overtime pay</p> <p>PF.5.MM.4* Analyze expenses to create a household budgeting including, but not limited to, housing, utilities, food, saving, insurance, taxes, and charitable giving</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.4 Identify lifestyle preference and write steps to achieve that lifestyle.</p> <p>2.3.4 Identify job benefits and forms of income.</p> <p>4.4.3 Assess the relative income and benefits of a future career goal with respect to personal goals and lifestyles.</p> <p>5.2.1 Describe the importance of earning an income and managing personal finances.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-6.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>6.ALG.7</p> <p>6.PR.5</p> <p>7.NCC.1</p> <p>7.NCC.6</p> <p>7.NCC.7</p> <p>7.PR.3</p>
<p>Managing My Money Students recognize the importance of managing money. They learn how to keep a budget and make decisions about spending.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define a budget and its importance. Express the need to say “no” to some short-term spending to save for more important items in the future and to plan for emergencies. Practice budgeting skills using income that can be earned while still in school. 	<p>PF.5.MM.4* Analyze expenses to create a household budgeting including, but not limited to, housing, utilities, food, saving, insurance, taxes, and charitable giving</p> <p>PF.5.MM.5* Examine the influences on financial planning decisions (e.g., needs vs. wants, priorities, values, stages of life, estate planning)</p>	<p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>3.2.1 Describe the structure of setting short, medium, and long-term goals.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p> <p>3.2.3 Identify resources needed to meet personal goals.</p> <p>3.2.4 Describe how personal values affect decisions due to conflicting demands.</p> <p>4.4.2 Explain how distracters and barriers can hinder an individual from completing plans.</p> <p>4.4.3 Assess the relative income and benefits of a future career goal with respect to personal goals and lifestyles.</p> <p>5.2.1 Describe the importance of earning an income and managing personal finances.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>6.ALG.7</p> <p>7.NCC.1</p> <p>7.NCC.6</p> <p>7.NCC.7</p>

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<p>Paying for My Wants and Needs Students learn to make better choices related to credit. They learn about different ways of paying for goods and services, and the advantages and drawbacks of each.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe ways to pay for everyday goods and services. Identify the differences between debit (paying now) and credit (paying in the future, plus interest). 	<p>PF.4.C.5* Understand different components of credit by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comparing and contrasting sources of credit (e.g., car loans, student loans, credit cards) Discussing the establishment and use of credit Identifying the factors that contribute to a credit score Calculating the actual costs associated with credit Discussing methods of solving credit problems Evaluating the risks associated with overextending credit <p>PF.4.C.7* Understand the different components of loans by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Differentiating between the different types of loans (e.g., payday, auto, home, personal, student) Examining the lending process from application to approval Calculating true costs associated with loans (e.g., term length, interest rate) Understanding the factors that contribute to different interest rates Evaluating the implications of obtaining and/or defaulting on a loan <p>PF.5.MM.1* Compare types of banking institutions including products and services available</p> <p>PF.7.SI.1* Compare the effects of interest rates as applied to saving and borrowing money</p>	<p>5.2.1 Describe the importance of earning an income and managing personal finances.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-6.SLC 6.V.1-4,6 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-5.S 6.L.7-10.C 7.CC.1-4.SLC 7.V.1-6 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-9.S 7.L.11-15.C 8.CC.1-4.SLC 8.V.1-6 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>6.ALG.7 6.PR.5 7.NCC.1 7.NCC.6 7.NCC.7 7.PR.3</p>

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<p>My Credit and Spending</p> <p>Students prepare to use credit. They learn about healthy spending habits and the importance of building a good credit score.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain who looks at your credit report and why. • Describe how financial decisions can improve a credit report. • Identify spending habits that are financially responsible. 	<p>PF.4.C.5* Understand different components of credit by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparing and contrasting sources of credit (e.g., car loans, student loans, creditcards) • <p>Discussing the establishment and use of credit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying the factors that contribute to a credit score • Calculating the actual costs associated with credit • Discussing methods of solving credit problems • Evaluating the risks associated with overextending credit 	<p>1.1.4 Identify lifestyle preference and write steps to achieve that lifestyle.</p> <p>5.1.2 Identify human resources requirements for employment such as drug testing and credit checks.</p> <p>5.2.1 Describe the importance of earning an income and managing personal finances.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-6.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.RC.4.RF</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.RC.4.RF</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.RC.4.RF</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>7.NCC.1</p> <p>7.NCC.6</p> <p>7.NCC.7</p>
<p>My Ride on the Financial Roller Coaster</p> <p>Students understand risk and methods for handling it. They make decisions about scenarios involving risk.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe examples of how to use personal responsibility to address risk. • Recognize that insurance is a way to transfer the risk of loss. • Identify the opportunity cost in different spending decisions. 	<p>PF.6.I.2* Investigate the relationship between insurance premiums and deductibles</p> <p>PF.6.I.3* Evaluate auto insurance options and factors affecting cost of coverage including split limit</p> <p>PF.6.I.4* Assess health related insurance options and types of coverage (e.g., health, dental, vision, stroke/heart disease, cancer, accident, short-term/long-term disability, long-term care)</p> <p>PF.6.I.5* Analyze various types of life insurance (e.g., term, whole)</p> <p>PF.6.I.6* Investigate property insurance and potential riders including, but not limited to, homeowner's renter's, and mortgage</p>	<p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>4.4.1 Determine opportunity cost over a lifespan for achieving a personal career goal.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.V.1-4,6</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-5.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-9.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.CC.1-4.SLC</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>

JA Global Marketplace

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<p>Session One: Business and Customer</p> <p>Students learn about the relationship between businesses, their customers, and the mutually beneficial exchange of products and services.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify what a business gains from an exchange with a customer ▪ Identify what a customer gains from an exchange with a business ▪ Define ethics and ethical dilemma (Deeper Look) ▪ Identify the stakeholders of a business. ▪ Evaluate whether the actions of a business, which had positive or negative implications to stakeholders, were ethical (Deeper Look) 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.W.4,12.P</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.W.4.P</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>

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<p>Session Two: Business and Culture</p> <p>Students learn that businesses must understand cultural differences to meet customers’ needs and make a profit in different countries.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify business-related, cultural differences throughout the world ▪ Explain the need for international businesses to consider their customers’ cultural differences to provide for the customer and make a profit ▪ Identify cultural differences throughout the world that affect social interaction and communication 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>C.1 Students will understand the impact of origins, structures, and functions of institutions and laws on society and citizens. This includes personal civic rights, roles, responsibilities, and processes by which laws are made and amended.</p> <p>C.1.6.3 Compare ways in which various civilizations foster social responsibility and civic virtues.</p> <p>G.1.6.8 Determine how environmental and cultural characteristics affected the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas in various regions of the world.</p> <p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication • Time Management • Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>6.W.13.R</p> <p>6.CC.9-11,14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.W.4,12.P</p> <p>7.W.13.R</p> <p>7.CC.11-12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.W.4.P</p> <p>8.W.13.R</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.7-8,11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>

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<p>Session Three: Global Trade</p> <p>Students learn that businesses trade to obtain products and services that customers want or need. Students will learn about imports and exports, examine the ways technology has improved international trade and participate in a global trade game.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify reasons why countries trade ▪ Demonstrate that countries benefit more from trade than from trying to meet all their own needs ▪ Apply key terms related to trade. ▪ Describe how improvements in technology can influence international trade 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>C.1 Students will understand the impact of origins, structures, and functions of institutions and laws on society and citizens. This includes personal civic rights, roles, responsibilities, and processes by which laws are made and amended.</p> <p>C.1.6.8 Explain the development of policies to address public problems in various civilizations over time.</p> <p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p> <p>E.1.6.1 Examine ways trade-offs have allowed civilizations to get the most out of scarce resources.</p> <p>.G.1 Students will understand the purpose of geographic tools (e.g., maps, globes, charts, graphs) to understand, analyze, and explain human interaction with each other and with the environment. This includes the spatial characteristics and patterns of human settlement and connections between global regions.</p> <p>G.1.6.8 Determine how environmental and cultural characteristics affected the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas in various regions of the world.</p> <p>G.1.6.10 Compare ways spatial patterns of economic activities in a place change over time because of interactions with nearby and distant places.</p>	<p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.9-11,14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.W.4,12.P</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.CC.11-12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.W.4.P</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.7-8,11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>7.NCC.1</p> <p>7.NCC.6</p> <p>7.NCC.7</p>

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<p>Session Four: Why Countries Specialize</p> <p>Students learn that businesses in different countries specialize by focusing their efforts on specific resources or producing smaller parts of a product.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define specialization ▪ Analyze examples of international trade to explain why modern countries cannot provide for all their wants and needs ▪ Show how events and decisions in one country have a causal relationship with, and produce an effect on, customers in another country 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>C.1 Students will understand the impact of origins, structures, and functions of institutions and laws on society and citizens. This includes personal civic rights, roles, responsibilities, and processes by which laws are made and amended.</p> <p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p> <p>E.1.6.1 Examine ways trade-offs have allowed civilizations to get the most out of scarce resources.</p> <p>G.1 Students will understand the purpose of geographic tools (e.g., maps, globes, charts, graphs) to understand, analyze, and explain human interaction with each other and with the environment. This includes the spatial characteristics and patterns of human settlement and connections between global regions.</p> <p>G.1.6.4 Analyze effects of human-generated changes on the physical environment in various places and regions over time such as large building projects, canals, irrigation, farming, and deforestation.</p> <p>G.1.6.7 Analyze relationships between human settlements and movements and the location and use of natural resources in various regions.</p> <p>G.1.6.8 Determine how environmental and cultural characteristics affected the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas in various regions of the world.</p>	<p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>3.2.4 Describe how personal values affect decisions due to conflicting demands.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-5 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.W.8,12.P 7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-5 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S</p>	<p>7.NCC.1 7.NCC.6 7.NCC.7</p>

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<p>Session Five: Trade Barriers</p> <p>Students explore the types of restrictions that governments place on international trade. They learn about tariffs, quotas, subsidies, and standards and how these barriers affect governments, businesses, and customers.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify examples of trade barriers ▪ Analyze the consequences of trade barriers on businesses, employees, and customers ▪ Explain why balance of trade matters to businesses, customers, and employees 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>C.1.6.7 Analyze the impact of rules and laws on society and reasons people change rules and laws over time.</p> <p>C.1.6.8 Explain the development of policies to address public problems in various civilizations over time.</p> <p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p> <p>E.1.6.1 Examine ways trade-offs have allowed civilizations to get the most out of scarce resources.</p> <p>E.1.6.2 Analyze historical developments in various regions across the world using models of economic decision-making. Historical developments may include nomadic vs. agrarian, invasions, bartering, and trade.</p> <p>E.1.6.9 Identify barriers to trade and their impact on civilizations such as war/conflict, infrastructure, lack of technology, and geographic limitations.</p> <p>G.1.6.10 Compare ways spatial patterns of economic activities in a place change over time because of interactions with nearby and distant places.</p>	<p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.W.8,12.P 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>6.PR.5</p>

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<p>Session Six: Currency</p> <p>Students explore the concept of international currencies. They learn about variable exchange rates, currency converters, and how to compare the prices of products from around the world.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define currency and exchange rate Recognize that different countries have different forms of currency Recognize that each currency has a different value, which is determined through a variable exchange rate 		<p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S</p>	<p>6.NCC.10 7.NCC.6</p>
<p>Session Seven: Global Workforce</p> <p>Students take on the role of international business owners reviewing the skills and experience of potential employees.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe how businesses can use modern technology and communication tools to locate highly qualified employees at the most advantageous wages Express specific steps that would need to be taken to obtain work in another country Recognize the value of a second language for future job opportunities 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>C.1 Students will understand the impact of origins, structures, and functions of institutions and laws on society and citizens. This includes personal civic rights, roles, responsibilities, and processes by which laws are made and amended.</p> <p>C.1.6.7 Analyze the impact of rules and laws on society and reasons people change rules and laws over time.</p> <p>C.1.7.7 Analyze rights, responsibilities, and privileges of citizens and non-citizens in the United States:</p> <p>G.1.6.8 Determine how environmental and cultural characteristics affected the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas in various regions of the world.</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>5.2.3 Identify leadership qualities and managerial skills, i.e. being a team player, showing eagerness for lifelong learning.</p> <p>4.4.1 Determine opportunity cost over a lifespan for achieving a personal career goal.</p> <p>4.4.2 Explain how distracters and barriers can hinder an individual from completing plans.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>	<p>NA</p>

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<p>Session One: Entrepreneurs</p> <p>Students learn about the relationship between entrepreneurs, their businesses, and the products and services they offer, and then take an entrepreneurial characteristics inventory to assess their own entrepreneurial skills and interests.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define entrepreneurship and social entrepreneurship ▪ Describe the relationship between a business and its products and service ▪ Identify entrepreneurial characteristics and recognize them, in varying degrees, in themselves 	<p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>2.3.2 Identify types of work schedules--self-employed (entrepreneur), part-time, full-time, temporary, seasonal, volunteer, flextime, and rotational.</p> <p>2.3.3 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of being employed in a non-traditional occupation.</p> <p>4.4.5 Identify the advantages and challenges of self-employment.</p> <p>5.2.3 Identify leadership qualities and managerial skills, i.e. being a team player, showing eagerness for lifelong learning.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>6.V.1,3-6</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.RC.8.RL</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Two: Market and Need</p> <p>Students are introduced to young entrepreneurs who have successfully met an identified market need, and then created a new product to meet the need. Students work in groups to brainstorm current needs within different product categories.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define market and need ▪ Explain the importance of identifying market and need when developing new product or service ideas 	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.1.1 Identify steps in a decision-making process.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.RC.8.RL</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.11-12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.7-8,11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Three: Innovative Ideas</p> <p>Students learn about innovative idea generation and examine cutting-edge products. Working in groups, students brainstorm their own product ideas and use graphic organizers to capture them.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain innovation and recognize it as a necessary entrepreneurial skill when starting a business ▪ Participate in creative idea generation, from brainstorming to defending and selecting an idea 	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-8.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.RC.8.RL 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-6 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-9,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Four: Testing the Market</p> <p>Students learn about the importance of obtaining market feedback about new product ideas. They will examine various survey question types and determine whether questions yield useful product feedback, and then practice developing survey questions in groups.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Discuss the importance of market research in the product development process ▪ Describe multiple types of survey questions 	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.RC.8.RL 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-9,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Five: Design and Prototype</p> <p>Students learn about product design and the prototype process. Each student will create a product sketch to show the features and explain the purpose of his or her product.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Represent a product idea and its features by using rough sketches and drawings ▪ Recognize sketches as an important first step in the prototype process 	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.RC.8.RL 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Six: Seek Funding</p> <p>Students learn how to plan and deliver a pitch presentation with the intent of attracting potential investors. In a mock competition, groups will pitch their product idea to guest judge(s) who will award teams with ceremonial startup funds.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the elements that make a strong pitch presentation ▪ Work together to create and deliver a product pitch for potential funding 	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.RC.8.RL 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.4,12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-9,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session One: My Brand</p> <p>Students learn that they have their own personal brand and that the brand they build today will reflect on them in the future. They examine well-known logos to learn how individuals and companies create their brands and build their reputations. They assess their personal characteristics to define their own brands and then develop logos to represent themselves.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the elements of a brand ▪ Recognize the ability of personal branding to build a positive reputation, for their personal life as well as for their future career ▪ Design a logo that expresses their personal brand 	<p>NA</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>5.1.4 Avoid projecting a negative social media image.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-9,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Two: Career Paths and Clusters</p> <p>Students are introduced to the 16 career clusters and the pathways through them. They take a career interest survey and learn about potential jobs within their preferred clusters. They then share job information with other members of the class and discuss the importance of all jobs within a community.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define careers cluster. ▪ Identify jobs in specific career clusters to explore further ▪ Recognize the interconnectivity and value of all types of jobs 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>2.1.1 Differentiate between the [Arkansas] Career fields and the career clusters associated with each field.</p> <p>2.1.2 Research and discuss the sixteen (16) Career Clusters using various sources of information.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.12.P 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-6 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Three: High-Growth Careers</p> <p>Students learn about the importance of being aware of which fields are growing and which are declining when making decisions about their own careers. They play a game that introduces information about high-growth job fields.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify specific careers that are forecast to have high-growth rates Consider a variety of factors when selecting a career 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-6 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Four: Career Mapping</p> <p>Students learn how early experiences can build transferable skills that contribute to future job success. Students look at the lives of celebrities and their paths to success, focusing on early experiences. They learn about career maps by examining a sample and then creating their own.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify jobs in specific career clusters that they would like to explore further Plan significant milestones they need to reach to earn a particular job 	<p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.2.2 Identify how choices effect future education and career plans.</p> <p>1.2.3 Explain the value of doing work well and creating opportunities for development and success in school and career.</p> <p>2.2.1 Describe the transferable skills needed when transitioning between careers and/or jobs.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p> <p>1.1.6 Identify how an individual's school experience connects to an individual's future success.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-12,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.4,12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-9,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Five: On the Hunt</p> <p>Students are introduced to the basics of looking for and applying and interviewing for a job. They play a game in which they must identify two truths and a myth about the job search process. They also learn the fundamentals of creating a resume and engage in simulation in which they identify appropriate skills for various jobs and decide upon the right section of a resume to highlight those skills.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize basic job-hunting techniques, including looking for a job, applying, interviewing, and listing references Recognize the importance of personal presentation and making a good impression, on paper and in person. Recognize the basic construction of a resume and skills that should be highlighted on a resume. 	<p>PF.1.El.2* Determine ways to locate and apply for a job by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completing a job search in an area of interest Completing a job application, cover letter, resume, and follow-up letter <p>PF.1.El.3* Evaluate ways to make positive impressions during a job interview</p>	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>4.3.1 Describe the components of a career portfolio.</p> <p>4.3.2 Create a career portfolio.</p> <p>5.1.1 Identify employment preparation activities (job application, resume, cover letter, follow-up letter.)</p> <p>5.1.6 Identify job search strategies and resources for finding job openings.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.9-11,14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.CC.11-12.P</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.V.1-5</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.7-8,11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Session Six: Soft Skills</p> <p>Students learn about the differences between technical and soft skills and why both are essential for keeping a job. Students will also complete a soft skills self-evaluation to determine which skills they already have and which they can work toward. Finally, they will role-play situations that require strong soft skills.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define and differentiate between technical skills and soft skills 	<p>PF.1.El.3* Evaluate ways to make positive impressions during a job interview</p> <p>PF.1.El.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communication Time Management Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>1.1.2 Evaluate how self-concept, self-esteem, and attitude could affect educational achievement.</p> <p>1.1.5 Recognize different personality types and the effect of different types working in the same environment.</p> <p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p>	<p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.CC.9-12,14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.V.1-4,6</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.CC.10-12.P</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.V.1-6</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.CC.7-9,11.P</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify specific soft skills they already possess and those they need to improve 		<p>1.1.8 Define emotional intelligence. Distinguish ways to handle positive and negative emotions.</p> <p>1.2.1 Catalogue successes and failures and then evaluate how to improve.</p> <p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>5.2.3 Identify leadership qualities and managerial skills, i.e. being a team player, showing eagerness for lifelong learning.</p>	<p>8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session One: Career Interests and Your Path</p> <p>Students understand the importance of career planning and complete a Career Interest Inventory to assess their own values, skills, and interests in the context of career paths.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consider their values, skills, and interests. Take a Career Interest Inventory. Relate their values, skills, interests, and Career Interest Inventory to future career opportunities. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>4.1.2 Explain how career planning can save time, energy and money.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.RC.12.RI 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-6 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.RC.11-12.RI 8.V.2-6 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S</p>
<p>Session Two: Career Planning and Your Path</p> <p>Students learn to recognize career clusters and focus on those tied to the results of their Career Interest Inventory. They explore the knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for their careers of interest, as well as the outlook for openings in those fields.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn why career planning is important. Recognize career clusters. Identify career clusters that match their skills and interests. Identify requirements to obtain jobs in fields of interest. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.2.EI.3* Analyze differences among salary, hourly, commission, and overtime pay</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.3 Develop a flowchart to outline the steps needed to achieve chosen career paths (e.g., trade school, associate's degree, bachelor's degree, master's degree, doctorate)</p>	<p>1.1.4 Identify lifestyle preference and write steps to achieve that lifestyle.</p> <p>1.2.2 Identify how choices effect future education and career plans.</p> <p>1.2.3 Explain the value of doing work well and creating opportunities for development and success in school and career.</p> <p>2.1.1 Differentiate between the [Arkansas] Career fields and the career clusters associated with each field.</p> <p>2.1.2 Research and discuss the sixteen (16) Career Clusters using various sources of information.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p> <p>4.1.2 Explain how career planning can save time, energy and money.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF 6.V.1-5 6.RC.12.RI 6.W.8,10,12.P 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-5 7.CC.12.P 7.L.1-10.S 7.L.11-15.C 7.W.4,10,12.P</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.RC.11-12.RI 8.V.2-6 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.W.4,10.P 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Three: Preparing to Meet Your Future</p> <p>Students learn how awareness of their values, skills, and interests helps guide them to a career that is meaningful, enjoyable, and positioned for success. They learn about soft skills and explore education and training requirements in their fields of interest.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand why it's important to choose a career where they can be successful and develop a career plan. Practice soft skills. Recognize education and training requirements and opportunities for careers of interest. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p> <p>3.3.1 Compare and contrast postsecondary options leading to a career goal.</p> <p>4.1.3 Explore the education and training requirements to meet certain job qualifications.</p> <p>4.2.2 Identify training requirements or extended learning opportunities for entrance into the workforce for a chosen career focus.</p> <p>4.2.3 Identify viable pathways of study with postsecondary education and training opportunities for a chosen career focus.</p> <p>4.2.4 Demonstrate understanding of employment requirements concerning degrees, certifications, licenses, diplomas, experience, and job skills.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-6</p> <p>6.RC.12.RI</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.RC.11.RI</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.RC.11-12.RI</p> <p>8.V.2-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p>

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<p>Session Four: Local Business Means Opportunity</p> <p>Students learn about their local economy. They review the list of JA Inspire Virtual career fair exhibitors and the website of their local Chamber of Commerce and look for common themes, such as career clusters. They identify companies they would like to visit during the virtual career fair.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize traits of their local economy. Identify common career clusters in their area and among JA Inspire Virtual exhibitors. Create a list of exhibitors to visit during JA Inspire Virtual. 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p> <p>E.1.6.6 Evaluate the emergence of new economic systems and their impact on civilizations (e.g., manorialism, mercantilism).</p> <p>E.1.AR.H.5 Analyze the local, regional, national, and global economic impact of Arkansas businesses and industries, including agriculture, tourism, timber, technology, medical and scientific research, and finance.</p> <p>E.1.AR.H.6 Investigate Arkansas’s global economic contributions through educational and humanitarian efforts such as the Fulbright Institute, Clinton School of Public Service, Heifer International, Walton Family Foundation, Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation, and other corporate and private foundations.</p>	<p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>2.3.2 Identify types of work schedules--self-employed (entrepreneur), part-time, full-time, temporary, seasonal, volunteer, flextime, and rotational.</p> <p>2.3.3 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of being employed in a non-traditional occupation.</p> <p>4.2.2 Identify training requirements or extended learning opportunities for entrance into the workforce for a chosen career focus.</p> <p>4.2.4 Demonstrate understanding of employment requirements concerning degrees, certifications, licenses, diplomas, experience, and job skills.</p> <p>4.4.4 Identify economic conditions that may affect career plans.</p> <p>4.4.5 Identify the advantages and challenges of self-employment.</p> <p>5.2.2 Explain the value of volunteering to gain experience, develop work relationships, including seeking mentorship, and obtain recommendations for jobs.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-5</p> <p>6.RC.12.RI</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.W.8,10,12.P</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.RC.11.RI</p> <p>7.V.1-5</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>7.W.4,10.P</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.RC.11-12.RI</p> <p>8.V.2-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.W.4,10.P</p>

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<p>Session Five: Learn from the Experts</p> <p>Students review the speakers and webinars available at the JA Inspire Virtual career fair, create a list of at least three to view, and define what they would like to learn from them.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify relevant JA Inspire Virtual speakers and webinars to attend. Note facts about the speakers and topics of webinars they will attend. Develop questions to consider when watching the speakers and webinars. 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>E.1.ARH.5 Analyze the local, regional, national, and global economic impact of Arkansas businesses and industries, including agriculture, tourism, timber, technology, medical and scientific research, and finance.</p> <p>E.1.ARH.6 Investigate Arkansas’s global economic contributions through educational and humanitarian efforts such as the Fulbright Institute, Clinton School of Public Service, Heifer International, Walton Family Foundation, Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation, and other corporate and private foundations.</p> <p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p>	<p>3.2.3 Identify resources needed to meet personal goals.</p> <p>3.3.1 Compare and contrast postsecondary options leading to a career goal.</p> <p>3.3.2 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of decisions when determining a tentative career goal.</p> <p>4.1.2 Explain how career planning can save time, energy and money.</p> <p>4.1.3 Explore the education and training requirements to meet certain job qualifications.</p> <p>5.2.2 Explain the value of volunteering to gain experience, develop work relationships, including seeking mentorship, and obtain recommendations for jobs.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF</p> <p>6.V.3-6</p> <p>6.RC.12.RI</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.RC.11.RI</p> <p>7.V.1-6</p> <p>7.W.12.P</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.RC.11-12.RI</p> <p>8.V.2-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p>
<p>Session Six: Welcome to JA Inspire Virtual</p> <p>Students attend the JA Inspire Virtual Career fair.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit exhibits at JA Inspire Virtual. Attend speeches and webinars at JA Inspire Virtual. Complete the What I Learned section of the chart from their Learn from the Experts worksheet 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.6 Identify how an individual's school experience connects to an individual's future success.</p> <p>3.3.1 Compare and contrast postsecondary options leading to a career goal.</p> <p>3.3.2 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of decisions when determining a tentative career goal.</p> <p>4.1.2 Explain how career planning can save time, energy and money.</p> <p>4.1.3 Explore the education and training requirements to meet certain job qualifications.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF</p> <p>6.V.1-5</p> <p>6.RC.12.RI</p> <p>6.W.8,10,12.P</p> <p>6.CC.14.P</p> <p>6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>6.L.7-10.C</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF</p> <p>7.RC.11.RI</p> <p>7.V.1-5</p> <p>7.CC.12.P</p> <p>7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>7.W.4,10,12.P</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF</p> <p>8.RC.11-12.RI</p> <p>8.V.2-6</p> <p>8.CC.11.P</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p> <p>8.W.4,10.P</p>

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<p>Session Seven: JA Inspire Personal Reflection</p> <p>Students reflect on what they have learned and identify next steps to further define their academic choices and career path.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluate personal goals and priorities based on their experience at the JA Inspire Virtual event. Identify next steps, including exploration of high school coursework and other research. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.3 Develop a [flowchart] to outline the steps needed to achieve chosen career paths (e.g., trade school, associate’s degree, bachelor’s degree, master’s degree, doctorate)</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p> <p>3.3.1 Compare and contrast postsecondary options leading to a career goal.</p>	<p>6.RC.2-3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.RC.12.RI 6.W.8,12.P 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-6 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.1-10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.RC.11.RI 8.V.2-6 8.RC.12.RI 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S</p>

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<p>Pre-Fair Session: What Sets You Apart?</p> <p>Students reflect on their abilities, interests, and values as they consider future career choices.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define careers. Differentiate between abilities (skills) and values. Identify their personal characteristics. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.EI.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.3 Identify values and the effect they have in choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one’s own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p>	<p>6.V.1-5</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.V.1-4</p> <p>7.RC.8.RL</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.L.10.S</p> <p>8.V.1-5</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p>
<p>The Day of the Fair</p> <p>Students will visit seven speakers from the community who will give brief presentations about their jobs, allowing time for students to ask questions.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete one pre-fair activity (teacher-led) (optional). Express how jobs require specific interests and skills. Complete one post-fair activity (teacher-led) (optional). Complete a student evaluation, if requested. 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>E.1.ARH.5 Analyze the local, regional, national, and global economic impact of Arkansas businesses and industries, including agriculture, tourism, timber, technology, medical and scientific research, and finance.</p> <p>E.1.ARH.6 Investigate Arkansas’s global economic contributions through educational and humanitarian efforts such as the Fulbright Institute, Clinton School of Public Service, Heifer International, Walton Family Foundation, Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation, and other corporate and private foundations.</p> <p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.2 Explore opportunities for internships, job shadowing, and real-world experiences to determining future career paths</p>	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one’s own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>1.2.3 Explain the value of doing work well and creating opportunities for development and success in school and career.</p> <p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>3.3.2 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of decisions when determining a tentative career goal.</p> <p>5.2.2 Explain the value of volunteering to gain experience, develop work relationships, including seeking mentorship, and obtain recommendations for jobs.</p>	<p>6.V.1-5</p> <p>6.CC.1-7.SLC</p> <p>6.W.13.R</p> <p>6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.V.1-4</p> <p>7.RC.8.RL</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>7.W.4.P</p> <p>7.W.13.R</p> <p>7.L.10.S</p> <p>8.V.1-5</p> <p>8.W.4.P</p> <p>8.W.13.R</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC</p> <p>8.L.1-8.S</p>

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<p>Post-Fair Session</p> <p>Students reflect on their JA Career Exploration Fair experiences.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify a future career goal. ▪ Create a personal action plan. 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.2.2 Identify how choices effect future education and career plans.</p> <p>1.2.3 Explain the value of doing work well and creating opportunities for development and success in school and career.</p> <p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>3.2.1 Describe the structure of setting short, medium, and long-term goals.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p> <p>3.3.2 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of decisions when determining a tentative career goal.</p>	<p>6.RC.1.RF 6.V.1-5 6.RC.12.RI 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.W.13.R 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.RC.1.RF 7.V.1-4 7.RC.8.RL 7.W.4.P 7.W.13.R 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.L.10.S</p> <p>8.RC.6.RL 8.RC.1.RF 8.V.1-5 8.RC.12.RI 8.W.4.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.L.10-15.C 8.L.1-8.S</p>

JA Career Speaker Series

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<p>Session One: Before the Event</p> <p>Students research the visiting career speaker and his or her company, and prepare questions for the speaker event.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify skills and interests. ▪ Recognize Career Clusters ▪ Recall future high-demand occupations 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.El.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.1.El.2* Determine ways to locate and apply for a job by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completing a job search in an area of interest • Completing a job application, cover letter, resume, and follow-up letter <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.1.1 Identify interests (likes, dislikes, strengths, weaknesses, wants, and needs) and examine how that will affect choosing a career.</p> <p>1.1.3 Identify values and the effect they have in choosing a career.</p> <p>2.1.1 Differentiate between the [Arkansas] Career fields and the career clusters associated with each field.</p> <p>2.1.2 Research and discuss the sixteen (16) Career Clusters using various sources of information.</p> <p>4.3.1 Describe the components of a career portfolio.</p> <p>5.1.6 Identify job search strategies and resources for finding job openings.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-5 6.CC.7.SLC 6.W.13.R 6.CC.-71.SLC 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4 7.RC.8.RL 7.W.4.P 7.W.13.R 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.L.10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-5 8.W.4.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.L.1-8.S</p>
<p>Session Two: During the Event</p> <p>Students learn about the guest speaker’s job experiences and stories, ask questions, and take notes.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Practice active listening skills. ▪ Equate job responsibilities with skills and interests 	<p>Social Studies</p> <p>E.1.ARH.5 Analyze the local, regional, national, and global economic impact of Arkansas businesses and industries,</p> <p>E.1.ARH.6 Investigate Arkansas’s global economic contributions through educational and humanitarian efforts such as the Fulbright Institute, Clinton School of Public Service, Heifer International, Walton Family Foundation, Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation, and other corporate and private foundations.</p> <p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p> <p>PF.3.CCP.2 Explore opportunities for internships, job shadowing, and real-world experiences to determining future career paths</p>	<p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p> <p>5.2.2 Explain the value of volunteering to gain experience, develop work relationships, including seeking mentorship, and obtain recommendations for jobs.</p>	<p>6.W.13.R 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S 6.V.1-4</p> <p>7.W.4.P 7.W.13.R 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.L.10.S 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.W.4.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-5</p>

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<p>Session Three: After the Event</p> <p>Students reflect on what they learned during their preparation and the speaker event.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize Career Clusters 	<p>Personal Finance</p> <p>PF.1.El.1* Explain factors that influence career and job selection</p> <p>PF.1.El.2* Determine ways to locate and apply for a job by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completing a job search in an area of interest Completing a job application, cover letter, resume, and follow-up letter <p>PF.3.CCP.1 Explore potential careers (including an employment forecast) and the steps needed to achieve them based on interests and/or talents</p>	<p>1.2.2 Identify how choices effect future education and career plans.</p> <p>1.2.3 Explain the value of doing work well and creating opportunities for development and success in school and career.</p> <p>2.1.1 Differentiate between the [Arkansas] Career fields and the career clusters associated with each field.</p> <p>2.1.2 Research and discuss the sixteen (16) Career Clusters using various sources of information.</p> <p>2.1.3 Analyze pertinent facts that pertain to job growth and career opportunities in the pathways.</p> <p>5.1.1 Identify employment preparation activities (job application, resume, cover letter, follow-up letter.)</p>	<p>6.W.2.S 6.W.4-5,7-8,12.P 6.V.1,3 6.W.13.R 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.W.2.S 7.W.4-5,7-8,12.P 7.W.13.R 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.L.10.S 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.W.2.S 8.W.4-5,7-8,12.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>

JA Excellence through Ethics

Session Descriptions	Social Studies Standards	Career Development Standards	Arkansas ELA Standards
<p>Day of the Visit</p> <p>Students are introduced to the concept of ethics, participate in a demonstration of why ethics are important to discuss, examine their core values, and explore how we are all interdependent on the choices we each make.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define ethics, ethical dilemma, values, core values, and interdependence. ▪ Articulate how one's core values affects one's choices. ▪ Articulate and identify the steps necessary to make ethical decisions. ▪ Recognize that individual ethics affect the greater community. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>3.1.1 Identify steps in a decision-making process.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>3.2.4 Describe how personal values affect decisions due to conflicting demands.</p> <p>4.4.5 Identify the advantages and challenges of self-employment.</p> <p>5.1.3 Recognize appropriate professional technology etiquette, i.e. social media.</p> <p>5.1.4 Avoid projecting a negative social media image.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-5 6.CC.1-8.SLC 6.CC.9-11.P 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4 7.RC.8.RL 7.W.4.P 7.CC.1-6.SLC 7.CC.11.P 7.L.10.S</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-5 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-6.SLC 8.CC.7-8.P 8.L.1-8.S</p>
<p>Reflection Activity</p> <p>Students will reflect and discuss what they've learning after interacting with the volunteer, a local business professional who articulated how and why professionals make ethical choices and decisions regarding relationships, the work environment, and life.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply key terms and concepts used in the volunteer-led activities. ▪ Use intentional, ethical decision-making skills to consider outcomes and consequences of choices. ▪ Self-examine to develop a personal awareness of values to begin to see the connection between their words and actions. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-8.SLC 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.CC.1-6.SLC 7.L.10.S 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.CC.1-6.SLC 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>

JA It's My Job (Soft Skills)

Session Descriptions	Personal Finance Standards	Career Development Standards	Arkansas ELA Standards
<p>Communicating About Yourself</p> <p>Students learn what their dress, speech, and listening skills communicate to others about them.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize the importance of manners as an element of professionalism. Identify language and style appropriate for the workplace. 	<p>PF.1.EI.3* Evaluate ways to make positive impressions during a job interview</p> <p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communication Time Management Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>1.1.5 Recognize different personality types and the effect of different types working in the same environment.</p> <p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p>	<p>6.RC.3.RF 6.V.1-5 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,13-14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.W.4,12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.3.RF 8.V.1-5 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-7,10-11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>
<p>Applications and Resumes</p> <p>Students examine both document forms and begin to think about how to adapt their experiences, skills, and achievements into the applicable template to present themselves to a potential employer.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify information necessary for a job application. Recognize key features and formatting of resumes. Use appropriate language for a resume. 	<p>PF.1.EI.2* Determine ways to locate and apply for a job by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completing a job search in an area of interest Completing a job application, cover letter, resume, and follow-up letter 	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p> <p>5.1.1 Identify employment preparation activities (job application, resume, cover letter, follow-up letter.)</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.W.4.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.W.12.P 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.10-15.C 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>

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<p>Interviewing for a Job</p> <p>Students complete an activity and track their accomplishments in a “brag sheet.” Additional activities are available in which students develop a personal profile that will help them succeed during an interview and practice mock interviews.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify appropriate content for a personal brag sheet ▪ Adapt personal information to interview situations. ▪ Develop answers to common interview questions. ▪ Recognize appropriate professional dress and demeanor for a job interview. 	<p>PF.1.EI.3* Evaluate ways to make positive impressions during a job interview</p>	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one’s own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>2.2.2 Compare and contrast skills necessary for specific careers.</p> <p>4.1.1 Explain how career planning is a lifelong process beginning early in life.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,13-14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.W.4.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.W.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,10-11.P 8.L.10-15.C 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>
<p>Cell Phones in the Workplace</p> <p>Students develop an understanding of appropriate communication methods to ensure workplace success.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize and identify appropriate and inappropriate uses of cell phones in the workplace. ▪ Identify the effects of inappropriate usage of cell phones in the workplace. ▪ Adapt cell phone behavior and functions for professional uses. ▪ Recognize and apply appropriate texting style for communicating in the workplace. 	<p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication • Time Management • Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one’s own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p> <p>5.1.3 Recognize appropriate professional technology etiquette, i.e. social media.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.W.8,12.P 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>

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<p>Workplace Communication</p> <p>Students complete activities focused on appropriate tone and topics for the workplace and strategies for collaborating effectively.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify and use an appropriate professional tone in workplace communication. ▪ Identify appropriate and inappropriate subjects for workplace discussion. ▪ Enable cooperative and productive group interactions. ▪ Communicate to solve problems collaboratively and respectfully. 	<p>PF.1.EI.3* Evaluate ways to make positive impressions during a job interview</p> <p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication • Time Management • Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>1.1.7 Develop the essential/soft skills and abilities needed to be successful in a career. (i.e. being on time; listening; knowing when to ask questions; understanding role on team; following directions; work ethic; good attitude; the ability to be coached; taking responsibility for one's own actions and choices; interacting with management.</p> <p>1.3.1 Evaluate the rewards/consequences of behavior towards others.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.3.1 Demonstrate understanding of the changing workplace due to the global economy and improvements in technology.</p>	<p>6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.W.8,12.P 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.10-12.P 7.W.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.V.1-3,5</p>
<p>Workplace Writing</p> <p>Students practice writing concisely, clearly, and correctly, with appropriate workplace style.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use proper spelling, grammar, and punctuation in the workplace. ▪ List best practices for effective business writing. ▪ Use clear language and appropriate style for written communication in the workplace. ▪ Identify important ideas and express them clearly and concisely in writing. 	<p>PF.1.EI.5* Summarize skills needed to be successful in the workplace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication • Time Management • Basic Employer Expectations 	<p>NA</p>	<p>6.W.8,10,12.P 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.V.1,3</p> <p>7.W.4,10,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C 7.V.1-4</p> <p>8.W.4,10.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,10-11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C 8.V.1-3,5</p>

JA Company Program Pop Up

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<p>Session One: Pop-Up Warm-Up</p> <p>This meeting introduces the Pop-Up program experience and reviews the milestones related to the project. The entrepreneurial mindset and characteristics are explored to guide students in envisioning the pop-up experience through the eyes of an entrepreneur. Finally, students review the primary business goal for the pop-up project and discuss how to set business success goals and personal growth goals.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain what a pop-up business is and its intended purpose. ▪ Document goals for the pop-up business in S.M.A.R.T. goal-writing format that reflect business planning elements. ▪ Recognize the entrepreneurial characteristics that an entrepreneur must possess to achieve a successful business venture. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.2 Discover and interpret ways to earn respect.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>2.3.2 Identify types of work schedules--self-employed (entrepreneur), part-time, full-time, temporary, seasonal, volunteer, flextime, and rotational.</p> <p>2.3.3 Identify the advantages and disadvantages of being employed in a non-traditional occupation.</p> <p>3.2.1 Describe the structure of setting short, medium, and long-term goals.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.2.RF 6.V.1-5 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P 6.L.6.S</p> <p>7.W.2-3.S 7.W.4-5,7-8,12.P 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-4,6 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.11.RI 8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Two: Doing the Research</p> <p>This meeting focuses on the main goal for the pop-up business: making a profit. Students will examine the factors of the profit equation and learn about what they need to consider when determining a pricing strategy for achieving their goal. They also will define their target audience and explore the importance of market research for ensuring that their product meets customers’ needs. They will prepare market research surveys and conduct independent market research that they will analyze in Meeting Three.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the elements of the profit equation and understand how to calculate profit. ▪ Explain what a target audience is. ▪ Recognize the importance of the customers’ wants and needs related to the business’s goals. ▪ Identify appropriate market research techniques to use when collecting information. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.1,3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.W.13,15.R 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.3.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.W.1-2.S 7.W.5,7-8,12.P 7.W.13.R 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.11-15.C 7.L.8-10.S</p> <p>8.RC.1,3.RF 8.V.1-6 8.W.4,9.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.CC.8.P 8.L.10-15.C 8.L.1-8.S</p>

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<p>Session Three: Defining the Pop-Up Structure</p> <p>During this meeting, students review the market research data they have compiled and look for patterns to inform their decision making as they plan their pop-up business. Then, students explore the different roles and responsibilities of the pop-up company and evaluate their own personal skills and interests to determine what role they will assume during their pop-up experience.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze market research data to make planning decisions about the pop-up business to maximize sales. ▪ Describe the different roles and responsibilities necessary to organize and run a pop-up business. ▪ Reflect on personal strengths and weaknesses to determine a personal role on the pop-up team. ▪ Draft a timeline of tasks and associated due dates needed to meet the company's goals. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.1.1 Identify steps in a decision-making process.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.1.RF 6.V.1-6 6.W.13,15.R 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.1.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.W.4,12.P 7.W.13.R 7.W.1.S 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.1.RF 8.V.1-6 8.W.4,9.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Four: The Ps of Pop-Up</p> <p>This meeting introduces students to the Four Ps of marketing (Product, Price, Place, and Promotion), which act as the framework for their pop-up business planning tasks. Students explore which factors to consider when making the important decision of where to locate the pop-up business, and they learn about merchandising, product display, and store layout as important elements of marketing strategy to maximize sales.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the importance of the four 4 Ps of the marketing mix related to a pop-up business. ▪ Identify the location for the pop-up business to include dates and hours of operation for the Place "P" detail of the marketing mix. ▪ Design an optimal layout for a pop-up business that will maximize sales. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p>	<p>6.RC.1-2.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.1.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-4,6 7.V.2 7.V.3 7.V.4 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.1.RF 8.RC.11.RI 8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Five: Creating the Buzz</p> <p>This meeting focuses on selecting a price for the product or service, as well as promotional strategies for attracting attention to the pop-up store. Students will determine their expenses and the revenue necessary to break even so that they can set a price for their product that will achieve their profit goal. Additionally, they will determine how to promote their business and will work on tasks for advertising.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Formulate the appropriate price for their product to achieve the pop-up store’s monetary goal. ▪ Design promotional strategies and materials to attract interest in the pop-up business. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.1-3.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.W.13,15.R 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.1,3.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-4,6 7.W.4,12.P 7.W.13.R 7.W.1.S 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.1,3.RF 8.RC.11.RI 8.V.1-6 8.W.4,9.P 8.W.13.R 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Six: Open for Business!</p> <p>In this meeting, students explore essential customer service and sales skills to use while their pop-up store is operating. Additionally, they review and finalize all logistics necessary to launch and open the store.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Select appropriate sales strategies to use while interacting with customers during pop-up store sales. ▪ Practice excellent retail customer care skills to maximize the pop-up store’s sales potential to reach its business goals. ▪ Resolve final logistics before launching the pop-up business, including transaction types, starting cash, inventory tracking, and staffing schedule. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.1.1 Identify steps in a decision-making process.</p> <p>3.1.3 Recognize that decision-making often involves conflicts and compromise.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.1.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.1.RF 7.V.1-4,6 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.1.RF 8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>

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<p>Session Seven: Pop-Up Wrap-Up</p> <p>This meeting guides students through the final tasks necessary to close the popup business, reconcile the finances, and determine the business’s final profit. Students will use the final metrics and the intangible lessons they learned to discuss best practices for future businesses and to assess whether they achieved their business and personal goals. Finally, students deliver the pop-up store’s proceeds to their charitable recipient and celebrate their accomplishments.</p> <p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Complete the tasks to calculate final sales and profit and close out the business. ▪ Analyze final sales information and compare it to the pop-up business’s initial profit goal. ▪ Assess company and personal goals to determine successes and areas for improvement. 	<p>E.1 Students will understand the impact of economic decision-making. This includes the exchange of goods and services; role of producers, consumers, and government in the marketplace; and growth, stability, and interdependence within a global economy.</p>	<p>1.2.1 Catalogue successes and failures and then evaluate how to improve.</p> <p>1.2.4 Demonstrate how pride in your work produces personal satisfaction and success.</p> <p>1.3.3 Explain how respect plays a positive role in interacting with diverse groups essential to achieving success.</p> <p>3.2.2 Define goals.</p>	<p>6.RC.1-2.RF 6.V.1-6 6.CC.1-7.SLC 6.CC.9-11,14.P 6.L.1-6.S 6.L.7-10.C 6.W.8,12.P</p> <p>7.RC.1.RF 7.RC.11.RI 7.V.1-4,6 7.W.4,12.P 7.CC.1-5.SLC 7.CC.11-12.P 7.L.8-10.S 7.L.11-15.C</p> <p>8.RC.1.RF 8.RC.11.RI 8.V.1-6 8.W.4.P 8.CC.1-5.SLC 8.CC.7-8,11.P 8.L.1-8.S 8.L.10-15.C</p>