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DOLLARS WITH SENSE

Grades 7-9



Financial Health

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Students gain essential personal money management skills and learn how to apply them in everyday life, building financial confidence and preparing for real-world decisions that support long-term success.

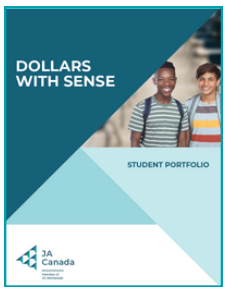
Program Length: 4 hours
Program Format: In-Class or Online
Supports Curriculum: Math, Career Education
Provided Resources: Classroom presentation, interactive digital resources, and a physical kit or resources for activities/games*

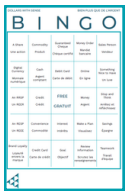
*physical kit for in-class/in-person programs

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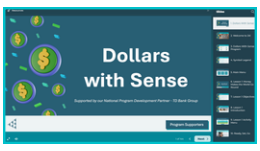
What will students do and learn?

- Analyze scenarios to determine the best method of payment
- Work as a group to develop a project budget for an event
- Learn about different investing and savings vehicles and the factors that influence market value
- Explore the role of interest in making wise spending and saving decisions
- Explore how certain actions and decisions can impact credit scores











> These foundational lessons go beyond dollars and cents, they are about preparing youth to make confident, smart and empowered decisions for the future.
>
> Grade 7 Teacher



How do I access this JA program?

Step 1

Enrol at jabc.org/connect.

Step 2

A JABC team member will follow up to coordinate details for teacher-led programs or to coordinate a volunteer to facilitate the program. Volunteer availability may vary by location.

Step 3

Access the online resources for your program on jacampus.org and receive a physical kit mailed directly to your school. If a volunteer will be facilitating the program, these details will be shared with the volunteer.

Access to online resources requires setting up a free JA ID and using a program access code (provided by your local JA office).

27,000+

youth participated in this program during the 2025-26 year.

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to learn about JA program options for students in grades 3-12.

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