



First Ever JA INSPIRE

Participating in JA INSPIRE as an exhibitor was valuable for my business/organization because...



Responses from Exhibitor Evaluations

- I was able to introduce Sephora Inside JCPenney to students who never had heard of it. Role playing gave them better interview skills to make them viable candidates for the future.
- Youth will be the next [National Park Service] employees.
- It gives student awareness of [Hampden County Sheriff's Department] and what we offer as a good career choice!
- We were able to interact with the students and created brand awareness.

The most important thing I learned today was...

Responses from Student Evaluations

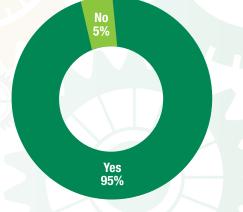
- There are so many more careers than I thought.
 An anonymous 7th grade student
- Get a job you will enjoy and be happy with, and work to your potential.
 - -A West Springfield High School 9th grade student
- To take opportunities.
 - -A Duggan Academy 10th grade student
- To have confidence and be open minded.
 - -An anonymous 12th grade student

Students spinning the wheel to learn about what the National Park Service does.





Would you recommend the JA INSPIRE event to a friend?
Student Responses





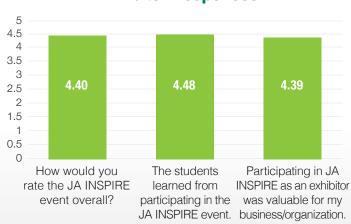




Students visiting with the staff and animals of the Forest Park Zoo.

Likert Scale Rating Where 1 is unsatisfactory/strongly disagree and 5 is outstanding/strongly agree

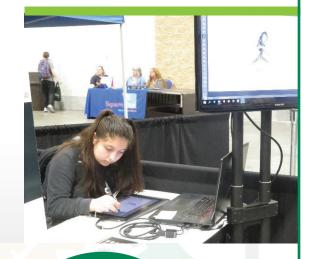
JA INSPIRE 2019 Likert Scale Questions: Exhibitor Responses



How did your students benefit from participating in JA INSPIRE?

- Students were INSPIREd to explore the many fields of study and opportunities available. They were able to see where their studies currently would apply later. They had the ability to see jobs have many facets.
 - -Teacher at St. Thomas the Apostle School
- JA helped students to begin thinking about their future plans in a concrete manner.
 - -Teacher at Palmer High School
- They asked good questions and the presenters were engaging and got them talking.
 - -Teacher from Southwick-Tolland-Granville Regional School

Student trying out the design software with Elms College Graphic Design.





Would you recommend the JA INSPIRE event to a friend, colleague, or another school?

Teacher Responses

