

Introduction to JA BizTown

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This year, our class is participating in an exciting Junior Achievement program called JA BizTown. The students will receive several weeks of lessons in the classroom, teaching them how to get a job, how to run a business, and how money works. At the end of the lessons, the students will be visiting the McGrath Family JA BizTown facility on Mon., 2/8/16 (date).

This visit will provide students with an opportunity to apply what they have learned in a simulated professional work environment. Each student will assume a job, produce and/or sell products, receive two paychecks, work with a business team to repay a business loan, shop, and manage a personal bank account.

We Need YOU!

To make this a successful day for the students, we need **26 to 38 adult** **volunteers** to accompany us to the McGrath Family JA BizTown.

Volunteers are required to attend a training to learn how to assist the students throughout the day and make sure they get the most out of the experience. The training at the McGrath Family JA BizTown facility will be 1.5 hours before the students arrive. You will then be with the students for 4.5 hours, the total time commitment equaling 6 hours. **You need to be there at 7:45 am.**

We look forward to participating in this exciting educational opportunity and hope that you join us as a volunteer during the JA BizTown visit. Help us make a lasting impact on our students' lives!

With Appreciation,

(Teacher's Signature)

For more information, please visit the Junior Achievement website at www.jasandiego.org