



JA Company Program Student Application

The JA Company Program is available to all 9th – 12th grade students.

In partnership with the **ACU Griggs Center for Entrepreneurship**, Junior Achievement will offer an **after-school program** on the ACU Campus on Monday afternoons (4:15 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.) during the Spring 2017 semester (January 23rd – May 8th).

All students are allowed **up to 2 absences** and still be able to complete the JA Company Program.

All students who complete the JA Company Program are allowed to (1) compete in the ACU Spring Board Competition as a JA start-up and (2) apply for a local JA Scholarship in the spring semester of their senior year.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS DECEMBER 16, 2016!

All applications should be submitted to ja@jaabilene.org. Applications may be submitted by an educator on behalf of the student applicant(s).

Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

High School _____

Date of Birth: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Name(s): _____

Parents'/Guardians' E-mail: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Daytime Phone Number: _____

The JA Company Program will meet on the following Mondays during the 2017 spring semester: 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13, 2/27, 3/6, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, & 5/8



FAMILY COMMITMENT: This application must be approved by your parent/guardian. Their signature signifies that they fully recommend your inclusion in the program and support the time you will have to spend in activities associated with the JA Company Program. Your parent/guardian also gives permission to Junior Achievement and the ACU Griggs Center or any entities acting upon their behalf, to use your name and likeness in any and all publicity about the JA Company Program.

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date _____

APPLICANT'S AGREEMENT: I promise that all information provided within this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I also agree to the list of commitments required by each participant.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

EDUCATOR'S RECOMMENDATION: As a teacher, coach, sponsor, or counselor of the applicant, I attest that the student applying for the JA Company Program is, in fact, a high school student in the 2016-2017 school year and the fits the expectation of representing our academic organization in such a program. I recommend the applicant to be part of the JA Company Program.

Educator's Signature _____ Date _____

PARTICIPANT COMMITMENT: The JA Company Program is designed to provide a relevant and authentic learning experience for young people that fosters innovation, ingenuity and a strong entrepreneurial workforce in America.

1. If selected, I understand that only two absences are allowed and that I must attend at least twelve (12) of the fourteen (14) JA Company Program sessions.
2. If selected, I understand that sessions begin at 4:15 p.m. sharp and will end by 6:15 p.m.
3. If selected, I understand that there will be certain rules of conduct to follow. If I am caught acting in an inappropriate way, I understand that the program sponsors may contact my school and my parents/guardians to report my conduct. If I am a consistent disruption to the program because of my behavior, I understand that I will be asked to leave the program.
4. If selected, I understand that I will be asked to follow a dress code consistent with that of my school district during the sessions.
5. I verify that I am currently a student in high school for the 2016-17 school year at (school name) _____.