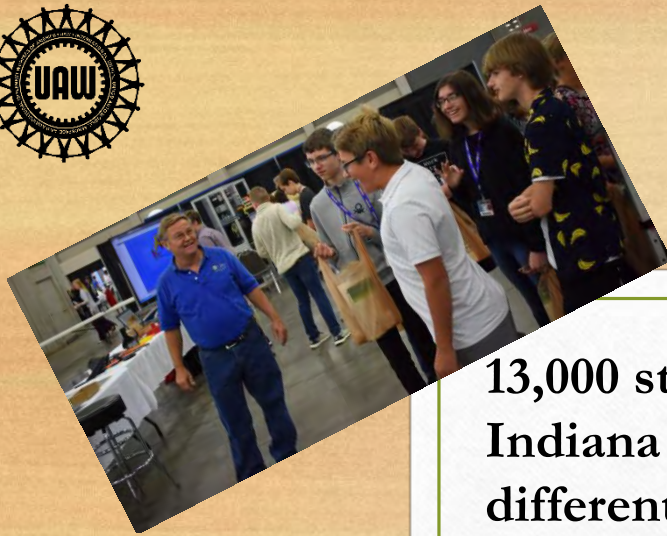




2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire



13,000 students from 6 counties in Kentucky and 3 counties in Indiana that included 18 school districts which equated to 71 different schools attended the 2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire. 125 exhibit stations that explored opportunities in five industry sector. They included:

- Manufacturing, Engineering, STEM, Skilled Trades
- Business and Information Technology
- Health Services
- Education, Law, Human Services
- Communications, Arts, Hospitality





2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire



JA Inspire is a powerful, interactive experience for eighth and ninth grade students. It enables local business partners in the community to interact with students which is basically a recruitment ground for an opportunity to create interest with students for their future.

This also allows students to get a hands on chance to see what is available for them. It allows them to ask questions and map their future path ways.





2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire



The students are given a workbook that acts as a rubric to guide the students to explore the pathways that they are interested in. They have videos that help start them on their career journey. They are given example questions and training on how to conduct themselves in a professional manner. They document their experiences in the workbook and are required to turn it in for their grade.



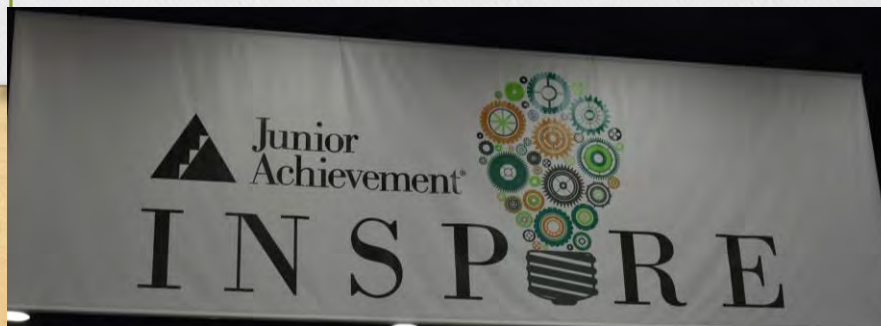


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They are given tools for their “career toolbox”. One in particular is the KentuckianaWorks Career Calculator. A free online tool that provides the latest job and education data for the Louisville Region. It is searchable by occupation, college major and income, and will help the students make informed decisions for their path ways.

CareerCalculator.org





2019 Junior Achievement A Inspire



An AMAZING All-Star team!

- Bill Sharp
- Chuck Billingsley
- Greg Fitzgerald
- Wayne McKinney
- Ed Combs
- Tommy Ramey
- Phil Smith





2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire



Special THANKS to Town & Country Ford providing the New 2020 Ford Escape. The teachers absolutely LOVE it!





2019 Junior Achievement JA Inspire



The hit of the show was UAW Local 862 President Todd Dunn's Ford Mustang GT. We fired it up a few times each day and the students literally came running to the booth. So many said they wanted a Mustang when they grow up, to which we responded get you a good job, come and work for the UAW/Ford!!





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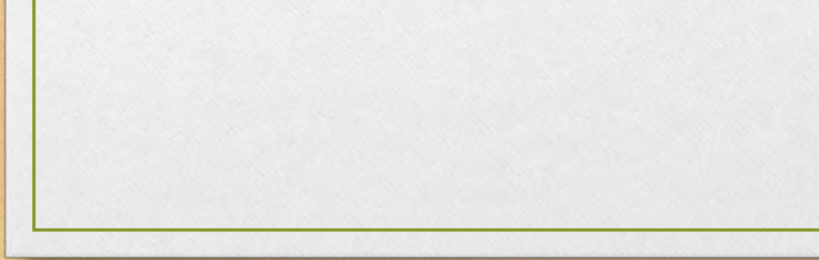
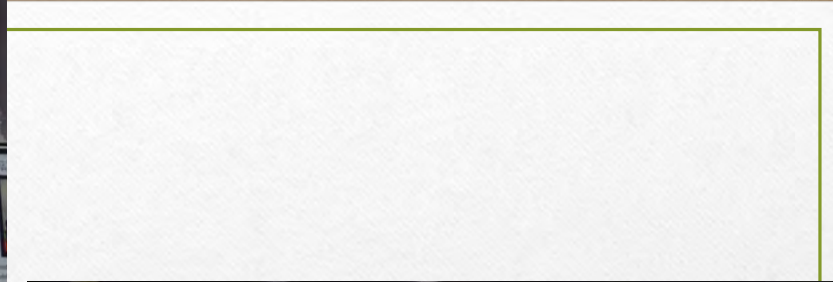


JA Inspire is so important that UAW Local 862 Retiree Chair Steve Stone actually brought his granddaughter from another school district to see the event. He has played a big part of this and Junior Achievement over the years and that is very much appreciated!





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Can't take Ed
anywhere without
making a mess.
He claims that he
was attacked by
BBQ
sauce.....but
the rest of us
know better!!!!

