

## **JA Our Nation®**

## Resources Overview | 2019

The *JA Our Nation* kit-based program introduces students to the intersection of work readiness and fifth-grade social studies learning objectives, including how the free market system serves as an economic engine for business and careers. The *JA Our Nation* Resources course includes optional digital assets for some kit items that can be used in classrooms equipped with basic technology, such as a smartboard or a projector with screen and a laptop. Volunteer resource videos are also available within the course to assist volunteers in preparing for their sessions.





## **Resource Instructions for Volunteers and Teachers**

Go to JA Connect, the JA learning platform, at <a href="https://learn.ja.org">https://learn.ja.org</a>. Log in with your username and password provided to you from the local JA Staff. If you don't have credentials, please contact your JA staff. Select *JA Our Nation* under My JA Courses—Resources. Under Digital Assets, select an item from the menu.

For each digital asset, select the green title. Next, select the play button to launch. It will open in a new tab.

Username: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

Session	<b>Digital Asset</b> (with corresponding kit item number)	Instructions
Sessions One–Five	Vocabulary Flashcards (E525)	<ol> <li>Select a session.</li> <li>Select a vocabulary flashcard.</li> <li>Select the rotating arrow at the bottom of the screen to flip the card and reveal its definition. Do this for all cards.</li> <li>Select the "X" in the top right corner to return to the session homepage.</li> <li>Select the home icon to return to the homepage.</li> </ol>
Sessions Two	Resources Poster (E528)	<ol> <li>Select "Begin" at the bottom left of the screen.</li> <li>Read the resource information on display.</li> <li>Advance slides using the gray arrows on the bottom of the screens.</li> <li>Select the home icon to return to the homepage.</li> </ol>
Session Two-Five	STEM Skills Poster (E529)	<ol> <li>Select "Begin" at the bottom left of the screen.</li> <li>Read the information displayed for each of the letters in STEM.</li> <li>Advance slides using the gray arrows on the bottom of the screens.</li> <li>Select the home icon to return to the homepage.</li> </ol>

<b>Session Four</b>	<b>Get and Keep the</b>	Game Instructions:
	<b>Job! Game Board</b>	1. Select "Instructions" at the bottom of the screen.
	(E531)	2. Read aloud the instructions. Advance slides using the gray arrows on the bottom of the screens.
		3. Select the home icon at the bottom center of the screen to return to
		the homepage.
		Game Board:
		1. Select "Game Board" at the bottom of the screen.
		2. Keep the game board displayed on the screen while students play.
		3. Select the home icon to return to the homepage.

## **Volunteer Resource Videos to Prepare for the Program**

Six resource videos are available, one for the program overview and one for each session. These 3- to 5-minute videos highlight session activities, offer classroom management tips, and complement existing training as the volunteer prepares for his or her program delivery.

Within the *JA Our Nation* Resources course, under the Resource Videos section, select a video from the menu. The video will begin playing automatically.