



JA New York High School Heroes

Inspiring over 5,000 students
on Long Island this year!

High School Heroes Partnerships: Long Island

These schools have partnered together to provide the High School Heroes program to both their high school and elementary school students. We served 31 elementary schools this year.

High School

Amityville High School
Baldwin Senior High School
Division Avenue High School
East Meadow High School

Floral Park Memorial High School
Freeport High School
Hauppauge High School
Massapequa High School

Mt. Sinai High School
Northport High School
New Hyde Park Memorial HS
Plainview Old-Bethpage JFK HS

Smithtown High School East
Smithtown High School West

Walt Whitman High School

Elementary School

Northwest Elementary School
Meadow Elementary School, Steele Elementary School
Summit Lane Elementary School
Parkway, Barnum Woods & Bowling Green
Elementary Schools
Floral Park-Bellerose School, John Lewis Child School
New Visions School
Forest Brook Elementary School
Birch Lane, East Lake, Fairfield, John P. McKenna,
Raymond J. Lockhart & Unqua Elementary Schools
Mt. Sinai Elementary School
Norwood Avenue Elementary School
Covert Avenue School
Howard B. Mattlin Middle School
Plainview Old-Bethpage Middle School
Branch Brook & Dogwood Elementary Schools
Accompsett, Branch Brook, Dogwood, Mills Pond,
Mount Pleasant & Smithtown Elementary Schools
Oakwood & Countrywood Primary Center

Our Mission

To inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy.

Our Programs

K-5 JA-in-a-Day programming

Areas of focus include: workforce readiness, financial literacy and entrepreneurship

Colorful, engaging, and interactive materials taught by local high school students

What is High School Heroes?

A program initiated in the spring of 2000 designed to give outer borough elementary students access to both JA New York programs and to HS role models from their own communities.

HS Heroes are selected based on their commitment, participation, behavior, and desire to become a mentor

All Heroes attend a training session prior to entering the classroom

HS Heroes demonstrate teamwork by partnering to teach JA New York programs

On the event day, JA New York and High School staff meet and accompany students to the elementary school

The Heroes teach 5 consecutive JA New York sessions from 9am- 3pm

Outreach (2017-2018)

5,000+ Elementary Students Served

225 Classes Taught

657 Participating High School Heroes



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