



Jobs for Kentucky's Graduates

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JAG KY Mission

Inspiring, empowering, and preparing youth of the Commonwealth to become leaders in tomorrow's workforce.



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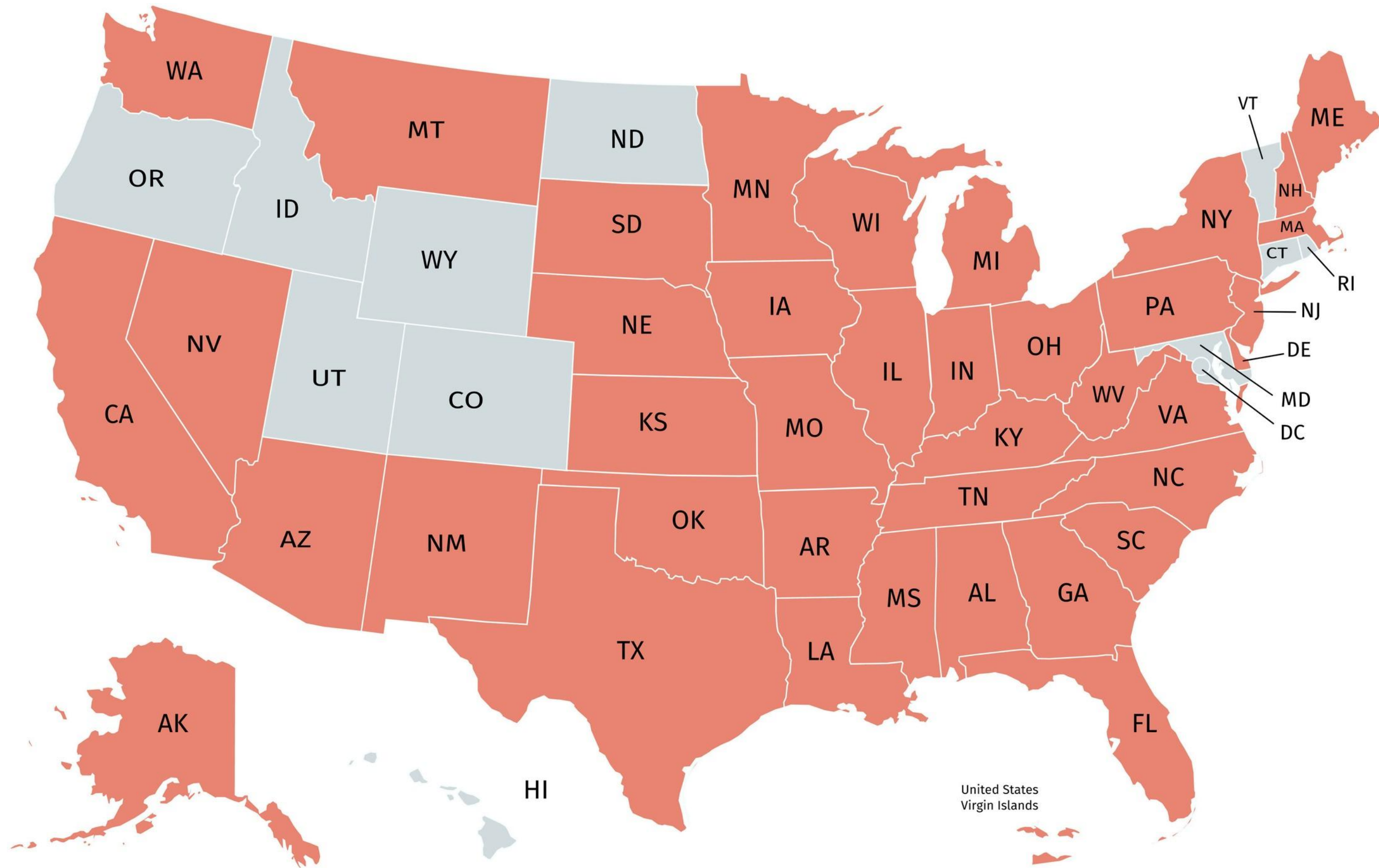
Who We Are

- 40-year-old National Nonprofit
- 1.5M youth served, ages 12-24, through a variety of Model Applications
- Serving students who experience significant: Life challenges and/or trauma
- Multiple challenges to graduation and entering the workforce
- Currently serving in **1,500** communities across **39** states through state and local affiliates.



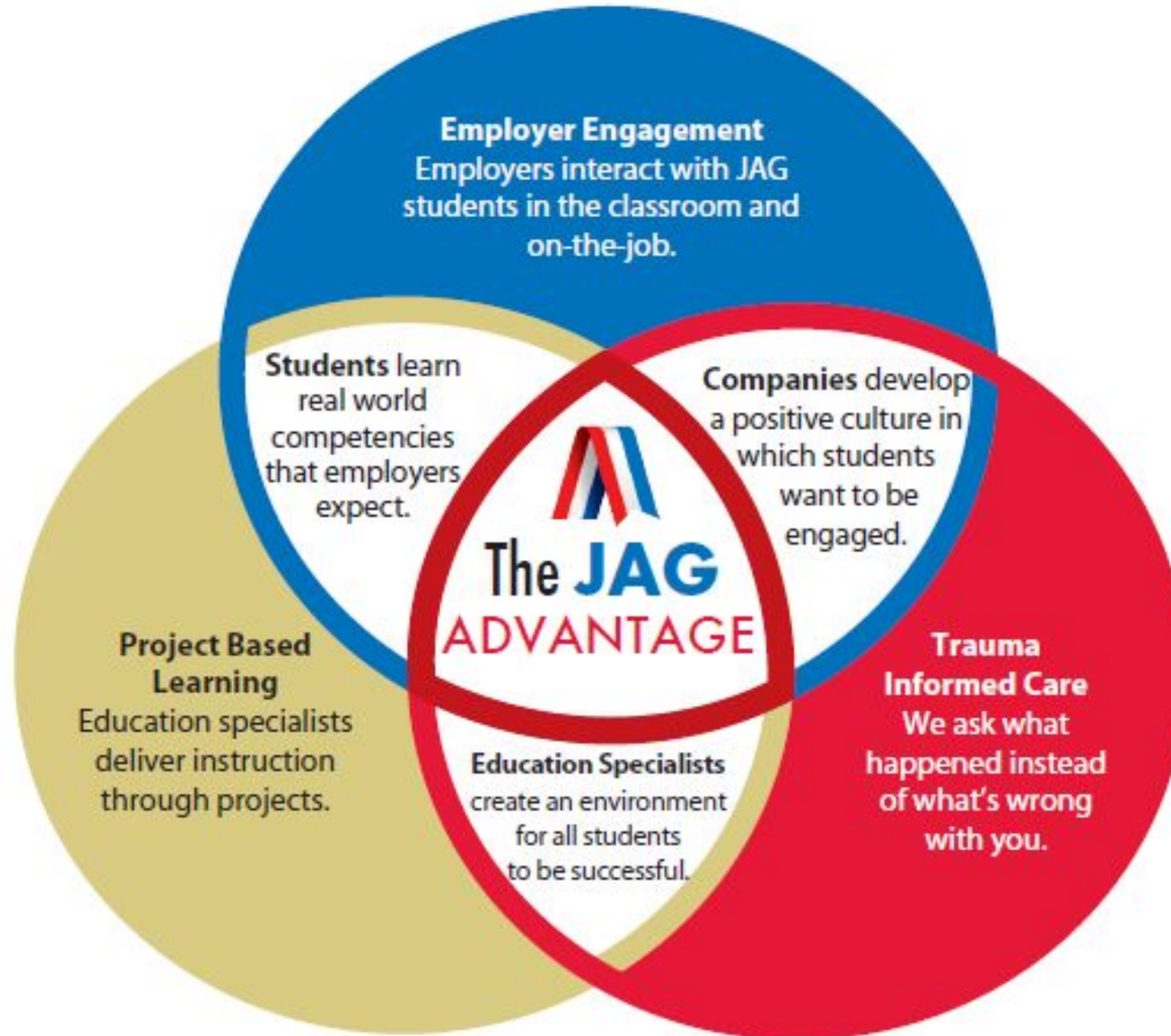
JAG NATIONAL NETWORK 2022-2023

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THE JAG NATIONAL ADVANTAGE

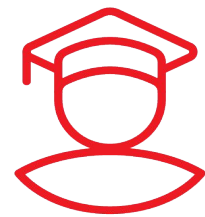
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GRADUATION. EMPLOYMENT. CONTINUED EDUCATION.

The Basics



JAG Specialists serve 45-65 students per program.

One class period a day, 36 weeks, for 130 hours of classroom instruction.

Trauma-Informed Care for all students.



100% of JAG KY affiliates have National Career Association Career & Technical Chapter.

37-81 Employment Competencies.



“6-of-6” Connectivity Rate

Engagement



Employer Engagement & Job Development.

Activities, Guest Speakers, Job Shadowing, field trips, mentoring, academic remediation, service learning, & community-based projects.



Coordination with case managers and service providers so students receive necessary support outside of classroom

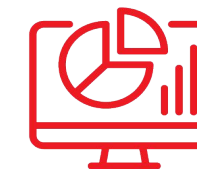
Motivation



JAG Career Association: Develop, practice & refine employability, leadership & teambuilding skills.

12 months of follow-up support services after graduation.

Sense of Belonging: members are a part of the “JAG Team”



Improved outcomes through Enhanced Services.



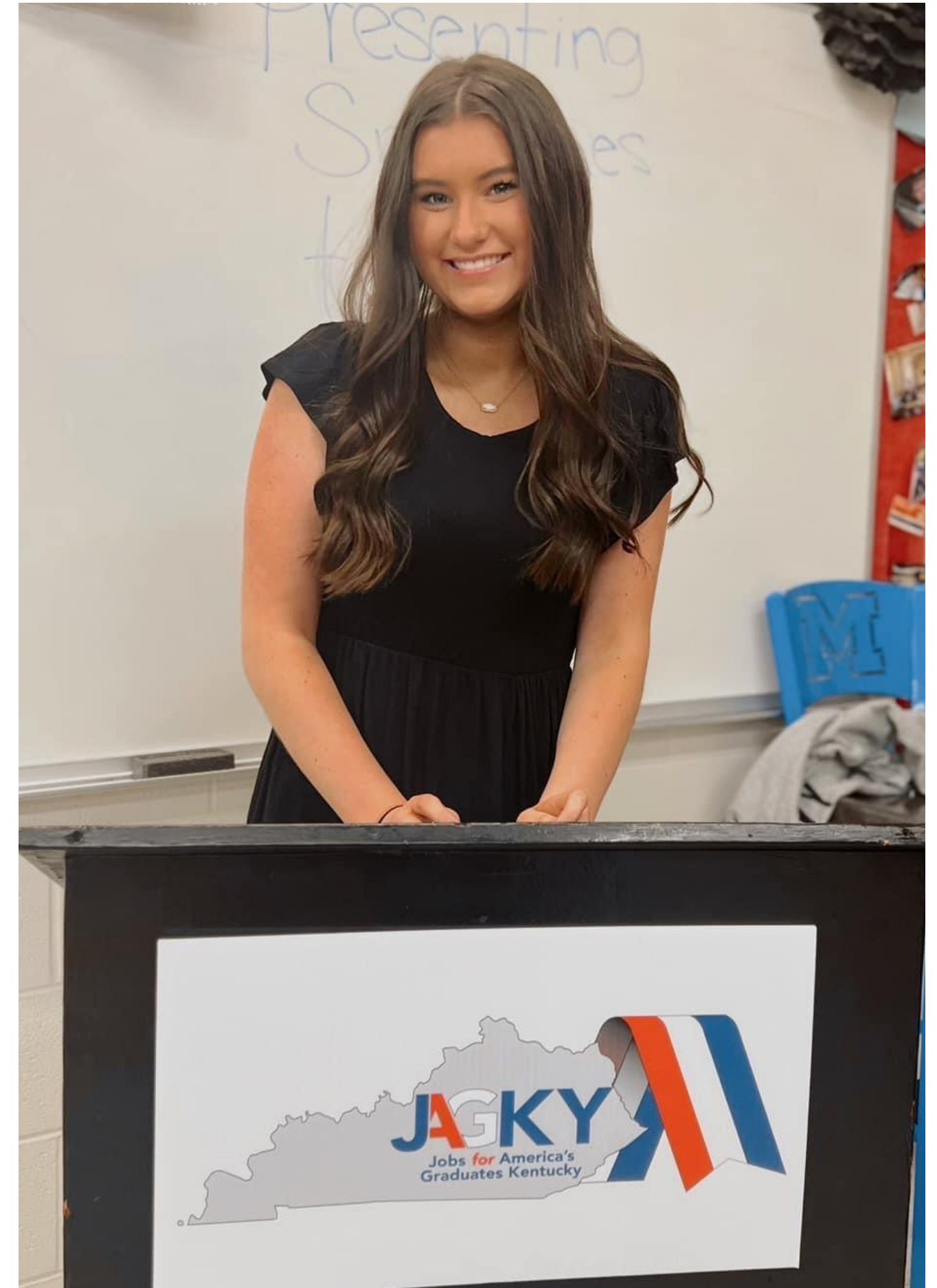
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By The Numbers

In 2022-2023, **JAG KY** serves **3,985** students in **69** high schools, middle schools and alternative programs located in **40** counties and **46** school districts across the Commonwealth.

High Schools: 56 Middle Schools: 7
Alternative Schools: 6

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Economically Disadvantaged | 95.82% |
| Average Number Of Barriers | 11.1 |
| Students In Follow-up | 735 |
| Average Contact Time | 31.4 Hrs/Student |





JAG KY NATIONAL CLASS OF 2021 PERFORMANCE - Multi-Year

JOBS FOR AMERICA'S GRADUATES UTILIZES THE FOLLOWING FIVE CATEGORIES TO MEASURE ACHIEVEMENT

503 MULTI-YEAR GRADUATES

| | JAG NATIONAL STANDARD | JAG KY '20 | JAG KY '21 |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| GRADUATION RATE | 90% | 100% | 100% |
| EMPLOYMENT RATE | 60% | 71.15% | 84.10% |
| FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT | 60% | 75.28% | 78.49% |
| TOTAL POSITIVE OUTCOMES | 75% | 87.15% | 91.45% |
| FURTHER EDUCATION | 35% | 47.43% | 54.67% |

National Comparison with High School Graduates in the Workforce, May 2021

Unemployment Rate*: **16.9%**

*Bureau of Labor Market Statistics Employment Report, June 3, 2021

JAG Graduate Unemployment Rate: 8.30%

Full-Time Employment by Gender*

National Female F/T Employment Rate: **28.62**

JAG Female Graduate F/T Employment Rate: 78.53 %

National Male F/T Employment Rate: **39.94%**

JAG Male Graduate F/T Employment Rate: 85.78 %

We are a JAG NATIONAL 5 OF 5 RECIPIENT!

***Only ONE UNABLE TO CONTACT FOR THE ENTIRE STATE!*



**Sophie McCoy,
JAG KY STATE
CAREER ASSOCIATION
PRESIDENT**

**Martin County High School
Inez, Kentucky**





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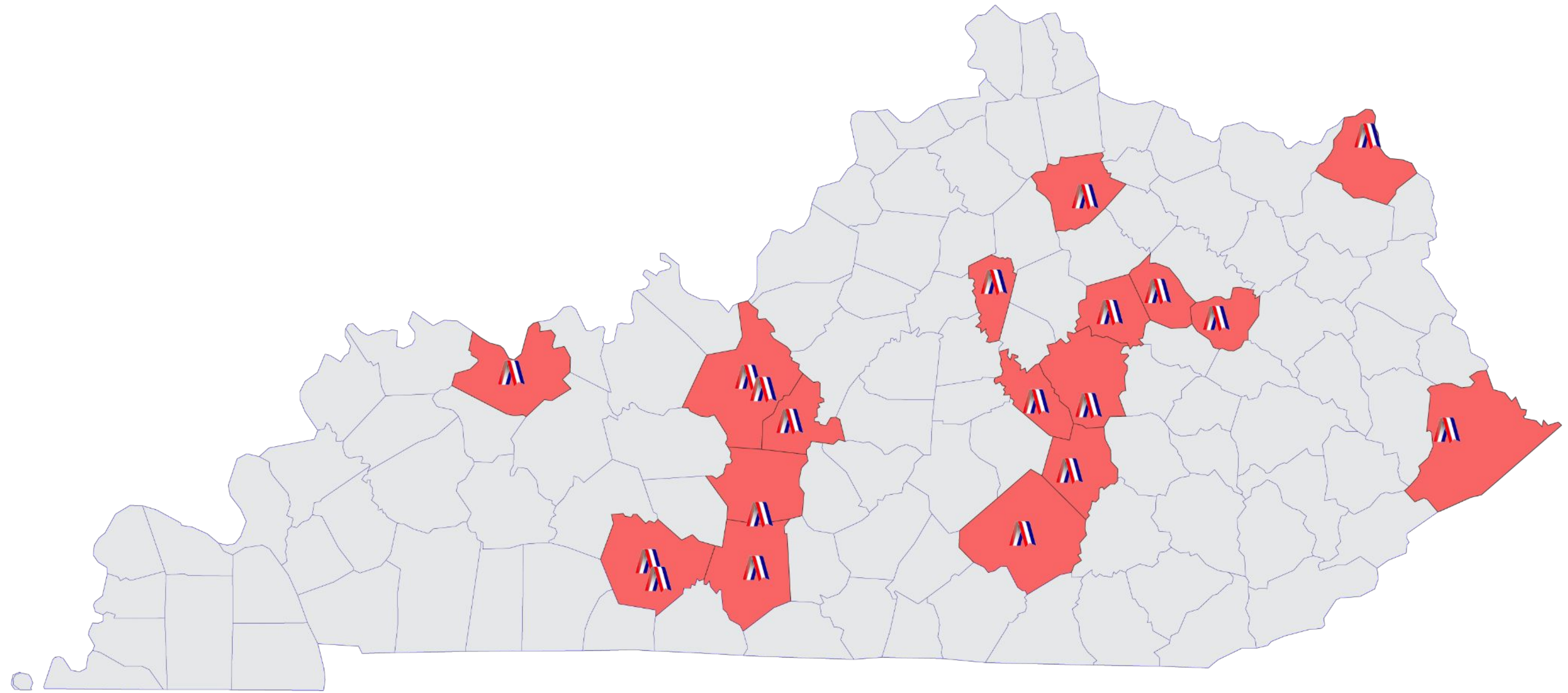


JAG KY STATE BUDGET INVESTMENT FY 23 & FY 24

| Description | 2022-2023 | 2023-2024 | Total |
|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Programs Added in Fall 2022 (19) | \$760,000 | \$760,000 | \$1,520,000 |
| Programs Added in Fall 2023 (11) | - | \$440,000 | \$440,000 |
| Indirect Cost Allocations (10%) | \$76,000 | \$120,000 | \$196,000 |
| Total Direct Cost | \$836,000 | \$1,320,000 | \$2,156,000 |
| State Contribution | \$1,000,000 | \$1,000,000 | \$2,000,000 |
| JAG KY Contribution | -\$164,000 | \$320,000 | \$156,000 |



FY23 GROWTH





JAG KY Growth Plan for FY24

JAG KY to grow by 11 programs in FY24

Year 3 Planned Growth - *Jefferson County not ready to start JAG KY Programs*

Ohio Valley Regional Cooperative (including Jefferson County):

Ten (10) programs in August 2023

West Kentucky Educational Cooperative:

Ten (10) programs August 2023

**Will return to these two (2) Coops in FY26*

FY24 Targeted Counties for Growth - *School districts need and want JAG KY*

Knott, Perry, Leslie, Elliott, Letcher, and Breathitt - Flood disaster counties

Clark, Martin, and Pike - ARC ARISE grant counties

Daviess and Henderson - Counties showed interest last year

Boone, Kenton, and Boyd - Counties of economic interest and growth



JAG KY Growth Plan Impact for FY23 & FY 24

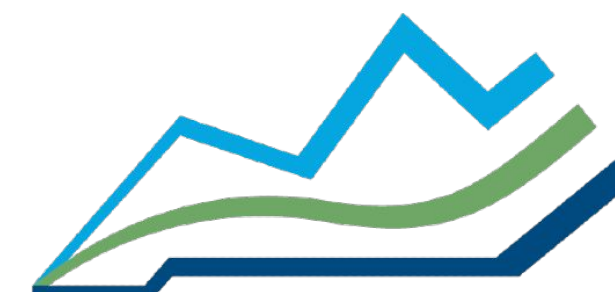
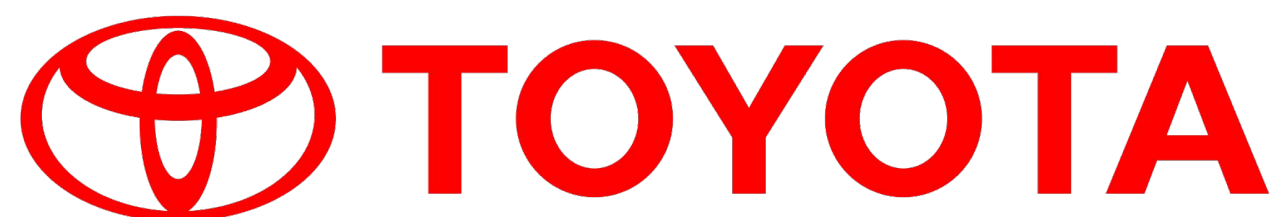
Providing positive outcomes and changing the lives of an additional 1,732 students for a total of nearly 4,620 students served across the Commonwealth.

A continued focus on increasing employability of JAG students to fill in-need positions, resulting in a stronger and vibrant economy in communities throughout the Commonwealth.

Making Kentucky Stronger!



Thank You JAG KY Community & Corporate Partners



Kentucky Chamber
Uniting Business. Advancing Kentucky.



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LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
CAREER PREPARATION
COMMUNITY SERVICE
SOCIAL AWARENESS
CIVIC AWARENESS

Here's To 30 Years, JAG KY!

