

Sample Advanced Simulation Schedule (4 hour visit)

Length of Time	Phase	Students will...
15 minutes	Opening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet in the Bank of America auditorium View an introduction to JA Finance Park Receive an overview of rules and expectations for the simulation Be assigned a group/home store (if not already prepared) and/or dismiss to pre-determined groups
35 minutes	Intro/Young Adult Life Scenarios	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet their Volunteer in their home store Be assigned an iPad Enter login information Answer Lifestyle Questions Choose career from 16 Career Clusters Select a personal avatar and interests Select long-term savings goals Calculate Net Monthly Income (NMI) Establish savings and debt repayment amounts
75 minutes	Research & Budgeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rotate through each business Engage in volunteer-led discussion about various expense categories Apply for home and auto loans Budget for each expense category in the Young Adult Life Stage
50 minutes (rotation with transition time)	Shopping	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make shopping decisions for each budget category in the Young Adult Life Stage Encounter unexpected expenses and income
	Lunch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make student loan and credit card payments. Students will bring sack lunches and eat within the JA Finance Park facility
55 minutes	Working Adult Life Stage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review successes and challenges of Young Adult Life Stage Make decisions about marital and family status as students "age" to the next life stage Calculated updated NMI Update savings and debt repayment amounts Update budget to reflect older life stage Shop for Working Adult Life Stage Encounter unexpected expenses and income Make student loan and credit card payments. Answer Lifestyle Goal Questions
As Time Allows	Career Inventory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete JA Here to Career interest inventory Discuss career paths and compare salaries, and identify ways to help income and lifestyles align Debrief the simulation experience within groups.
10 minutes	Clean Up & Dismissal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean and return tablets and name tags Large group debrief in auditorium Dismiss to buses