

Introduction



"Our World" is our JA Isle of Man programme designed for students of primary school age between 9 and 11 years.

In this programme two members of the JA Team, along with one or two volunteers, visit a class of primary pupils.

Students discover that businesses trade on a worldwide scale. They are introduced to the complexities of global trade between countries at different levels of economic development and the available resources at their disposal.

The Our World programme helps the students to develop a range of soft skills, including creativity, communication and organisational skills. It also helps build their confidence by encouraging students to present their ideas to the rest of the class.

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Primary Programme Team





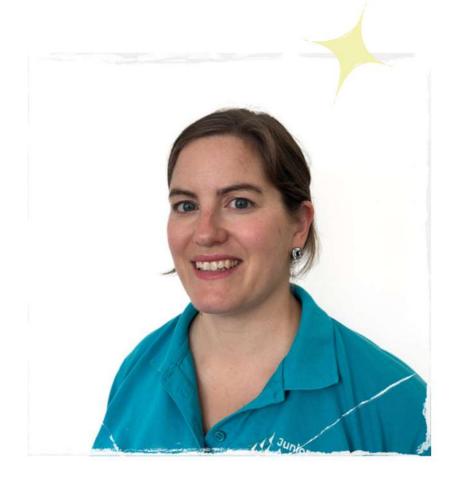
RACHEL LIVER

Before joining JA Isle of Man as a Primary Programme Manager, **Rachel** worked for eight years in the Life Assurance Industry.

After the birth of her second child, Rachel became a full-time mother, giving her a new perspective on children's education and finding fun ways to help them learn at home.

Ellie joined JA as our Primary Programme Manager in April 2025.

Having grown up on the Island, Eleanor spent the last 14 years living in Grenoble, France. There she taught English as a second language in secondary schools and universities, and worked in the International Programme Administration team at Grenoble Ecole de Management.



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Footprint



788 Students participated in the programme.

4 Volunteers participated in the programme.

28 Hours were donated by our volunteers.

The programme was delivered in 37 classes.

476 Hours our staff were in the schools.

4,728 contact hours







Primary Teachers Feedback

100% of the primary teachers agreed that the Our World Programme encourages the students to develop their teamwork skills.

100% of the teachers felt that the programme helps the students to build their confidence through the marketing challenge.



"Great programme which encourages children to work in different groupings and find each others' strengths".

"The children were very engaged in the marketing challenge and got stuck into the trading game, having fun and working well as a team supporting each other".



"Used their resilience skills when identifying resources they needed and how they needed to work together".



We are encouraging students to improve their soft skills:





Which skills do you think the students have used the most during the session?









100%) Problem Solving



Decision Making



The Trading Game

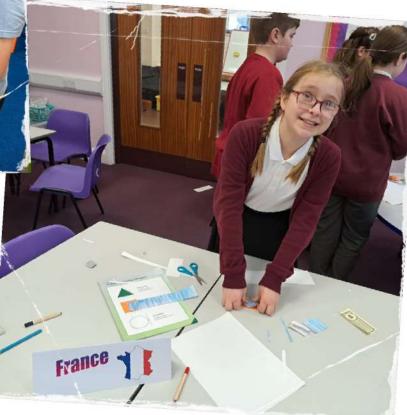
100% of the teachers felt that the Global Trading Game or "Trading Game" helped the children to have a better understanding of why countries need to trade with each other and how the global economy works.

"Amazing day allowing all children to develop life long skills".

"Very well balanced activities. Great to sit back as a teacher and observe how the children worked with each other and I felt they gained a lot".







About JA Isle of Man

Junior Achievement Isle of Man is a Manx Registered Charity No 665. Incorporated in the Isle of Man as a Company Limited by Guarantee (No 073989C).

We are the Island's leading educational charity helping young people to develop skills for the workplace.

JA Isle of Man is a member of one of the world's largest youth-serving non-profits, JA Worldwide.

Reaching more than 10 million young people, JA Worldwide is one of few organisations with the scale, experience, and passion to build a brighter future for the next generation of innovators, entrepreneurs, makers, and managers.

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