

## JMP Contact Information

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## CREI Mission

To enhance the quality of life for all people of the greater Albuquerque area through diverse recreational and educational opportunities in an inclusive and safe environment.

## CREI Programs

### Community Centers

Community Centers located throughout Albuquerque host a variety of youth, adult, and senior programming. Amenities vary and may include fitness rooms, gymnasiums, and computer labs. (505) 767-5800

### Meal Programs

CREI Meal Programs offer a 9 week summer meal program (breakfast & lunch) at over 250 sites throughout ABQ. Hot supper meals are available at community centers during the school year. Ages 1-18. 505-767-5811

### Playground Recreation

The Playground Recreation Program is a CREI program that currently operates in 24 elementary schools and 3 community centers. There are seasonal programs as well as year round before and after school programs. 767-5885.

### Therapeutic Recreation

Therapeutic Recreation provides recreation activities for participants (child, teen, & adult) with and without disabilities in a full inclusion setting. The program operates out of Loma Linda C.C. and offers seasonal satellite sites. 505-764-1525



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# Job Mentor Program

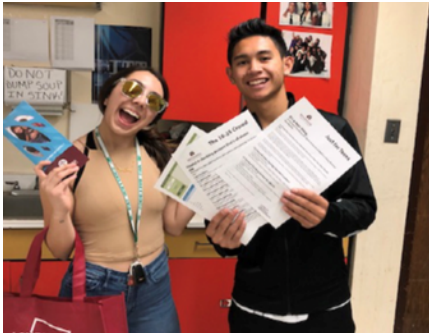


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## School-Based Program

Students at participating APS high schools can enroll in JMP as an elective course in 9th - 12th grade. This involves group and individual meetings in which students receive career-readiness training for .5 credit hours per semester. Students also participate in volunteer, community service, and Job Shadow placements for which they can receive a stipend.



## Course Instruction

Each participating high school is designated a School Based Coordinator who is responsible for instructing the JMP classroom seminar. Instructors will go over topics including life skills, social skills, employability, financial stability, and community partnership.

## Overview

The Job Mentor Program (JMP) prepares high school students for the workforce through a school-based program and paid summer internships.

### Participating Schools

Albuquerque High School  
Atrisco Heritage Academy  
Career Enrichment Center  
Cibola High School  
Del Norte High School  
eCADEMY High School  
Eldorado High School  
Highland High School  
La Cueva High School  
Manzano High School  
Rio Grande High School  
Sandia High School  
Valley High School  
Volcano Vista High School  
West Mesa High School

## Work Experience

During the school year, JMP students gain work experience through community service projects, volunteer work, and job shadow.

Students use job shadow experiences to explore career options that match their interests and skills. Job shadow placements are facilitated by School-Based Coordinators, and students are eligible for a stipend each semester that they complete approved job shadow hours.

## Summer Internships

Participants in the school-based program can apply for paid summer internships through JMP. Interns are placed at a city, government, and non-profit organization, work for seven weeks, and receive minimum wage.

