



# Join us for a day of mentoring



The Leading Ladies experience is designed to help young women, grades 9th-12th, expand their horizons to consider career opportunities, learn about budgeting, STEM and essential skills. These students will be connected with successful, professional women of all ages across various industries who are eager to share their experiences and mentor today's youth.

**Date** – Thursday, January 13th  
**Where** - Cajundome Convention Center  
**Time** – 9:00 a.m. – 1p.m. (lunch provided)

Invite female students in grade 12th to join us for a day of mentoring from local Business Leaders. Limited opportunity - Open to the first 300 commitments. Topics include:

### Her Money Moves:

#### Financial Confidence?

Building financial confidence and encouraging a life long learning in personal finance can help teens build a path to the financial picture they have for their lives.

Banking, budgeting, saving, and credit scores are part of our personal finance "toolkit".

### EmPOWERed Careers

#### Navigating Our Careers

Career planning is an important tool and we want young women to feel confident in setting career goals, interviewing, asking for a pay raise, or salary negotiation.

A strong entrepreneurial ecosystem can help young women chart their own path in the workforce.

### It's HER Business

#### Women in STEM - Do I belong?

The future of work will be driven by innovation and technical skills-based jobs, yet are less likely to consider STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) careers.

We want to profile women in STEM careers and encourage girls to consider these high demand fields.

JA will pay for bus transportation for schools that bring 20+ girls to Leading Ladies. Schools will schedule the transportation and lunch will be provided for students and chaperones.

In the event Leading Ladies cannot happen in person, there is a contingency plan to host Leading Ladies virtually.



Registration Deadline – December 17th

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Submit forms to [jdebaillon@jaacadiana.com](mailto:jdebaillon@jaacadiana.com) Questions – call June at 337-258-3868

\*\*\*Permission slips and final attendee list required by Friday, January 7th\*\*\*