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## AMEGY BANK-CENTRAL TEXAS TEAMS UP WITH JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT TO TEACH FINANCIAL LITERACY

SAN ANTONIO (Feb. 8, 2019) — On Feb. 5, 2019, Amegy Bank colleagues in San Antonio hosted 20 students from Holmes Business Careers High School for a Junior Achievement (JA) Job Shadow. JA Job Shadow provides a unique opportunity to visit a professional work environment and gain insights into how to build a career.

"JA's mission to inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy aligns with Amegy Bank's values and entrepreneurial spirit," said Parker Hensley, Amegy Bank-Central Texas Vice President and JA of South Texas Board member. "Promoting financial literacy is an investment that will yield indefinite returns for generations, and it is exciting to see our colleagues playing such an impactful role in the lives of our next generations."



Amegy colleagues in San Antonio teach financial literacy to middle and high school students at JA Finance Park

Additionally, 10 colleagues participated in a budgeting simulation at JA Finance Park for two days. This program is dedicated to educating middle and high school student in the basics of financial literacy – budgeting, investing, managing risk – all while reinforcing the value of education and how it affects one's future.

## **About Amegy Bank of Texas**

Amegy Bank, a division of Zions Bancorporation, N.A., is a leading Texas bank with \$13 billion in assets and about 1,600 employees. With more than 75 locations across Houston, Dallas-Fort Worth, and Central Texas, Amegy is dedicated to serving Texas communities, families and businesses. Founded in 1990, Amegy has a strong tradition of relationship banking, local decision making and financial knowledge. Amegy specializes in banking businesses of all sizes and has the resources to provide financing, treasury management solutions, international banking, as well as other specialized services. Equally important, the bank offers individuals and families a wide range of depository, lending, and mortgage solutions.

To learn more about Amegy, visit <a href="www.amegybank.com">www.amegybank.com</a> or call 800-287-0301.

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## About Junior Achievement USA® (JA)

Junior Achievement is the world's largest organization dedicated to giving young people the knowledge and skills they need to own their economic success, plan for their future, and make smart academic and economic choices. JA programs are delivered by corporate and community volunteers, and provide relevant, hands-on experiences that give students from kindergarten through high school knowledge and skills in financial literacy, work readiness and entrepreneurship. Today, JA reaches more than 4.8 million students per year in 109 markets across the United States, with an additional 5.2 million students served by operations in 100 other countries worldwide. Junior Achievement USA is a member of JA Worldwide. Visit <a href="www.ja.org">www.ja.org</a> for more information.

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