



# ADOPT A CLASS

UNCOVERING PASSION. EXPLORING POTENTIAL.

## REMINDERS FOR HOLIDAY GIVING!

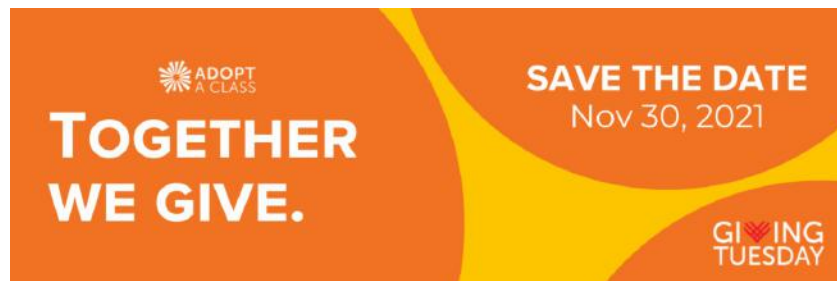
Thank you for giving the best gift of all to your students throughout the year- your time. Many of our mentor teams like to provide their students with holiday gifts. The following are friendly reminders & suggestions for any holiday gift giving to your students. If you would like to give a gift, please make sure it is equitable for all students.

Gift suggestions include:

1. Winter clothing items- hats, gloves, scarves, etc.
2. Books- get a book for each student to take home or books for the teacher to keep in the classroom.
3. Gift to the classroom- new reading carpet, board games, bean bag chairs, etc. Ask your teacher about what gift will best fit the needs of the classroom.



Once again, the best gift you give to your students is your time each and every month! Thank you for giving the gift of mentorship all year-round.



This year has been a redefining year for Adopt A Class, as we continue to grow our organization and introduce deeper ways to be the spark in the lives of our students in the Greater Cincinnati community. Without you, we would not be able to provide these students with the experiences and opportunities they deserve.



**WATCH** our video to see the impact Adopt A Class ignited throughout the region in 2021 - all thanks to you!

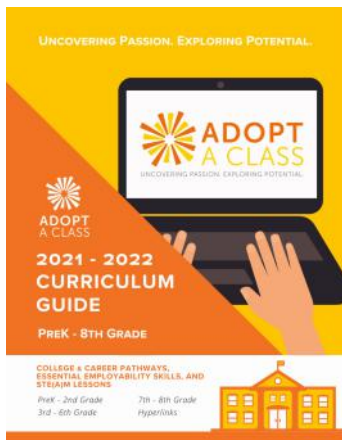
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## ACTIVITY CORNER!

Each newsletter, Adopt A Class will share activities with you that are tailored to the grade band you serve. We ask that your activities are focused on college & career pathways, essential employability skills, and/or STE(A)M. Please check out the icebreakers and activities for the other grade bands if you are looking for a bit of inspiration for your mentoring sessions!

As always, more lessons are available on our website in our **Resource Center: Educational Activities.**



## 2021 - 2022 Curriculum Guide are now AVAILABLE!

Check it out! This guide features activities for each grade band: PreK - 2nd, 3rd - 6th, and 7-8th grade. Each grade band has a College and Career pathways, Literacy, and/or STE(A)M activity. Each activity has little to no materials required, written out instructions, and includes links to assist you whenever necessary.

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**I am Thankful For...**  
PreK - 2nd Grade

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**Igloo Builder**  
3rd - 6th Grade

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**Emoji Christmas**  
7th - 8th Grade

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## DANNY DOLLAR'S GUIDE TO FINANCIAL AWESOMENESS EXPERIENCE!



Adopt A Class & US Bank Proudly Present the **Danny Dollar's Guide to Financial Awesomeness** Series! The series features author, Ty Allan Jackson, via a set of four recorded videos, discussing his book *Danny Dollar Millionaire Extraordinaire: The Lemonade Escapade*. Ty's sessions are targeted at our 3rd - 6th grade students.



We are thrilled to offer this new resource! In addition to the videos, we have an educator's guide available for download [here](#).

ALL VIDEOS NOW AVAILABLE!



Danny Dollar's Guide to Financial Awesomeness | **#1 Intro**

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Danny Dollar's Guide to Financial Awesomeness | **#3 Saving**

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Danny Dollar's Guide to Financial Awesomeness | **#4 Spending/Dream Big**

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## SAFETY & SECURITY AGREEMENT!

As an Adopt A Class team lead and/or co-team lead, we are grateful to be able to rely on you to help maintain the safety and security requirements of our program. The Safety and Security Agreement outlines our program's policies & procedures and gives us the opportunity to get your team(s) roster's contact information. This helps us maintain the best communication with you and your team members throughout the school year. The Safety & Security Agreement **MUST** be completed annually before your first mentoring session. If you are a team lead and you have **NOT** submitted your safety & security agreement, please do so below.

SUBMIT

## LOG YOUR MENTORING VISITS!



Please log your mentoring sessions in the **Mentor Tracker**. The information you provide is instrumental in helping us understand our total impact. It also allows us to provide your company with specific details about your teams, classrooms, and contributions each year.

## WELCOME TO OUR NEW TEAMS OF MENTORS!

- 4C for Children
- Cincinnati Reds Hall of Fame Museum
- Gallagher
- Siemens
- Landrum and Brown
- Solvay
- Greater Cincinnati Human Resources Association
- Big Chief
- Cincinnati Observatory
- Cintas Corporation
- Mars
- Schwan's
- Graeter's Manufacturing Co.
- KAO Collins
- Nehemiah
- Window World
- Dewey's Pizza
- US Bank
- Jones Lang LaSalle
- Sherwin Williams
- Cincinnati Benefit Solutions
- Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumnae
- P&G Veterans
- Women's Alliance, Inc.

## TELL US ABOUT YOU: MENTOR SURVEY!

- We want to learn more about you - our mentors! Please scan the QR Code to complete our Mentor Demographics Survey. This will provide us with more background and greater insights into the mentors volunteering in our program!

If you recently had a New Mentor



Orientation, a Refresher Training, or attended the Mentor Symposium, you've done this before so please do not complete this survey again.

## WE NEED YOU! HELP US REACH MORE STUDENTS!

There are still roughly 300 more classrooms in Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky that are in need of mentors & resources. We need your help!

Do you know of a person or a potential company that you think would make a great mentor? Would you be willing to share their information with us? If so, please scan the QR Code or reach out to **Kate McCann**, Senior Manager of Corporate Relations.



## WE'RE MOVING!

**We're Moving!** Adopt A Class is moving office locations to:

4030 Smith Rd.  
Suite 200  
Cincinnati, OH 45209

This new office is right around the corner from our old location! Please update your records and keep this new address saved for any Adopt A Class needs.



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