Steelton- Highspire School District

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Junior Achievement of South Central PA
610 South George Street
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To Whom It May Concern:

As Superintendent of the Steelton-Highspire School District, I am writing a letter of support for the Junior Achievement of South Central PA in its quest to solicit funding for the Inspiring Equitable Tomorrows Initiative that will directly support the students of the Steelton-Highspire School District. Junior Achievement has been a great partner over the years to supplement our curriculum offerings.

Our district is financially distressed, lacking many resources, and serves a highly transient and high poverty population which is greater than 90%. Students coming from urban environments are traditionally behind socio-emotionally as well as academically. Covid-19 has only exacerbated this ongoing issue. An expansion of our partnership to support our students is crucial to meet their needs and provide valuable content beyond what the school can provide.

On behalf of the Steelton-Highspire School District, our students, and families, I offer support for this continued partnership with the Junior Achievement of South Central PA. If you have any questions related to this program and its relationship with the Steelton-Highspire School District, please feel free to contact me at miskric@shsd.k12.pa.us.

Sincerely,

Mick Iskric, Jr.
Superintendent