Students are encouraged to think critically, ask questions, and problem-solve.

For six months, the student will attend seminars from experts in the field of social and criminal justice.

Over the summer, each intern is matched to an appropriate paid internship.

At the conclusion of the program, the students present an oral argument to an audience.

What do we know about DAJA alumni?

- 92% reported that DAJA contributed to their preparation for college and/or career
- 92% are either participating in internships or are employed since completing the academy
- 100% attend college

“Participating in the DAJA program opened my eyes to various opportunities in the justice system, and has led me to follow the path to law school.”

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