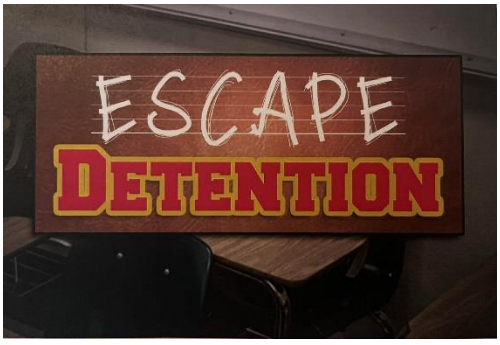
Escape MJ's

Escape rooms are simple mental puzzles played out in real life. They are the number 1 activity for numerous cities around the world. Many escape rooms are designed to bring a group of people together into a room to themselves while others may match you against random strangers to solve the puzzle. In escape rooms every word, number, or picture can be a clue to your escape.

James and Anna Fowler love escape rooms. They have traveled near and far with friends and family to participate in an escape room. That means gas for the drive, a meal out, money for admission into the escape room, and any other expenses associated with the trip. Why not keep that money in Macomb? The economic impact that an escape room could have on Macomb is what inspired James and Anne to make their dream a reality.

In March 2024, Escape MJ's did participate in the City of Macomb Business Pitch Competition. Although they were not selected as the winners, they still wanted to bring their love of escape rooms to Macomb, IL. In May 2024 Escape MJ's opened their doors at 111 South Side Square in Macomb, IL with a celebratory ribbon cutting with the Macomb Chamber of Commerce.



Escape MJ's offers two themed escape rooms, Baker Street Mystery and Escape Detention. They offer one-hour sessions for groups of 2-8 people for $25 per person. You can book your escape by calling 309.575.4590, online at escapeMJ's.com, or find them on Facebook, Escape MJ's.

James is a property manager at a local apartment complex. Anna is a hospice nurse. Together James and Anna have a son Jordan Michael. Their family business was named after him.

In the future, Escape MJ's would like to expand creating a fun center to include axe throwing, rage room, and an indoor playground for children.

If you are looking for a night out, go try to "Escape MJ's"!!