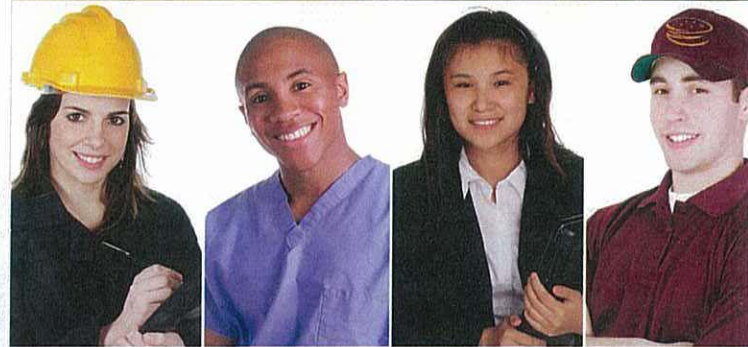


work-based learning



CAREER RELATED EDUCATION WORK-BASED LEARNING & YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP

- > Employability Skills Development
- > Cooperative Education
- > Internship
- > Youth Apprenticeship

Career Related Education develops students into a marketable workforce by collaborating significant successful relationships between education, business, industry and community.



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Career Related Education (CRE) is structured age appropriate experiences which prepare students for the school-to-career transition. The range of CRE experiences begin with Career Awareness and Exploration in middle school and culminate with work-based learning during the eleventh and twelfth grade. Work-based Learning (WBL) provides students the opportunity to be enrolled in an internship, cooperative education or Youth Apprenticeship. Career Related Education is the core component of Work-based Learning and Youth Apprenticeship. Work-based Learning

(WBL) and Youth Apprenticeship (YAP) offer high school students a unique opportunity to prepare for future educational and career goals by learning from an experienced mentor and practicing applicable skills in a workplace setting. Work-based Learning and Youth Apprenticeship students are expected to excel in three major areas; academic performance, school and workplace behavior, and job performance.



To participate in Work-based Learning/ Youth Apprenticeship, students must demonstrate acceptable behavior at school and at the worksite. Students are expected to follow the standards of behavior of their local school system as well as those required by the worksite mentor/partner/supervisor.

Completed applications for the next school year are due no later than May 1 of the current school year and interviews are conducted prior to acceptance. See the WBL School-based Coordinator for additional information or an application.

> > ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students must:

- Have an identified career goal.
- Be 16 years old or older.
- Have a valid picture ID card.
- Be a junior or senior in good standing with the school system.
- Be willing to take high school and technical/college courses related to future employment within the identified career area.
- Have dependable transportation.
- Have a valid social security number.
- Have a valid Georgia Work Permit.
- Have acceptable teacher and counselor recommendations.
- Have an acceptable attendance and discipline history.
- Be on track for graduation.
- Be willing to submit to all health related screenings required by the sponsoring employer.
- Be willing to attend all Work-based Learning or Youth Apprenticeship school meetings and functions.