

EMPLOYER WORKFORCE MENU



Aspire Economic Development + Chamber Alliance's mission is to drive economic development and business success. Workforce development is part of the foundation of our work. The Employer Workforce Menu is a comprehensive list of the wide range of options businesses and schools can participate in to strengthen the education-occupation pipeline. These experiences, programs and events provide opportunities for students to engage in the professional world and supplies the local workforce with the next generation of home-grown talent.

Which of the experiences listed below is your company willing to participate in? You will be able to make changes to your preferences anytime.

EXPLORE

- Company Tours** | *In-person or virtual for students or school staff.*
- Informational Interview** | *Not a job interview, but an informational meeting to find out more about a specific career.*
- Career/ Job Fair** | *Host a table and speak with students about openings at your company.*
- Career Path or Industry Presentation** | *30-45-minute presentation about your career path or industry overview.*
- Panel discussion** | *Take part in a panel discussion about your career/industry with other business leaders.*

ENGAGE

- Job Shadow** | *Student observes an employee for a defined time period.*
- Mock Interview** | *Company interviews a student as practice for future job interviews.*
- Mentorship/ Skills coaching** | *Company mentors student for one-on-one coaching on soft skills.*
- Program specific donations or products to support learning** | *Company donates specific items as needed by school.*
- Projects embedded into high school curriculum** | *Company works with teacher to develop a work-based project which is incorporated into the curriculum.*

EXPERIENCE

- Internship** | *Intern works at company for defined time period for career exploration, experience, skill development and networking. Can be paid or unpaid.*
- Pre- Apprenticeship** | *High school student prepare for entry into registered apprenticeship program, part-time participation. Typically paid.*
- Apprenticeship** | *On-the-job training with accompanying study for trade/ profession resulting in an industry certification with wage increases along the way. Student is paid.*

Company Name: _____

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