

Work Based Learning Continuum



Grades 7-12

Career Awareness

Field Trips * Classroom Visits * Mentors * Worksite Tours * Skills Assessments

Students

Make connections, identify personal interests and skills

Employers

Connect to a diverse, future workforce; show commitment & investment to the community

Grades 9-12

Career Exploration

Job Shadowing * Explorer Posts * Career and Student Organizations

Students

Explore interests & opportunities, develop employability skills & relationships

Employers

Increase future workforce readiness and abilities

Grades 11-12

Career Preparation

Service Learning * Internships * Short-Term Employment
Community Service * Capstone Projects

Students

Apply academic and technical coursework to real-world situations

Employers

Strengthen workforce partnerships; develop pipeline for employment

Grade 12 +

Career Training & Job Placement

Co-ops * Long-Term Internships * Pre-Apprenticeships * GEWEP

Students

Apply skills within career field, develop autonomy and self-empowerment

Employers

Develop and retain future workforce