

Section 300: Instruction

Work Experience Program (School-to-Work Transition)

Code #341.21

The Tri-County Area School District shall provide a school-to-work program designed to improve employment opportunities for all students. The school-to-work program shall include all students, including college-bound students, at-risk students, and those having special needs. Students shall be provided opportunities to assess career interests and aptitudes, explore careers in a meaningful way, and to develop competencies for industry skill standards that are transportable to either post-secondary education or work settings. A strong and rigorous school-based learning classroom phase shall be included that relates how academic success is pivotal in meeting the expectations of prospective employers. The school-to-work program shall evaluate and assess student progress in their ability to apply skills and knowledge acquired in school to a realistic job situation. The job setting shall also help the student to acquire communication skills and ability to work in harmony with others in a job situation and to gain a realistic understanding of industry, business, etc. as it relates to the responsibilities of employment and the standards of performance expected on the job.

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