

CAREER EXPLORATION



WORK READINESS

SUMMER JOB!

Learn about careers through Summer Career Readiness Workshops and Work Based Learning Experiences. Each experience will build students' knowledge and skills to prepare for successful futures.

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*This program serves students aged 14-21 who have an IEP or 504 plan or qualify for those services.*

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MAKE THIS THE BEST SUMMER YOU'VE EVER HAD!

CAREER READINESS WORKSHOP:

- ◆ Learn about careers and the skills employers are looking for
- ◆ Instruction by SkillSource trainers and staff with guest presentations
- ◆ Includes: interest assessments, identification of strengths and skills, resumes, mock /information interviews, job site tours, job shadows, and more!
- ◆ Incentives: certificate of completion, opportunity to participate in paid work based learning experience, possible high school credit!

WORK BASED LEARNING ACTIVITIES:



- ◆ **JOB SHADOWS:** students visit worksites to observe a specific job based on their vocational interests.



- ◆ **INFORMATIONAL INTERVIEWS:** Students meet 1-on-1 with employers to ask questions and learn about occupations and career



- ◆ **WORKSITE TOURS:** Individual or groups of students observe a variety of jobs performed by employees at one location

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- ◆ Paid work experience (yrs 16-21) for 4-5 weeks up to 120 hours
- ◆ Individualized based on student interests and with local employers
- ◆ Incentives: gain valuable, real world, work experience and get paid (students earn minimum wage)
- ◆ Includes: supervisor evaluations, continued career readiness training and on the job support as needed.

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*SkillSource is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.*

