## KHS Internships INFORMATION GUIDE



What are KHS Internships?

Internships are credited periods in a student's course schedule that allow the student to explore career opportunities through a paid or unpaid experience.



Who is eligible to participate?

Junior and Senior students can take advantage of this opportunity to help fill their schedules with real world exposure to industry,



What is the process?

The student requests an internship period in their schedule with Mrs. Nannini. Next, the student secures a supervisor for the experience and ensures that they can get a minimum of 60 hours completed within the semester.



The Experience

The student sets their schedule with their supervisor and attends when scheduled. The supervisor monitors the student while the student participates in the experience.



Grading

The student is graded on several employability skills by the supervisor at the midterm and the end of the internship period. If the student earns a passing grade, they earn an elective credit.

## WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF AN INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS?

- I) STUDENTS SPEND TIME IN PROSPECTIVE CAREER INTERESTS TO REFINE POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES.
- 2) STUDENTS' SCHEDULES ACCOMMODATE KHS COURSES FOR PART OF THE DAY, AND THE REMAINDER OF THE DAY IN A PAID OR UNPAID INTERNSHIP.
- 3) STUDENTS BUILD ON THE EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS THEY LEARN IN SCHOOL TO MAKE THEMSELVES MORE MARKETABLE TO INDUSTRY.
  - 4) IT IS A RESUME BOOSTER.
- 5) THE STUDENT'S HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULE LOOKS CHALLENGING AND RIGOROUS, THEREFORE, MAKING THEM COMPETITIVE FOR COLLEGE ADMISSIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.
  - 6) INTERNSHIPS CAN HELP A STUDENT REMAIN A FULL-TIME STUDENT FOR EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SPORTS PARTICIPATION.
- 7) INTERNSHIPS ARE A KHS ELECTIVE COURSE OFFERING, SO THE STUDENT WHO COMPLETES AND PASSES THIS EXPERIENCE EARNS AN ELECTIVE CREDIT.
  - 8) THE STUDENT DEVELOPS PROFESSIONAL CONNECTIONS.
    9) PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT.
  - IO) STUDENTS LEARN ABOUT ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CAREER FIELD.