PARTNERSHIP OVERVIEW

Cooperative Education 120 is a course in which <u>selected</u> high school students combine studies at school with a work placement in the community. This is a unique opportunity where students learn through participation in the day-to-day operation of an organization. Learning and experience are combined in an educationally beneficial way.

While we make every effort to find the work site requested by the student, there are some limitations. Some students may have to make another choice. We firmly believe that any opportunity a student has to experience a work placement has benefits such as:

- Gaining practical experience in a realistic work setting
- Developing the skills, knowledge, and attitudes to pursue a variety of careers
- Integrating learning in school with handson learning in an appropriate work placement
- Developing a positive attitude toward self, learning and work
- Possibly providing students with the opportunity to receive positive references for scholarships or work applications





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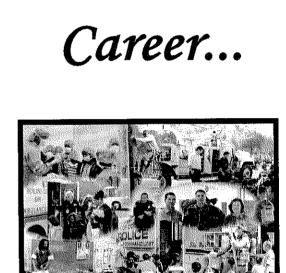
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While Still In School

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SCHOOL - TO - CAREER TRANSITION.....SOME THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW:

(career: the combined total of all the events in our lives, including; education, work, family, leisure activities and more)

DRESS CODE

Work sites often have a dress code...usually quite different from your "school clothes".

Examples:

Construction sites - hard hat, safety glasses, steel toe boots; Laboratories- Lab coat, safety glasses; Automotive service bays-coveralls; Business office- dress pants, shirt & tie, dress shoes; etc.

(Note: It is your responsibility to find out what the dress code is at your placement. Some employers may provide special clothing and equipment but it may be your responsibility.)





ASSOCIATED COSTS/FEES

Some employers may have special requirements, which may have a cost associateed that may be your responsibility. Examples: security clearance, special license; etc.

(Note: While not all of these special requirements have a cost associated, it is your responsibility to inquire.)





YOUR COMMITMENT

Cooperative Education 120 is a unique opportunity to learn by doing. With this opportunity comes added responsibilities and perhaps changes to your "normal" school and personal routine. Examples: a shorter noon hour and, an earlier start to your school day.

(Note: It is important that you understand and adhere to the commitment you have agreed to.)



