



SCHOOL ^{to} CAREERS

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Overview

- The School to Careers program engages high school students in a variety of meaningful career-related learning experiences.
- By collaborating with business and industry partners, students gain hands-on, transferable career training that will prepare them for high wage, high demand jobs.
- Our partners contribute career inspiration and insight and help students see themselves as an asset to the community and to their chosen career.
- These opportunities aim to meet the future employment needs of Pendleton's students and the workforce needs of our community.
- Supporting stakeholders include Umatilla County Board of Commissioners and Blue Mountain Community College

Career Related Learning Experience Opportunities

- **Mentorship** - Builds valuable relationships between students and professionals.
- **Job Shadow** - Provides students with a "day in the life" experience of a local professional.
- **Work Experience** - Students get a taste of a particular career field with a short term placement.
- **Internships** - Students gain real-world experience in a longer term job setting.
- **Service Learning Project** - Working with a local community partner to build transferable skills and fill a need in our community.
- **Worksite tours** - Offers students a close-up look at the inner workings of a local business or organization.
- **Guest instructors/presenters** - Connects professional expertise to the classroom for lessons and demonstrations.
- **Student Skills Training** - Teaches students the skills they need to achieve success in the workplace and to be a competitive candidate and valuable employee.
- **Business and Industry Partner Training** - Designed to support an employer participating in the program and to help the employer create meaningful work experience for the student.