



Nebraska Career Education: Work-Based Learning

Work-based learning is an approach to education that gives students real-life, real-world experience that will prepare and motivate them to succeed in school and tomorrow's jobs. It combines quality academic classes at school (school-based learning) with hands-on learning and training in the workplace through job-shadowing and internships. It builds communication and partnerships between schools and employers while supporting individual student growth.

School-based learning programs in the Millard Public Schools

- Career counseling via the K-12 Counseling curriculum
- Career exploration classes in the middle schools
- Career & Technical Education courses in Business and Information Technology, Family & Consumer Sciences, and Industrial Technology
- Applied Academic Courses such as Journalism and Yearbook.
- Millard Career Academy Courses

Work-based learning programs in the Millard Public Schools

- Millard Career Academy Internships
- Co-curricular students groups (DECA, SkillsUSA, FCCLA, Educators Rising, HOSA)
- Internships and job-shadowing available for students
- Cooperative Education Programs: Marketing, Management
- Metropolitan Community College Career Academy Internships

Connecting Activities in Millard Public Schools

- Career Days at middle school and high school
- Project PAYBAC[®] (School-Business partnerships in all buildings)
- Career Speakers arranged through counseling
- Career Speakers arranged in courses
- Mentoring program