# **Rocky Mountain High School Career Readiness**

# Work-Based Learning Continuum

## **CAREER AWARENESS**

### **Learning ABOUT work**

RMHS students build awareness of the variety of careers available and the role of postsecondary education; broaden student options.

## **Student Learning Outcome**

Student can articulate the type of postsecondary education and training required in the career field.

### **Experiences might include:**

- Lobo 101 Class:
- Career Assessment/Skills Inventory
- Career Exploration
- ICAP Initial Formation
- Career Site Tour
- Guest Speakers
- Career XPo

#### **Career Awareness at RMHS:**

- WBL Career Tours
- Manufacturing Rocks
- Classroom Speakers
- Student Leadership Conference Presenters
- RMHS Career XPo
- RMHS Career Cabs
- RMHS Second Shift (after school)
- FRCC Career Pathway Tours
- College Tours
- Larimer County Workforce Center
- Naviance Career Assessments
- Transition IEP
- Transition Series
- College Fairs/site visits
- Military visits

## CAREER EXPLORATION

#### **Learning ABOUT work**

RMHS students explore career options and post-secondary for the purpose of motivating students and to inform their decision making in high school and postsecondary education.

## **Student Learning Outcome**

Student can give at least two examples of how skills and interests relate to the career field/occupation.

#### **Experiences might include:**

- Informational interview
- Job shadow
- Virtual exchange with partner

## **Career Exploration at RMHS**

- JA Job Shadows
- Intro to Business Info Interview
- Career and Financial Planning Job Shadow
- Financial Life Management Job shadow
- ACE Job Shadows
- WBL Informational Interviews
- Mock Interviews (Financial Planning courses)
- Mock Interviews (ACE and SWAP)
- Service Learning Opportunities
- College Tours
- Military Visits
- RMHS Career XPo
- RMHS Career Cabs

## **CAREER PREPARATION**

#### **Learning THROUGH work**

RMHS students apply learning through practical experience that develops knowledge and skills necessary for success in careers and post-secondary education

#### **Student Learning Outcome**

Student builds effective collaborative working relationships with colleagues, customers, supervisors or mentors.

## **Experiences might include:**

- School Based Business
- Projects with industry partners in student organizations
- Service learning and social enterprise with partners
- Internship connected to curriculum

## **Career Preparation at RMHS:**

- PWR Internship Program
- WBL and ACE
- RMHS Geometry and Construction
- Business Leadership Capstone
- Marketing Leadership Capstone
- FCS Capstone Courses
- DECA/FBLA/FCA/Robotics
- Student Run Businesses (Coffee Cart, Rock Stop, Concessions, Rocky Wraps, Geodome)
- Teacher Cadet

## **CAREER TRAINING**

#### **Learning FOR work**

RMHS students train for employment and/or post-secondary education in a specific range of occupations

#### **Student Learning Outcome**

Student demonstrates knowledge and skills specific to employment in a range of occupations in a career field.

#### **Experiences might include:**

- Internship required for credential or entry to occupation
- Apprenticeship
- Clinical experience
- On-the-job training
- Work experience

## **Career Training at RMHS:**

- PWR Internship Program
- WBL and ACE
- Advanced Placement Courses
- CU Succeed Courses
- Campus Select/High School Select Courses
- FRCC Career Pathways
- PaCE Buddies
- Technology Capstone

