

W-A-Y MICHIGAN[™] Widening Advancements for Youth

Words from the Director -James Middleditch

Hello Parents and Students!!

I hope that everyone continues to stay safe and healthy during the COVID-19 Crisis. We are continuing to provide support as usual. We expect students to continue to meet the five requirements of a researcher during this time. This includes logging in 5 days a week, communicating with their mentor 3-5 times a week, and earning .125 credit a week. To earn .125 credits students should be completing 1-2 projects a week. Through the end of the year I will continue to put out video updates when I can to provide any important updates on the current situation. All Re-enrollment forms are due. If you have not turned it in already, please complete the form as soon as possible to save your student's seat for next school year. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the office at 313-638-2716 or email us

at enroll@wayprogram.net.



LIVE Sessions

If a HERO email is received by a researcher that says "LIVE Session ASSIGNED", that unfortunately means you or your researcher is not on track to earn the credits that they should. We want to help with that! Please don't think of a LIVE Session as a punishment.... Assigning LIVE Sessions is our way of trying to HELP those who are not on track at that point in time.

Reports are created on Monday morning. If a researcher is low in credits, we jump in and assign them to work with one of us. They are required to attend, but also to work and to submit work. The end result is.... researchers earn credit! Isn't that the goal we all have for you or your researcher? It's a WIN-WIN for everyone!

-Peggy Radzwion

WAY'S Inspiration

"My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive and to do so with some passion, some compassion, some humor, and some style." - Maya Angelou

College & Career News

For the Month of May, I will be hosting 2 Virtual College Tours for 12th and 11th grade students. They will be on May 8th at 1pm and May 22nd at 1pm. There will be over 10 colleges in attendance for the students to tour virtually. If you are interested in the colleges that will be represented please send me a message in hero. Also, I will also be hosting 2 FAFSA/Resume Workshops on May 15th at 1pm and May 29th at 1pm. In these workshops, students will learn how to properly fill out the FAFSA and how to create a resume that will help them get a job. I look forward to working with your student to plan for their future success.

-Jackee Patterson



