MENTOR PROGRAM

"College, Career, Leadership"

A NEW BEGINNING

The Mentor Program provides motivated high school students with an opportunity to learn at an advanced level as they spend time onsite with a professional in their career field of choice. Some past mentor experiences were in the following fields:

accounting	education	law	photography
advertising	engineering	law enforcement	physical therapy
architecture	family life specialist	marketing	public relations
business management	fashion buyer	medicine	purchasing
communications	fine arts	meterology	social work
computer science	genetics	nursing	veterinary medicine
dentistry	geology	occupational therapy	
economics	journalism	performing arts	

Mentor Seminar

7790 Mentor Seminar	Grades 11,12	One period, One trimester, Fall, Winter, Spring
	Prerequisite:	Mentor Program Coordinator Approval
	Credits:	1*

Mentor Seminar is a college and career prep course to prepare you for your future. Students will identify personal interests and skills to guide them while exploring college options and researching career opportunities. Students will develop professional skills, including interviewing, networking and interpersonal communication. The opportunity to meet with a professional in your chosen career field brings the real world to the classroom. Students are strongly encouraged to enroll in Mentor Field Experience to complete the Mentor Program. Students may also take Mentor Seminar as a stand-alone course.

Mentor Field Experience

7791 Mentor Field Experience Trimester 1	Grades 11,12	Two periods, One trimester, Fall, Winter, Spring
7792 Mentor Field Experience Trimester 2	Prerequisite:	Mentor Seminar
7793 Mentor Field Experience Trimester 3	Credits:	2*

Mentorship in the workplace with a career professional is a blueprint for high performance. This course is experience-based. Leave the classroom behind as you enter the professional's world to gain exposure in the career field of your choice. In addition to a weekly class session with your instructor and peers, you will be released from school to work with your career professional to learn first-hand what your career is all about. You will select and design an individual project under the guidance of your mentor and instructor. This course targets advanced level learners and requires a high level of student independence and responsibility. **Students must provide their own transportation to their mentor site.**