



First Choice Update

11/14/2024



9-12 First Choice Opportunities / Work-Based Learning

- Emely Zapata - Started new internship at The Nest at Pequea Early Learning Center
- Kaylyn Root - Started new internship at the Lancaster School of Cosmetology
- Manufacturer's Association Pre-Apprenticeship: We have five learners participating in this valuable hands-on training program
 - Austin Slaymaker
 - Julian Stacey
 - Jason Whiteman
 - Zion Arnold
 - Kyle Hartman
 - On 11/1/24 - Traveled to Goodhart and Sons for the kickoff celebration and tour. Got an overview of the manufacturing process from bidding, designing, fabricating, and installing jobs.
 - On 11/7/24 - Visited the York Expo Center for an interactive career fair featuring manufacturing companies from York, Lancaster, Harrisburg, and more. Had the opportunity to hear a keynote from the Navy, highlighting their Build a Submarine Manufacturing Program.
 - On 11/12 - Attended Precision Measurement and Basic Shop Math Training at the Workforce Development Board



- Independent Electrical Contractors Pre-Apprenticeship.
 - Matthew Davis has continued to meet with a high level of success in learning the basics of becoming an electrician. Some of the concepts learned include: conduit bending calculations, blueprint reading and interpretation, OSHA safety as applied to electrical work, calculation of loads, current draws, wattage, and voltage using Ohm's Law.
- On October 23, 2024, our junior class engaged in a PV First Choice Discovery Mentor Connect Breakfast Event at PVHS in the Media Center. Mentors asked about summer experiences, current schedules and plans for senior year, first choice, and what they goals for the remainder of the year.





- On November 6th, many of our PV learners engaged in evaluating our CRL work-based learning High Five Scenarios. They worked in small groups to discuss and rate given scenarios that will be utilized across the Lancaster Area.



Career Exploration Field Trips

- On 10/22 - 12 of our Junior Learners attended the Discovering Pathways Mentor Program at Spooky Nook through the Lancaster Chamber. During this event, they were given an overview of local opportunities in STEM careers and to hear from their mentors on what a future in these fields entails.

Junior Achievement Day:

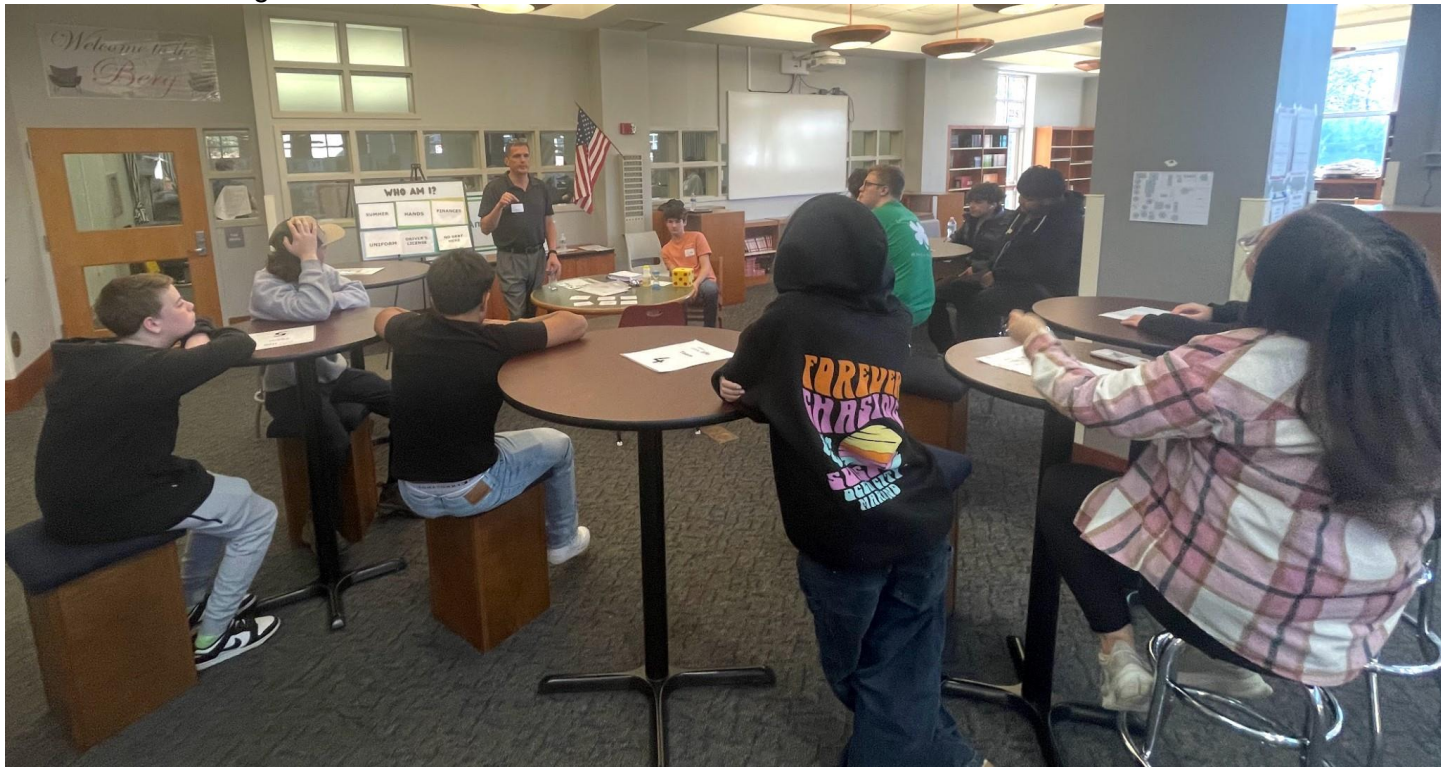
- On Friday, November 8th, our Junior Class engaged in a full-day financial literacy event through Junior Achievement and First Choice Programs. Our learners reported a high level of satisfaction with the event as they learned specific budgeting and money management skills in a variety of activities, simulation games, and workshops.

Interview Tips Question Jenga





Who Am I - Challenge Interactive Game:



Game of Life:



Price is Right Activity:



Budgeting Workshop:





- On 11/13 - 5 of our learners traveled to Conrad Seigel in Harrisburg for an Actuarial Science Exploration Career Day Event.
 - Kyle Flaim
 - Leah Mees
 - Taylor Gehman
 - Heard from professionals in various fields related to actuarial science.
 - Had the opportunity to interact with these professionals, ask questions, and find out more about these lesser-known high-skills careers.

