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CAREER CENTER NEWSLETTER



LATINO EXPO: PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

Patino students had the opportunity to meet with several college representatives that participated in this year's 2024 Latino Expo. The event was held November 1st at the Valdez Hall.



COLLEGE READY

Students gathered information from universities and attended college preparation workshops.



MANUFACTURING SUMMIT

Students attended the San Joaquin Valley Manufacturing Alliance “Valley Made” Summit to learn more about manufacturing companies, technologies, and careers. They spoke with many company representatives regarding how to craft components that can be 3-d printed but remain durable, can withstand high water pressure, and can maintain functionality when left outside in the elements. Students received advice on their business ideas and offers of further collaboration after the event.





WELCOME TO PATIÑO

Patiño welcomes new staff member, Andrea Morales to its amazing team! Andrea is Patiño’s new Attendance Records Assistant. Stop by the main-office and give her a warm Patiño welcome.



CAREER CENTER SERVICES

Meet with Ms. Sanchez in the Main-Office for resume assistance, work permits, job search, employment application assistance, career exploration, mock interview practice or any career/college related topic.

Available-M-T-TH-F 8AM - 430PM

Email: theresa.sanchez@fresnounified.org

-GETTING STARTED-

STUDENTS SIGN INTERNSHIP AGREEMENTS AND MEET CLIENTS

Students in the 10th grade Web and Online Marketing class were hired as interns by Quiq Labs to create a website for a local business. They participated in the Client Networking Mixer to meet prospective clients, ask questions about website and business goals, and learn about the different needs of each client. They also met with former interns about what the experience was like last year, received advice for working with clients, and asked questions about the types of artifacts they would be asked to create. Finally, students signed the internship agreement at Signing Day.





COACHING ADVICE ON NEXT STEPS TO ADVANCE



As part of the 12th grade Business Accelerator course, students continue working on their business plans from junior year. This year, we had multiple industry partner coaches ask students to share their business plans, goals, progress towards those goals, and how they intend to take the next steps towards a strong launch.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 7, 2025 SENIOR MOCK INTERVIEW DAY

MARCH 21, 2025 PATIÑO CAREER FAIR

WINTER BREAK

WINTER BREAK WORK PERMIT PROCESS

For Fresno Unified Students Only:
If you need a work permit during Winter Break, please contact the College and Career Readiness office in Fresno Unified School District:

College & Career Readiness Office
4120 N First Street
Fresno, CA 93726
(559)248-7465

Hours: 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

The College & Career Readiness Office will process and issue work permits on the following dates:
December 23, 26, 27, 30, 31, 2024
and January 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, & 10, 2025

11TH GRADE SOLUTION PITCHES

As part of the Business Incubator course, students create a business idea. They begin by identifying a problem in the world, researching that problem and current solutions, and interviewing potential customers. This year, students went to Fresno State to hear about business options at Fresno State, including camps and programs they can get started on now as high school students.





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