



Let's Link Up!



NEW KENT CAREER CONNECTIONS

**Connecting Students with
Community Expertise**

A Few Ways to Partner with Us

- Interviewer, Mock Interview Day.
- Class Speaker, topic of your choice.
- Represent company at Employment Expo-job fair.
- Showcase your career field at Career Cafes and/or Career Days.
- Volunteer teacher (6th)-teach Jr. Achievement's "It's My Future".

**Scan Here to Register
with Career Connections**



Who Are Some of Our Current Partners?

Allan Myers **eCMMS**
N.N. Shipbuilding **Old Navy**
Jr. Achievement **Henderson, Inc.**
Lumber Liquidators



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Why I Participate!

"Career readiness isn't something that starts when students go to college or start their first jobs, It happens in K-12, because volunteers give of their time, treasure, & talent, providing guidance, insights & opening doors to career possibilities."

-Kathleen Powell
Assoc. Vice President of
Career Development
College of William & Mary



What Students & Employers Say

"When companies come to us it helps us feel like there is more opportunity out there."

-Armando Carey

"It gives students new perspectives with job opportunities & we realize the benefits."

-James Coleson

"Henderson, Inc. is absolutely committed to partnering with local high schools in an effort to educate young people."

-Julie Russell
Project Manager



What Are the Benefits of Volunteering?

- **Personal sense of giving back.**
- **Visibility for the company you represent.**
- **Opportunity to directly impact students' career growth.**
- **Potential hiring pipeline.**



"Bringing employers' perspectives to our students opens their eyes to more options & future opportunities. When you have hands-on, real-world learning taking place, it makes the classroom come alive & genuine learning takes place."

-Christine Pedersen
CTE Educator
New Kent High School

What Is Career Connections?

NKCPS is committed to creating life-ready graduates.. We would like to tap your expertise to help us achieve this mission. Whether you are a parent, community member, or local employer. we want to partner with you!

Career Connections offers a variety of volunteer opportunities for you or your company. We create a database of volunteers & connect them to meaningful experiences in our schools.

How Do I Participate?

STEP 1: Fill out the Google Form. Indicate what type(s) of volunteering interest you. Scan the QR Code on the back of the brochure or go to:
<https://forms.gle/BEbREq7xBPeb3c2s5>

STEP 2: Peggy Spiak, the College, Career & Life Readiness Coordinator, will contact to get specific details regarding how you wish to volunteer.

STEP 3: Mrs. Spiak will connect you directly to the volunteering opportunity and serve as your liaison to facilitate the arrangements.