



Career Pathways

2024/25 EDUCATION PATHWAY

A TOTAL OF 430 SPPS STUDENTS ENGAGED IN ONE OR MORE OF THESE EXPERIENCES
90% OF THESE STUDENTS IDENTIFY AS STUDENTS OF COLOR.

Goal: Create equitable opportunities for students, particularly students of color, to actively explore and engage with the education profession, fostering future representation.



HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES

- **Foundational Course:**
 - Exploring Education & Social Justice
- **Minneapolis College Concurrent Enrollment:**
 - Introduction to Urban Education (3 college credits)
 - Multicultural Approaches to Education (3 college credits)
- **University of Minnesota College in the Schools:**
 - Exploring the Teaching Profession 1 (3 college credits)
 - Exploring the Teaching Profession 2 (3 college credits)

A TOTAL OF 302 STUDENTS ENROLLED IN EDUCATION PATHWAY CLASSES, WITH 90% IDENTIFYING AS STUDENTS OF COLOR.



ENRICHMENT

- University of Minnesota: Field Day
- University of River Falls Education Day
- Mankato State University college visit
- Concordia University college visit
- SPPS Classroom observations/volunteers
- Black Men Teach Summit
- Volunteer at Junior Achievement Biz Town
- School Leadership experiences
- Field Trip: Little Rock, 1942 Play
- Education Pathway meetings
- Elevate Teaching: Youth As Champions



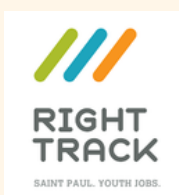
80 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN PAID INTERNSHIPS

- District Wide Education Pathway Internships (students received class credit & were paid)
- Spring Right Track Education Internships
- Students interned at SPPS Elementary and Middle Schools.



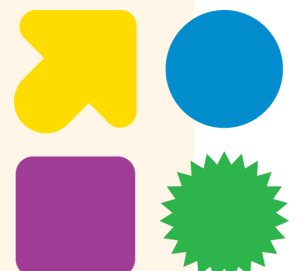
SCHOLARSHIP

- Awarded 3 \$5,000 Future Educator Scholarships to students pursuing a degree in Education.



IMPACTFUL PARTNERSHIPS

- SPPS Education Pathway Advisory Committee
- Black Men Teach
- City of Saint Paul Right Track
- Junior Achievement
- Elevate Teaching
- Generation Next
- Saint Paul Federation of Educators
- Freedom Schools



QUESTIONS?

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