

EAR LY COLLEGE

Employer Involvement

**Opportunities**

SHORT-TERM ACTIVITIES

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Guest Speaker

30-60 minutes (per class) Speak to a group of students and teachers about your

career, training and skills, or

about general business topics.

Job Shadow

2-8 hours

Allow students to observe daily routines and activities of your job.

Company Tour

1-2 hours

Allow classes of students and/or teachers to view an organizations facility and operations.

Mock/Informational Interview

15-60 min. (per interview) Help students develop their interviewing skills and provide

constructive feedback.

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Business Round Table

4 hours

Discuss trends and industry standards.

Competition Judge

1-8 hours

Help judge student projects and provide constructive feedback.

Career Fair

2-8 hours

Host a booth or meeting with a small group of students/job seekers as they explore their career options.

MID-TERM ACTIVITIES

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Project Advisor and Support

1-15 hours (varies)

Provide support to students while they explore real-world problems and challenges.

Teacher Summer Site Visit

2-4 hours

Let teachers visit your business site to learn daily routines and activities of a company.

Curriculum Advisor

1-15 hours

Help teachers consult with experts about industry trends in order to align with high school curriculum.

LONG-TERM ACTIVITIES

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Mentor

1+ hours/week

Respond to student questions and offer advice via web discussion board.

Teacher Summer Externship

1-2 days

Provide teachers with an opportunity to learn more about your organization, your industry and the needs in the region.

Committee Member

1-40 hours

Participate in workforce development and education preparatory committees.

Internship

120 hours

Provide students with “hands- on” learning in the area of their career interests.

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