

PEP TALKS

Welcome to Pep Talks. I am Mrs. Pepper and my new position this year is Career Pathway and Transition Coordinator. My updates throughout the school year will be from the Freshmen Transition Team, Community Involvement/Career Exploration class and our Career Pathways. Enjoy and Go Steamers!!



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & CAREER EXPLORATION

THERE ARE 32 SENIORS ENROLLED IN CICE FOR THE 2024 SEMESTER OF WHICH 13 HAVE TWO BLOCKS SCHEDULED. OUT OF THOSE 13, FIVE ARE PLACED WITH TWO DIFFERENT BUSINESSES. ANOTHER IMPORTANT NOTE IS THAT 14 OF THE PLACEMENTS ARE WITHIN OUR SCHOOL DISTRICT. STUDENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING AN ASSIGNMENT EVERY MONDAY AND TURNING IN SIGNATURE SHEETS EVERY FRIDAY. THEY ARE ALL WITH WONDERFUL PARTNERSHIPS THAT ARE PROVIDING OUR STUDENTS WITH CAREER EXPERIENCE AS THEY PREPARE FOR GRADUATION.

PATHWAYS

FULTON HIGH SCHOOL OFFERS FOUR PATHWAYS THAT STUDENTS CAN WORK THROUGH TO EARN AN ENDORSEMENT THAT CAN PROVIDE MORE SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, GUARANTEED JOB INTERVIEWS, AND A HEAD START ON THEIR FUTURE. THE PATHWAYS INCLUDE: EDUCATION, HEALTH SCIENCE, MANUFACTURING, AND AGRICULTURE. ON SEPTEMBER 3RD, FHS WILL BE HOLDING A PATHWAY RECRUITMENT EVENT TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH INFORMATION ABOUT THE VARIOUS PROGRAMS. THEY WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO CHOOSE A PATH. THIS DOES NOT LOCK THEM INTO ONE AREA. TRANSFERRING TO ANOTHER PATHWAY LATER IS A POSSIBILITY. ON SEPTEMBER 30TH, STUDENTS WITH AN INTEREST IN PATHWAYS WILL MEET FOR AN ORIENTATION EVENT AND BEGIN THE PROCESS OF ENDORSEMENT. CURRENTLY WE HAVE THREE SENIORS WORKING THROUGH THE PATHWAY PROGRAM, ONE IN MANUFACTURING AND TWO IN EDUCATION. WE HAVE STARTED PATHWAY PLANNING WITH 4 JUNIORS IN EDUCATION, WITH 2 MORE STUDENTS SHOWING INTEREST AT THE SOPHOMORE AND FRESHMAN LEVEL. THROUGH THE RECRUITMENT AND ORIENTATION WE HOPE TO SEE THOSE NUMBERS INCREASE.

FRESHMEN TRANSITION TEAM

THE FRESHMEN TRANSITION TEAM WORKS HARD TO MAKE SURE OUR STUDENTS ARE TRANSITIONING SUCCESSFULLY INTO HIGH SCHOOL. WE MEET EVERY TUESDAY TO CELEBRATE STUDENTS AND DISCUSS AREAS FOR SUPPORT. CURRENTLY, 5TH HOUR TIME IS DEDICATED TO WORK COMPLETION. SWIM CLASS WILL PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH VARIOUS RESOURCES INCLUDING: QUICK ACCESS TO THE STUDENT HANDBOOK, A COMPILED LIST OF TEACHER EXPECTATIONS, AND AN ELECTRONIC AGENDA MONITORED DAILY. THIS WEEK WE WILL BE INTRODUCING THE 40 DEVELOPMENTAL ASSETS. THIS IS A RESEARCH BASED CURRICULUM FROM THE SEARCH INSTITUTE. YOU WILL BE ASKED TO HELP YOUR CHILD COMPLETE AN ASSIGNMENT COVERING THESE ASSETS AND HOW THEY RELATE TO THEIR LIFE. I THANK YOU FOR TAKING 10-15 MINUTES OUT OF YOUR BUSY SCHEDULES TO HAVE THESE CONVERSATIONS.

