

Mohawk High School Career Day

Volunteer Presenters Needed

Career Day is Thursday, April 3rd, 2014.

We are looking for volunteers for our second annual Mohawk High School Career Day. Help our 7th through 12th grade students learn about various types of careers by sharing your experiences. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Principal, Ira Wier, at (541) 933-2411 ext. 1114 or via email at iwier@marcola.k12.or.us. Please read below for more details about the day.

Mohawk High School is excited to offer career exploration day for our students. Our Career Day creates a critical link between the classroom and the workplace by allowing students to explore various career options so that they can make informed educational and career choices.

Career Day is intended to benefit our students by:

- Introducing them to careers: students gain exposure to different careers.
- Connecting learning: speakers give students background on the type of education required for specific careers.
- Sharing the relevance of schoolwork: students observe how English, math, problem solving, teamwork, and other basic skills learned in the classroom are used on the job.
- Creating a career pathway: students discover which college majors or technical programs feed into different career paths.

Career Day Schedule of Events	
8:30 AM to 9:00 AM	Volunteers arrive, sign in, and set up in classrooms
9:00 AM to 9:25 AM	Career Day Session #1 (25 minutes)
9:30 AM to 9:55 AM	Career Day Session #2 (25 minutes)
10:00 AM to 10:25 AM	Career Day Session #3 (25 minutes)
10:40 AM to 11:10 AM	Open forum in the gym (30 minutes)
11:10 AM to 11:30 AM	Presenters debrief in the library (20 minutes)

To best support this goal, we have broken similar jobs into panels.

Each person on the panel is asked to answer the following questions about their job as well as questions asked by the attendees.

1. What does a typical day in your field look like?
2. What is the pay range for this industry?
3. What education/training do you need in order to be eligible for this field?
4. What are a few things you really like about your job?
5. What are the biggest challenges you face in your job?

Students will be given the list of panels and an opportunity to sign up for the ones they are most interested in.