

DPS Career Development Coach

MENTORING PROGRAM



Form a professional connection with an industry leader!

Coach Mentoring is a great program that matches middle and high school students with a professional in their industry of choice. Through the mentorship, you will have the unique opportunity to map out your academic and career plans with the help of someone from a career field you are interested in.

You'll meet 1-2 times per month, at either your school, a company, a higher ed campus or using an online virtual platform. During this time, you'll form a lasting, positive connection while developing your professional skills including professional greetings, introductions and conversation.

How to Get Involved with Coach

- 1 IT'S EASY!** | Talk to your school counselor or Career and Technical Education (CTE) teacher.

Coach Mentoring Program Highlights



7TH-12TH
student grade levels



3-4 HOURS/MONTH
for about 8 months



235 STUDENTS
in Coach in 2020-21

2020-21 Results

97% of students believe they are smart enough to enter a professional career after being a part of the Coach Mentoring program and feel capable of pursuing a career in a STEAM field

99% of students think Coach Mentoring should be offered at more schools and would recommend the program to a friend

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"I believe the coach mentoring program should be offered to other schools so other students could have the opportunity to explore careers and talk AND LEARN!"

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"Having a Coach beside you... helped me get a better understanding of what it's like to work in a professional environment. I was able to ask a lot of clarifying questions."

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