

Central Rivers AEA Work Experience Coordinator Responsibilities

- Work with students to assess strengths, interests and preferences before placement.
- Place students in an appropriate work site.
- Meet with employers and students to evaluate and support progress.
- Provide interventions and strategies.
- Maintain regular contact with students, school and employer.
- Collaborate with outside agencies to support transition services.

**For More Information on
Business Participation in the
Work Experience Program...**

**Central Rivers AEA
Transition Website**



CENTRAL RIVERS
AREA EDUCATION AGENCY

Central Rivers AEA is cultivating a workplace in which everyone feels welcome, provided with equitable opportunities and empowered to bring their authentic selves to work.

Central Rivers Area Education Agency

Work Experience Program

Central Rivers AEA Work Experience

- Students explore a variety of jobs and discover potential occupations in the local community.
- Students learn about the realistic demands of employment and grow in their ability to meet employer expectations.
- Students are 100% covered by school insurance during the school day while working.
- Students may earn high school credit.

Work Experience Extended Brochure



Student Benefits

- Gain confidence, maturity, independence and self-reliance.
- Develop values of strong work ethic and positive attitude.
- Become better communicators, leaders, and critical thinkers.
- Learn how to interact with employers and co-workers effectively.
- Observe collaboration, teamwork, and problem-solving first hand.
- Find success in non-academic areas while earning school credit.
- Increase self-awareness about job skills and preferences.
- Practice following directions and accepting feedback.
- Identify work skills/abilities and preferences.
- Discover potential occupations in the local community.

Employer Benefits

- Make a difference in the life of a young adult.
- Actively participate in the educational development of future citizens in the community.
- Assist the job site supervisor in determining job duties for work experience student.
- Give students a hands-on, vocational related education in areas not available in the tradition school setting.
- Build relationships with students, local school districts, AEA, and community partners.



16 Career Clusters

- Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
- Architecture & Construction
- Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
- Business Management & Administration
- Education & Training
- Finance
- Government & Public Administration
- Health Science
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Human Services
- Information Technology
- Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
- Manufacturing
- Marketing
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics
- Transportation, Distribution & Logistics