



JHS Class of 2023

Employment Planning Guide



Important items to consider when choosing to enter the workforce right after high school graduation are:

- * What career is a good fit?
- * What industries offer competitive salaries?
- * Is education and training offered?
- * Is advancement an option?
- * Are healthcare and other benefits offered?
- * What experience/skills qualify me for this job?

If undecided, start with viewing your YouScience results. Pay careful attention to the suggestions that match your aptitudes (skills in which you have natural ability) and interest (areas in which you have experience and want to learn more about).

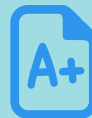
Knowing your best career fit will help you research industries offering those careers.

August 2022



- *Using YouScience results, list careers you are interested in exploring
- *Gain work experience through WBL (for fall enrollment, meet with Mrs. Bray by 5/20/22)
- *Meet with your Counselor
- *Consider Dual Enrollment to earn a certificate

Jan./Feb. 2023



- *Complete FAFSA or GSFAPP.
- *Keep up grades! GPA matters!
- *Work on resume
- *Request letters of recommendation from teachers/faculty

September 2022



- *Continue exploring career options
- *Research local workforce needs and career opportunities
- *Research Technical Colleges for training opportunities for specific training needed by employers

March & April 2023



- *Attend career/job fairs
- *Attend interview preparation opportunities
- *Continue to build resume and interview skills
- *Check JHS website for job opportunities

October 2022



- *FAFSA opens 10/1/22-consider attending family completion night at JHS if pairing employment with technical training.
- *Attend PROBE Fair at JHS 10/17/2022
- *Consider spring Dual Enrollment & meet with Counselor to apply

May 2023



- *Attend career/job fairs
- *Attend interview preparation opportunities
- *Continue to build resume and interview skills
- *Apply for employment
- *Graduate and send any documents, if needed, to employer.

Nov./Dec. 2022



- *Review HOPE/ZELL Miller GPA for grant purposes
- *Meet with Mrs. Bray if you plan to enroll in WBL for Spring 2023
- *Make sure you have classes needed to complete high school pathway to gain skills

Summer 2023



- *HOPE/ZELL Miller eligibility is not finalized until July 1. If taking summer courses, see your Counselor FMI.

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Check your Class of 2023 Google drive weekly for important updates and links to detailed information about applications, guest speakers, scholarships and "how to" tutorials on navigating the college planning process.

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