



ETHS Career Pathway Info Session

Apprenticeship, Trade, Work+

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Agenda

1. 2023-2024 ETHS Career Exploration Events
2. The WE Program
3. Stay Informed
 - a. SchoolLinks
 - b. Career Pathway Guide
4. DRS Services for individuals with Disabilities
5. 7 ETHS Career Pathways
6. Apprenticeships
7. Trade, Career and Vocational Training Programs
8. Military and Public Service Career Exploration at ETHS
9. Youth Job Center

2023-2024 Career Exploration Events

Work Based Learning (WBL)
Programs, Events, and Field
Trips for ETHS Students.

Stay informed...

- ETHS Calendar and Website
- ETHS Staff Quicklinks
- SchoolLinks Announcements
- [Career Pathway Google Site](#)
- Classroom Invitations
- Daily Bulletin/Announcements
- Read Emails

10/4 630pm Intro to Career Pathways [Zoom](#)

10/24 All day Wildkit Futures Day

10/25 All day Aviation Career Exploration Day

11/13 All day ETHS Military Visit Day W200J

11/28 TBD Career Pathway Field Trip
(Engineering Manufacturing, Trades)

12/4 TBD 2024 IKIT Spring Break and Summer
Application Opens

12/4 All day Vocational Trade School Visit Day w220J

12/11 8:30am ASVAB Exam @ ETHS Room W125

12/13 TBD Career Pathway Field Trip (Hospitality
and Culinary)

1/29 All day Health Care Career Expo Room A252

3/20 All day Career Pathway Fair Field House

ETHS Aviation Career Day

October 25, 2023 - ETHS Field House

ETHS Health Career Expo

January 29, 2024 - A252

ETHS Career Pathway Fair

March 20, 2024 - ETHS Field House

**Make sure to listen to announcements and
Check your email for Career Pathway
Exploration Field Trips!**



ETHS AVIATION CAREER EXPLORATION DAY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25



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Southwest

Women in Aviation
INTERNATIONAL

WESTERN
MICHIGAN
UNIVERSITY



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
SHAESTA WAIZ

ETHS AUDITORIUM
BLOCKS 2, 6A, 8

AVIATION CAREER EXPO

Activities

- ✓ Meet Flight Professionals
- ✓ Engage with Drone Technology
- ✓ Enjoy Flight Simulators and VR
- ✓ Explore Aviation Career Programs

LOCATION & TIME

Wed., October 25th
ETHS Fieldhouse
Blocks: 2, 4, 6A, 6B

For student and teacher classroom registration, go to:
www.tinyurl.com/2023AviationDay





IKIT Spring Break
IKIT Summer

Grades 10-12
Grades 11-12

Application opens in December!



THE WE PROGRAM

Our mission: to support young people by being the bridge that helps them launch a successful “tech or trade” career!



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What is the WE Program?





What you get in the WE Program?

1. **Paid internships! (\$1500 - \$3500 each summer)** *to help you explore careers that interest you!*
2. **Individualized career-coaching for up to 6 years** to get you started, to support you as you train, & to launch a career!
3. **Up to \$500** for a training program in the “tech or trades” ... *if it's not already free or even paid to train!*





What you get in the WE Program?

Workshops help you learn how to:

- *Communicate better at work,*
- *Understand what a boss/supervisor wants,*
- *Figure out what career may be right for you,*
- *Interview well & create a successful resume,*
- *Manage your money & budget,*
- *Connect with peers who are interested in the same career as you & with people in the community who can support you!*





How do I get into the WE Program?

Join one of our cohorts as a
junior or senior...
or even *after you graduate!*

Contact us at:

info@evanstonwe.org





What is the WE Program?

Have fun while getting
support to launch a career!

Email the
WE Program today!

info@evanstonwe.org!





Students and Parents Stay informed!

Career Pathway Google Site



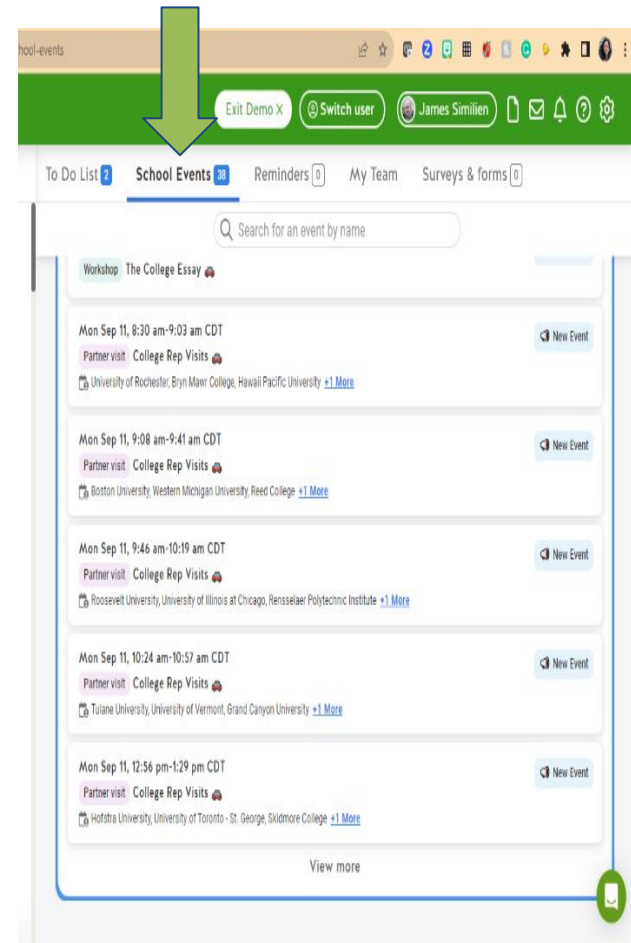
Our Mission: We are here to help all young people find their own path to a career. We believe there are many roads to success, so we work to shine the light on the full range of career opportunities and the many ways to get there. Whether their entry point is straight from high school or from college, we help young people make plans to choose a job with a future to succeed and to thrive.



ETHS CAREER PATHWAY GUIDE

The ETHS Career Pathways Guide is a resource designed to help students connect their course selection and extracurricular activities to their career interests and plans. The guide utilizes a career pathway framework to outline occupational choices and educational preparation that relate to the various groupings of career fields. The current employment outlook for the United States indicates that most jobs will require postsecondary education and training beyond high school. Whether a student is preparing to attend a four-year university, a two-year college, the military, or the workforce, the exploration of possible pathways is vital. Though many students may continue to change their minds throughout their high school careers about their pathway selections, it is valuable for students to explore multiple areas while still in high school to assist in decisions about where their skills and

SchoolLinks (“School Events”)



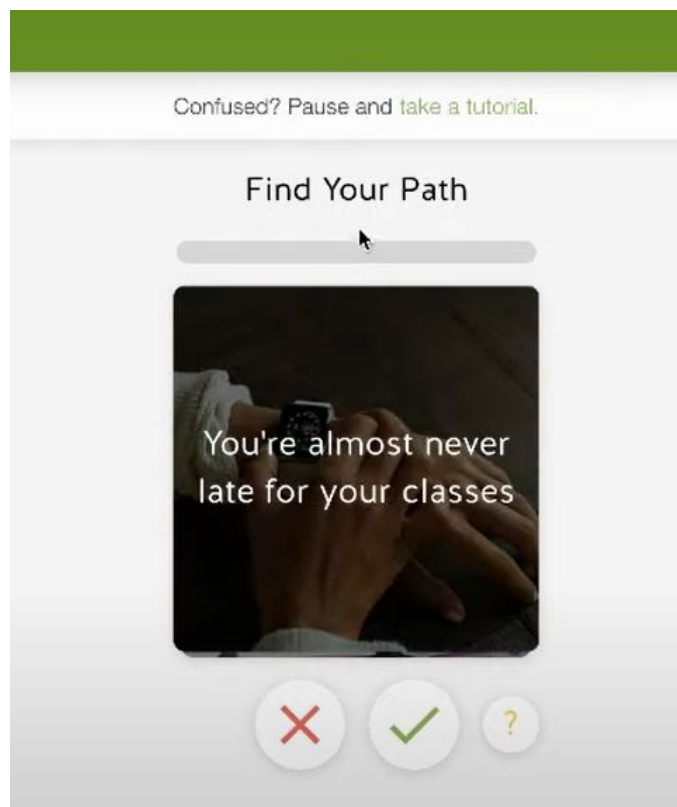


SchoolLinks

Explore Careers in SchoolLinks

College & Career Readiness:

- **Career Interest Assessments**
- **Career profiles**
 - Hot Careers
 - Military Careers
- **Career Opportunity Board**
 - Local Internship listings
 - Career Exploration Programs
 - Summer Enrichment Programs
- **College search**
- **Common App integration**
- **Student Events**
 - College Visits
 - Career Speakers and Fairs
- Virtual campus tours
-and more!



ETHS Career Pathway Guide

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Career Pathways: ETHS Career Pathways Guide

Evanston Township High School D202





7 ETHS Career Pathways





Common Post High School Options



- Apprenticeships
- Trade/Vocational School
- 2 Year Community College
- 4 Year College/University
- Full Time Work
- Military
- Gap Year Programs
- Transition Services for students with IEPs



Division of Rehabilitation Services

Individuals with Disabilities

DHS's Division of Rehabilitation Services (**DRS**) is the state's lead agency **serving individuals with disabilities**. DRS works in partnership with people with disabilities and their families to assist them in making informed choices to achieve full community participation through **employment, education, and independent living opportunities**.

Three programs in one department:

- 1. Vocational Rehabilitation (VR)**
2. Secondary Transitional Experience Program (STEP)
3. Home Service Program (HSP)

Vocational Rehabilitation Services

Employment support services (post high school)

- Employment specialist, job coach, etc.

Educational Support services (post high school)

- Trade School, Certificate Program, College/University (based on DRS criteria)

Seniors (only) can complete the [DRS Web Referral](#) between **December- February** to get services for the following year.

Questions? Contact

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Transition & Voc. Coordinator

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Apprenticeships



What is an Apprenticeship?



- **\$\$\$ Earn while you learn \$\$\$**
- On-the-Job Training
- Gain valuable transferable skills
- Work towards nationally recognized credentials
- Advance in a chosen career
- Progress into higher education
 - Paid by employer
- Debt Free!



US Department of Labor

How #ApprenticeshipWorks



David's Success Story





Culinary Demo @ ETHS in Fall 2019



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**Culinary Apprenticeship Opportunity
after High School**



Pre-Apprenticeship Program

Our Illinois Works funded pre-apprenticeship program is a **8 week, FREE training** to prepare adults for building trades apprenticeships, including unions.

Strict Attendance Policy

Pre-Apprentices Receive:

- Basic Construction Safety, NCCER Core Credential, OSHA 10 Construction, and CPR/First Aid
- Stipend, Transportation Assistance, Work Clothes, Tools and PPE
- Supportive Services, including apprentice application support and job placement assistance.
- Graduates apply to apprenticeship programs in a variety of trades, including plumbing, electricians, bricklayers, painters, sheet-metal workers, and more!

1245 Hartrey Avenue, Evanston

Monday-Friday

9:30am-3:30pm



Who can join?

This program is for people interested in training for a career in the building trades. Applicants must be at least 18 years old, have a high school diploma or GED; a minimum 6th grade reading and math level, and be interested in moving into a building trades apprenticeship program or related employment.

Apprenticeship Opportunities



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- SKILLS
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Trade, Career, and Vocational Training Programs



What is a Trade School?



Trade schools train students for careers in a skilled trade



Programs are focused on specific skills for a future job



Examples include programs to be an electrician, mechanic, or chef

- Gives students technical, **hand-on** skills to prepare for a specific occupation.
- **Quick Careers!** 2 months - 2 Years
- **Affordable = Less Debt!....sometimes FREE!**

Automotive

Cosmetology

Info Technology(IT)

Construction/Trades

Dental Hygienist

Medical Assistant

Culinary

Health Care

...and more!



The DuPage County 2023 TRADE Apprenticeship Expo

Wednesday, November 1st

3:30-6:30 pm

Session 1 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Session 2 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:

IBEW Local 701 Union Hall
28600 Bella Vista Parkway
Warrenville, IL 60555

Watch [Expo Video](#)

Register to attend by October 30th

<https://powerforwarddupage.com/news/2023-registration/>





ETHS Field Trip Opportunity 10/18/23



CAREER DAY

Powering Your Career Path



See Mrs. Vazquez
W220B for a
field trip form

Space is limited to 40



Wed. October 18th

Meet 8:15 am ETHS Door#3. Return by 3pm

THE DAY CONSISTS OF:

- A 45-minute session with a ComEd executive
- Opportunities for students to learn about career paths within ComEd (Construction, Engineering, IT, HR, Finance, etc.)
- Fun and interactive activities to spark student curiosity like tours of fleet vehicles, drones in action, a 360° photo booth and more
- Lunch for all students

For questions, contact ComEdCareerExpo@comed.com.

*This field trip opportunity is a collaboration of the
ETHS College & Career Services Office & AVID Program*





Com Ed - Careers in Trades



A green-tinted photograph of a car repair shop. In the foreground, a person is partially visible on the left. In the background, several cars are on lifts, and a person is working on a car on the right. The text "TRADE SCHOOL PROS & CONS" is overlaid in the center.

TRADE SCHOOL PROS & CONS



Oakton College has over 150 Career Associate and Certificate Career Programs

Visit www.oakton.edu for more info!

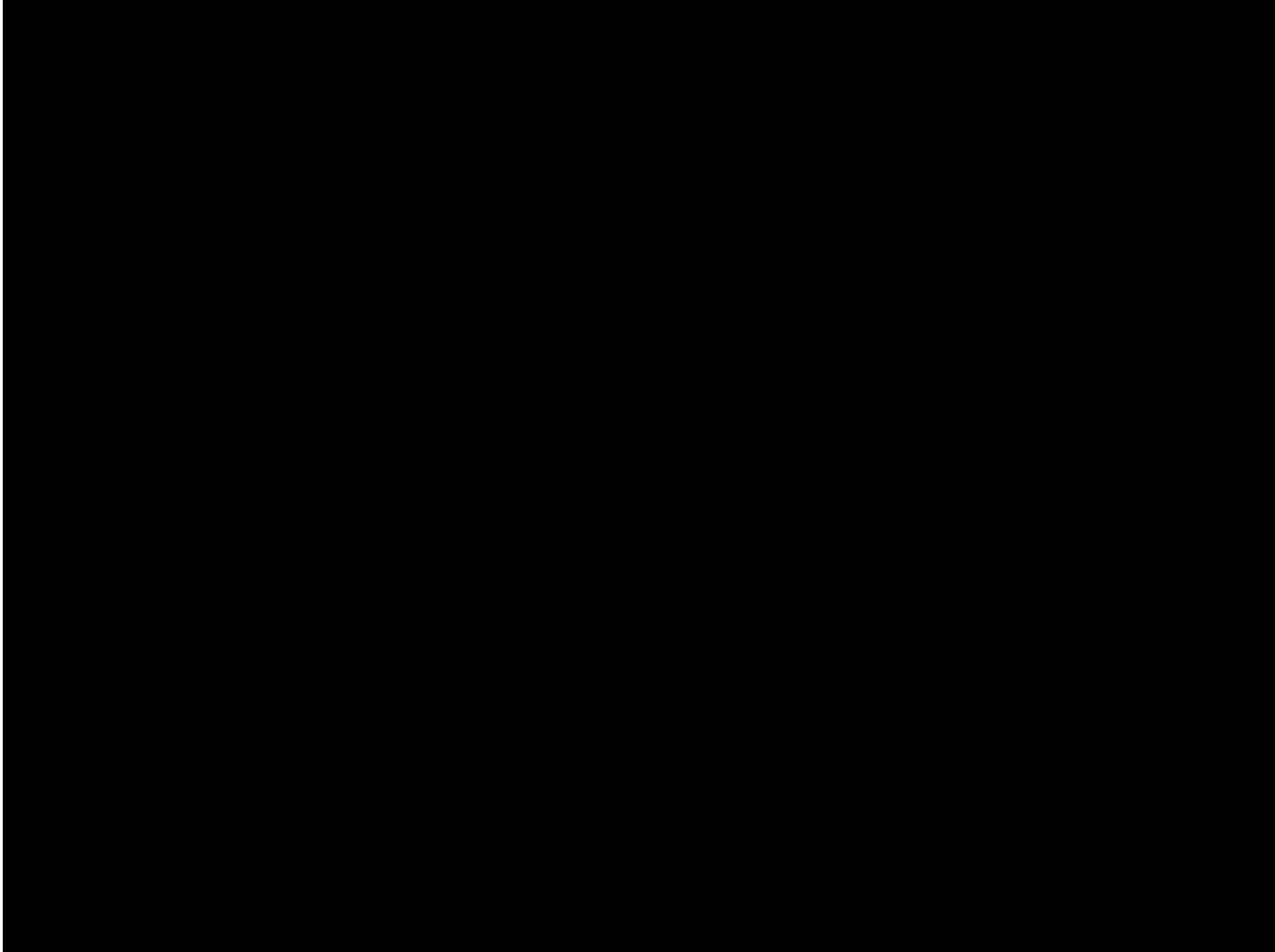
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Medical Laboratory Technology**
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Nursing, Basic Nurse Assistant Training
Pharmacy Technician
Physical Therapist Assistant**
Radio Frequency Identification
Substance Abuse Counseling





NorthShore University Health System ASPIRE - Career Training in Health Care



Nichole Valdez Arauez, Class of 2024



ASPIRE Healthcare Workforce Scholarship

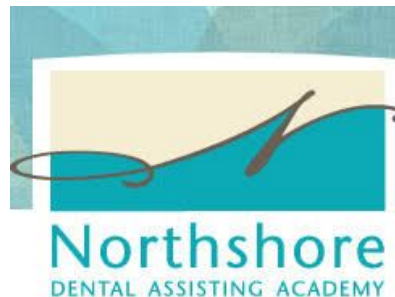


Sponsor: City of Evanston – ASPIRE Program

Scholarship for students demonstrating interest in health careers. Recipients must be residents of the City of Evanston or current student/graduate of Evanston Township High School living in Oakton's District. Student must be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or DACA recipient. Selected scholars are eligible for internship opportunities and interview for employment in the NorthShore Healthcare System. The award can support tuition, books, fees, and other expenses as needed.

<https://oakton.academicworks.com/opportunities/2911>

Local Trade Schools and Career Training Programs





Military & Public Service Career Exploration



Military Exploration @ ETHS

- Goal is to educate and inform the student on careers in Public Service
- **Mon. Nov 13th - Military Visit Day @ ETHS**
 - Yearly. Week of Veterans Day
 - U.S. Enlistment Branches
 - U.S. Military Academies
 - Juniors and Seniors register in SchoolLinks under “School Events”
- **Mon. Dec 11th - ASVAB Exam @ ETHS**
 - Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery Exam
- **Virtual/In-Person Private Appointments by request**
 - Student, Recruiter, Parent and Liaison
- **ETHS Futures Day (In Fall)**
- **ETHS Career Pathway Fair (In Spring)**
- **Field Trips**





Evanston Fire & Police Explorers



- Evanston Youth age 14-20
- Job Shadow, Ride-a-Longs, Hand-on trainings
- \$51 Fee (Scholarships available)
- Hiring preference given

<https://www.cityofevanston.org/>



Evanston Fire Dept. News Release

Tuesday, August 25, 2020 | [View in browser](#)

Evanston Fire Department and Oakton Community College collaborate to create tuition-free firefighter apprenticeship program



EVANSTON, IL - The Evanston Fire Department in collaboration with Oakton Community College has established their first public service apprenticeship program, allowing residents of Evanston to gain a career path in fire service tuition-free.

Evanston residents who are at least 17 years of age are eligible to apply for the three-year apprenticeship program. They will work, train and learn in preparation to test for a full-time appointment as an Evanston firefighter/paramedic. Students from Evanston Township High School are encouraged to apply.



Military & Public Service Career Exploration Opportunities



U.S. AIR FORCE



Youth Job Center

Employment Services & Opportunities



Youth Job Center, Inc.
1114 Church St. Evanston, IL 60201



- <https://youthjobcenter.org/>
- 2 Offices- ETHS and Church St.
- Thursdays in Hub W220F
 - By Appointment only
 - <https://calendly.com/youthjobcenter>
- Call 847-864-5627
- Youth age 16-25
- Email info@youthjobcenter.org

Job Placement - Work Readiness Trainings - Advising



YJC Job Board

<https://youthjobcenter.org/jobboard>



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Thank you!

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