Generating Roadmaps Explaining Elements to Navigate

Getting Real Educational Experiences Now

Go Research Everything Engaging & New

What: Junior College/Career Fair

When: Spring semester of Junior Year – April/May

Planning Ideas

Invite assorted universities/community college Reps.

Invite all Branches of Armed Services

Invite local MICHIGAN WORKS office personnel

Invite community resources-Library-Govt agencies-Banks/Credit unions

Invite one/two persons representing each of 6 career paths.-Involve your parents/Board members/ etc.

Invite "graduates" returning from first year of college/trade/tech school or work.

Design of day or ½ Day

Keynoter-to start day for students-(Time used for your reps to set up tables/displays).

Divide number of attendees into rotations-Space and resources will determines this.

Students may be allowed to visit ALL sites, or if you can organize a "schedule", have them pick top 3 places/people they want to visit.

Presentations include-WHY Community College/Why Armed Services/Getting A Job/How to Choose a College (see power pt. script) and Career Pathway Presentations/Peer Panel.

Other things-If you can, provide students with folders or something to gather information. Armed Services can sometimes provide "bags" or freebees.

Provide guests with Goodie Bag of water, etc to Thank them.

Get Local media to cover event.

Do an evaluation sheet for students/participants.