## **Mentors Wanted!**

If you are interested in mentoring, or know someone who might be, please contact us. We are always on the lookout for new community partners!



To inquire about being a mentor, or to learn more about our program, please contact:

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### **2022 Mentorship Expo**



#### WHERE

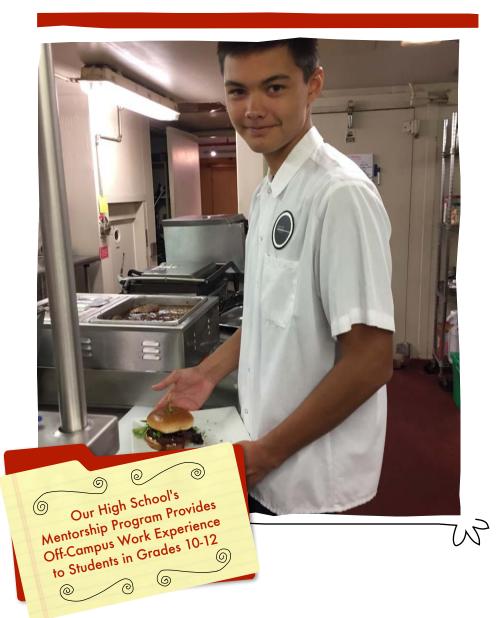
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## **Mentorship Program**



# What Is The Mentorship Program?

Assets High School's Mentorship Program extends learning beyond the curriculum. It enhances self-esteem through career-related responsibility and provides access to community role models. Mentorship challenges and develops students' strengths, talents, and interests. The program helps students make critical connections between school-based academics and hands-on experience that affect their personal and career development. Through their mentorship experiences, students learn about themselves, the working world, and how they can best fit into a professional environment.

The Mentorship Program matches students, based on their interests and personal qualifications, with various companies and organizations in the community. Students in grades 10 through 12 work for high school credit at their mentorship sites every Wednesday from September through April. Students typically work for the equivalent of a full Wednesday school day (i.e., 5.5 hours), during specific shift times that are mutually beneficial to students and mentors. On occasion, students and mentors also opt to have students fulfill their 5.5 hour-per-week time requirement on days other than Wednesdays so that students have greater opportunities to experience the mentorship site.

Mentorship is a required high school course in which students earn credit for graduation.



#### What Is Expected of Mentors?

Mentors share their time, expertise, and experience with Assets students. While providing workplace learning and supervision to our students, mentors serve as positive role models and contribute to students' education and growth.



### What Is Expected of Students?

Assets students are required to proceed through a mock application process that includes resume and cover letter writing and personal interviews prior to beginning at their mentorship sites.

Assets students are expected to demonstrate responsibility, a strong work ethic, and commitment to the learning experiences at their mentorship sites. They are required to adapt to the standards of dress and behavior appropriate to their mentorship duties. Faculty members who serve as Mentorship Monitors support students on this front as they oversee students' performance and progress at mentorship sites.

Students are expected to earn satisfactory performance evaluations from mentors. In addition, students must complete a variety of mentorship assignments, including regular reflections and an independent project related to their learning experiences. The project is presented at the Mentorship Expo, an annual event held in April that is attended by parents, mentors, and other interested members of the community.



