

ACADEMIC AND CAREER PLANNING

SURING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

At each grade level (6-12), students will utilize the Career Cruising software tool to implement their goal setting and planning by developing and/or reviewing their personal Academic and Career Plan (ACP) with guidance from adult mentors (staff, administration, counselors, parents).

This is meant to be a gradual process that builds from year to year and supports the unique development of each student. Student goals and plans are expected to change as they grow.



9th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Update Career Cruising Assessments to identify any key changes that could affect goals or plans.
- ★ Identify an adult mentor/advisor from their ACP network.
- ★ Gain post secondary exposure.
- ★ Participate in career based learning opportunities.
- ★ Align course selections with potential fields



10th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Conduct research on one career of interest.
- ★ Create a resume and understand the importance of building a resume over time.
- ★ Document volunteer and extra curricular activities in Career Cruising.
- ★ Participate in career based learning opportunities.
- ★ Align course selections with potential fields of interest.
- ★ Revise career and life goals in the ACP.



11th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Evaluate and search post secondary opportunities.
- ★ Review assessment results and how they support post secondary opportunities.
- ★ Understand financial aid opportunities.
- ★ Participate in a real world exposure to career or college.
- ★ Meet with school counselor to discuss post secondary options.
- ★ Align course selections with potential fields of interest.



12th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Develop a post-secondary transition plan.
- ★ Develop a back-up plan.
- ★ Journal a reflective evaluation.
- ★ Meet with school counselor to discuss post secondary options.
- ★ Revise career and life goals in the ACP.



6th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Understand terms and definitions related to their ACP.
- ★ Complete Career Matchmaker and Learning Styles in Career Cruising
- ★ Select 3 careers of interest (minimum) based on Career Cruising assessments.
- ★ Set career and life goals in Career Cruising.



7th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Explore each of the 16 career clusters.
- ★ Save 4 careers and one career cluster into their ACP after completing the matchmaker inventories in Career Cruising.
- ★ Revise career and life goals in their ACP.
- ★ Begin to think about course selection to align with life goals.



8th Grade Student Outcomes:

- ★ Complete Career Cruising Matchmaker, My Skills and Learning Styles.
- ★ Choose 4 careers to add to ACP based on assessment results.
- ★ Complete a self reflect in My Journal.
- ★ Understand graduation requirements and how to read a transcript.
- ★ Align course selections with potential fields of interest.
- ★ Revise career and life goals in the ACP.