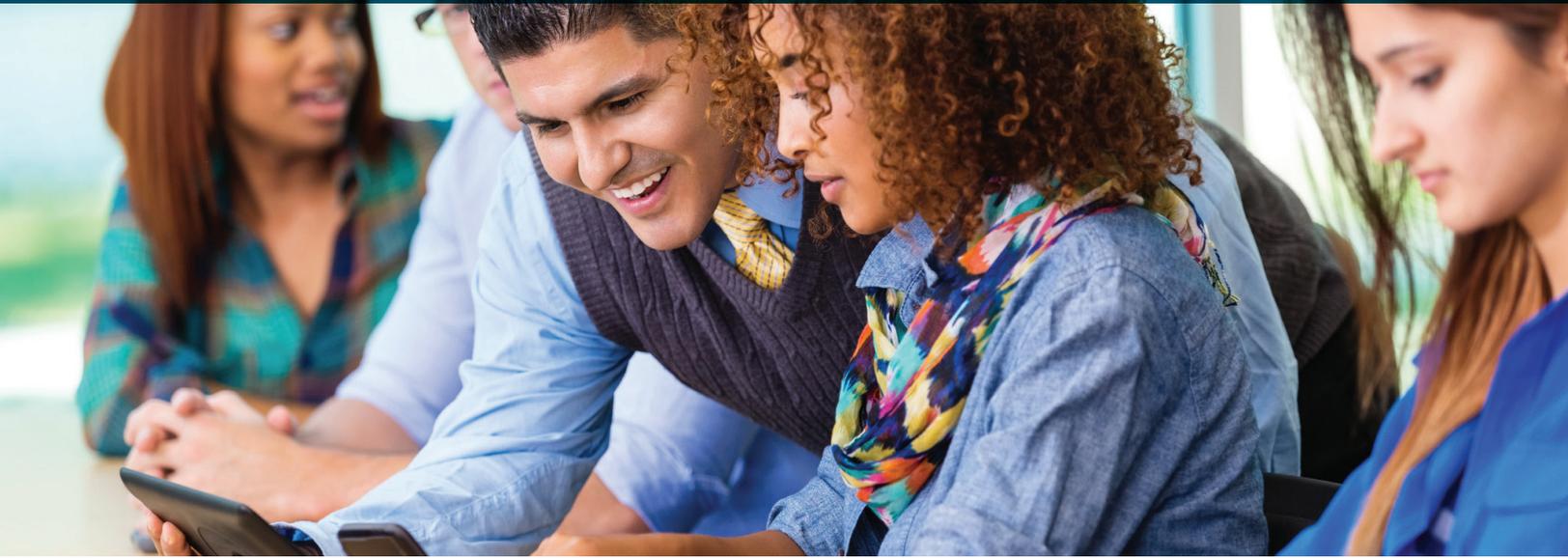


Beyond High School Work-Based Learning Module



Beyond High School partners with district and school leaders to transform high school learning environments with the goal of ensuring all students are prepared for success in college, careers, and life. Through multi-year collaboration, Pivot Learning provides support, job-embedded coaching, professional development, and tools to:

- 1
Redesign learning environments for equity
- 2
Enable change and transformative adult learning
- 3
Develop competency-based learning and assessment systems
- 4
Integrate a continuum of work-based learning
- 5
Design college and career pathways

Explore the Beyond High School Work-Based Learning Module

The work-based learning (WBL) component of Beyond High School includes a series of workshops and professional learning opportunities to develop your team's understanding of WBL and begin to design and integrate your own continuum of work-based learning.

WBL helps students develop and apply skills that will serve them well as they pursue college or careers following high school. Students also see first-hand how their education connects to the real world and will help them achieve their goals. WBL programs contain three key components:

1. the alignment of classroom and workplace learning
2. application of academic, technical, and employability skills in a work setting
3. support from classroom or workplace mentors

The Work-Based Learning Module (WBL) includes eight workshops.

Work-Based Learning 101

Participants will learn the what and why of WBL and how a quality WBL program can positively impact student learning. We'll also discuss how WBL aligns with local priorities and initiatives.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Understand the importance of WBL to graduating students who are college and career ready
- Identify ways WBL can enhance classroom learning
- Gain a better understanding of how WBL aligns to state and local priorities i.e. California – WBL and the CA School Dashboard

Work-Based Learning as an Instructional Strategy — Section A

Participants will learn the importance of aligning WBL to classroom learning. We'll provide tools and work time to plan WBL into your courses.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Understand the continuum of WBL experiences
- Understand the elements of a high-quality WBL activity
- Identify WBL activities that are already happening
- Be provided tools to integrate WBL into classroom instruction

Work-Based Learning as an Instructional Strategy — Section B

This workshop will continue exploring the key components to integrating WBL into classroom learning. We'll also provide an opportunity for brainstorming around ways to create integrated learning opportunities across multiple disciplines. (CTE and academic)

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Build knowledge of how to integrate WBL across CTE and academic classes
- Increase awareness of how teacher externships can strengthen WBL for students
- Brainstorm on potential partners for cross curricular integration

Work-Based Learning & Career Relevance in the Classroom

Participants in this workshop will learn easy ways to create a work-ready classroom and tips on how to increase the impact of WBL through preparation and follow-up classroom lessons. Participants will also participate in a mock student workshop.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Learn about tools for creating a classroom environment that promotes work-readiness
- Identify potential preparation and follow-up activities to help students to connect WBL to classroom work

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Industry Engagement

In this workshop, we'll discuss why industry WANTS to be involved and how we can help them! We'll also discuss ways to find and engage partners and share tools for engaging industry through technology.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Gain a better understanding of how WBL is a benefit to employers
- Learn how to find industry partners with limited time
- Review tools to help with employer outreach and follow up

The Ins & Outs of Internships (California)

In this workshop, we'll review the rules and regulations surrounding internships and look at a few models that are currently being used throughout the state.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Gain familiarity with federal regulations on child labor
- Develop knowledge of different models and requirements for internships
- Review tips and tools for creating a quality internship experience

Building a WBL System

In this workshop, we'll review the WBL continuum and how it can help to create a system spanning across grade levels, beginning before High School. We'll also look at the value of teacher externships and discuss strategies for engaging all students in WBL experiences.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Develop their knowledge of tools for students in all grades K-12
- Gain a better understanding of strategies for engaging all students in WBL
- Better understand how a district-wide WBL system benefits our industry partners AND our students

Career Readiness Workshops for Students

In this session, we'll review hands-on career readiness lessons designed to teach the skills most requested by employers. Participants will engage in the lessons just as a student would and will be provided tools that can be implemented right away.