



What's *WORKING* in Career and Technical Education

May 15, 2017

Mac Williams Middle School FFA Winners

Members of the Mac Williams Middle School FFA Chapter attended the South Central Region FFA Rally on Friday, April 28, 2017 at Fayetteville Technical Community College. Noah Lucas placed 1st in the Middle Grades FFA Creed and Cameron Milroy placed 2nd in Extemporary Speech for middle and high school.

James Cochran, Agriculture Teacher/FFA Advisor
Mac Williams Middle School



(L-R) Noah Lucas and Cameron Milroy

Internship Readiness Workshop



Mrs. Lindsay Anderson Nunn



Mrs. Kathy Jensen



Ms. Tina Carter



Mrs. Lyn Jones

On April 1, 2017, students from the Douglas Byrd NAF Academy of Finance, Gray's Creek NAF Academy of Information Technology and Pine Forest NAF Academy of Information Technology came together for an Internship Readiness Workshop. At this workshop, students learned from Lindsay Anderson Nunn, a 2007 Academy of Finance Graduate, why having a summer internship is important to their future. After the keynote address, students broke into groups and rotated through three sessions. Mrs. Kathy Jensen, Owner of An Affair to Remember on Ramsey Street and the District 1 Representative for the Fayetteville City Council, spoke on business ethics and etiquette. Ms. Tina Carter, Assistant Controller at SRAHEC, gave tips on interviewing for a job, and Mrs. Lyn Jones, Jobs Center Coordinator at FTCC, spoke on résumé writing.

Submitted by Elaine Vallery, M.Ed., Director
Academy of Information Technology
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Westover Academy of Engineering Students Complete Project at FTCC

Westover High School

Academy of Engineering Technologies (AOET) students in Dora Barron's Computer Integrated Manufacturing Class at Westover High School are collaborating with students and instructors at Fayetteville Technical Community College in the Computer Integrated Machining Lab.

Westover students are completing a classroom project they designed and programmed at WOHS. Thanks to instructors Gary Smith, Kevin Henry, and FTCC, students are using their program on the CNC machine in the lab at FTCC to complete their project.

Submitted by Dora Barron
Academy of Engineering Technology Instructor

Students Earn Platinum on ACT WorkKeys



(L-R) Darvez Ellis & Kade Sibert

Darvez Ellis of Gray's Creek High School and Kade Sibert of Westover High School earned Platinum on the ACT WorkKeys and were honored at the CTE Honors Award Luncheon on April 26, 2017.

*Submitted by Taneka Williams
Career Pathways Coordinator
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A CTE Success Story

Pine Forest High School AOEMS



Dr. Ameriah Sanchez

Ameriah Sanchez came to Pine Forest High School from Texas as a junior in 2008. She enrolled in the Academy of Emergency Medical Science Health Science I course, and finished up in her senior year with Health Science II and a Pharmacy clinical component through CTE Advanced Studies. She graduated in 2010, but has kept in touch as she continued her educational journey. She began college in Texas for her

freshman year, and returned to North Carolina to complete her education at Campbell University. Over the last few years, she has returned to speak to our younger students about transitioning from high school to college. She is graduating this spring from Campbell with a Doctor in Pharmacy Degree! We are so proud of Dr. Ameriah!

*Submitted by Michelle Quinn, RN, Director
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