



San Joaquin County Office of Education

James A. Mousalimas, County Superintendent of Schools

MEDIA ADVISORY

016-047: Starbucks interviews at Venture Academy

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Managers from Eight Starbucks locations to Interview Students, Offer Jobs

What:

Nine Starbucks managers from eight stores in San Joaquin County will interview approximately 80 high school students and give them immediate feedback on their interview and resume writing skills. Students who perform exceptionally well may be offered employment with Starbucks. At the end of the day, the managers will announce students who are offered jobs at their stores, as well as recognize those who exceeded expectations in both interviewing and resume writing.

This is the fourth year that Starbucks has partnered with BrainworX Academy, an academy within Venture Academy Family of Schools, to provide job-seeking skills and jobs to students. Venture Academy Family of Schools is a San Joaquin County Office of Education charter school. To date, Starbucks has hired 14 students from this annual event.

Partnerships with businesses offer students real-world experience and give them realistic expectations when entering the workforce. Students learn the appropriate methods to seek out jobs and the necessary skills needed for the 21st century workforce.

When:

Thursday, April 21, 9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m., approximately

- Welcome by County Superintendent of Schools James Mousalimas at 9:30 a.m.
- Pull-out interviews begin at 9:40 a.m.
- Recognition of hired students begins at 1:30 p.m., approximately
- ***Please contact us if you would like to be present during an interview.***

Where:

BrainworX Academy, Venture Academy Family of Schools
Career and Technical Education Building
San Joaquin County Office of Education
2911 Transworld Drive
Stockton, CA 95206

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