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BTHS Senior Internship

Information for Parents of Upcoming Seniors

What is it?

- is a graduation requirement for all seniors at the career academies.
- places a senior in industry, higher education or a community-based organization for a three-week period
- is designed to be a collaborative, unpaid experience in which the student and mentor will work toward stated goals or assigned projects.
- will reinforce skills and knowledge taught at Biotechnology High School that are essential to any career-based endeavor.

When is it?

- End of senior year, after IB exams

What do I need to do NOW?

- Reach out within your community and help your child locate an appropriate mentor.
- Ask around...neighbors, family, friends, coworkers.
- Examples of sites:
 - pharmaceutical companies
 - research labs
 - science classrooms (middle and elementary school)
 - hospitals
 - physician's offices
 - veterinary offices
 - environmental activist associations
 - public health offices, engineering companies
 - information technology
 - computers companies
 - marketing
 - businesses
 - law firms

When does my child need to have a mentor?

- Internships need to be arranged by February of 2016

Please contact djensen@ctemc.org if you have any questions or know of any potential mentors.