

TECH PREP/MTAG CURRICULUM

Manufacturing Field Trip

Lesson Plan

Time Allotment: 5 Hours
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MODULE DESCRIPTION

This module provides students a realistic picture of employment within the manufacturing sector by visiting the manufacturing plant of an MTAG industry partner.

MODULE OBJECTIVE

After completing this module, students should be able to describe the required qualifications, daily functions, and work environment associated with various positions within the company visited.

MTAG COMPETENCIES INTRODUCED

- A 4.1 Match employee responsibilities to employer expectations
- A 4.2 Match employer responsibilities to employee expectations

SCANS COMPETENCIES INTRODUCED

C7: Interprets Information - selects and analyzes information and communicates results

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Given a job/position description, the student will be able to:

- identify the knowledge and skills necessary to accept the responsibilities of the position.
- state his/her strengths and weaknesses as they relate to the responsibilities, and provide evidence for each.
- identify the benefits offered by the employer (including hourly rate/salary, medical, dental, vacation, performance evaluations and merit pay, retirement plans, investment plans-401 K) and be able to compare these with those generally provided within an industry.

SEQUENCING

Instructor Guide:

- Company Contacts
- Arranging Transportation
- Permission Forms
- Suggested Timeline

Student Guide:

- Introducing the Field
- Introducing the Company
- Preparing Questions
- Logistics
- Self-Presentation
- Student Tasks
- Skill Check
- Module Evaluation

EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES NEEDED

Transportation to/from field trip site, student permission forms.

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RECOMMENDED STUDENT PREREQUISITES

Completed the following modules: Interpersonal Effectiveness
Introduction to Manufacturing
Career Exploration.