

4-YEAR CAREER PLAN



4-Year Career Plan (CP)

Hononegah Community High School Postsecondary and Career Expectations

Each student should have an individualized learning plan to help make decisions about career and post-secondary (PS) education or training, plan a course of study, and make financial aid assessments with family members.

By the end of 9 th grade	By the end of 10 th grade	By the end of 11 th grade	By the end of 12 th grade
<p>Discuss Interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take a career interest survey in MajorClarity. Read the Academic Handbook and Career Planning Guide. Have a general career discussion with parents. 	<p>Discuss Interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take a more detailed interest assessment in MajorClarity. Research specific career of interest. Attend Sophomore Personal Learning Conference (PLC) with school counselor and discuss career options. 	<p>Discuss Interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revisit a career/interest survey. Attend Junior PLC with school counselor and discuss career opportunities or college major options. Talk about 3-5 match schools, one safety, one reach school for PS program of study. 	<p>Discuss Interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend Senior PLC with school counselor. Discuss retaking the SAT or taking the ACT on the first test date of the school year. Finalize your college choices and complete the application process in the fall of the year.
<p>Get Involved At School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Find clubs and activities that align with your interests. Talk to your school counselor about classes and planning coursework and career plans based on interests. 	<p>Get Involved At School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose clubs and activities that you can be committed to at school or consider a competitive club or activity. Determine eligibility for AP courses. 	<p>Get Involved At School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take the PSAT/NMSQT test administered in October. Consider a club or activity related to a career interest. Align coursework towards interests. 	<p>Get Involved At School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to select challenging classes that will provide a capstone for your final year. Try to stick to those clubs and activities where you have a vested interest and can be involved.
<p>Explore</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilize MajorClarity for college, career and scholarship information. Attend Hononegah's monthly Meet & Greets, annual Career Fair, and career exploration programs offered at school. Research cost ranges of various PS options. 	<p>Explore</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend a PS affordability workshop with a family member. Visit at least one workplace aligned with career interests. Consider volunteering or a part-time job. Investigate military service, if interested. 	<p>Explore</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participate in a mock job interview. Attend a college and career fair. Visit at least 3 PS institutions. Consider the career attributes related to career interests. Contact a recruiter if interested in a military career. 	<p>Explore</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain an internship opportunity related to the CP. Apply for any and all scholarships for which you may be eligible. Check MajorClarity for a list of local scholarships. Know the affordability of PS options in relation to expected entry-level career salary and anticipated debt.
<p>Stay Informed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pay attention to daily announcements, your grade-level Google Classroom, and the SSS webpage. Know the relationship between HS coursework, attendance, and grades to PS plans. Make sure parents attend any informational programs for your class (Back to School Night, etc.). 	<p>Stay Informed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pay attention to daily announcements, your grade-level Google Classroom, and the SSS webpage. Know the educational requirements, cost, expected entry level, and midpoint salary for occupations in selected CP. Look into the benefit of dual credit coursework opportunities for PS access and completion. 	<p>Stay Informed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pay attention to daily announcements, your grade-level Google Classroom, and the SSS webpage. Know application deadlines, test timing, cost and preparation for industry-based credential for CP. Know entrance requirements, including application deadlines, for expected PS programs of study. Know financial aid deadlines for chosen PS options. 	<p>Stay Informed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pay attention to daily announcements, your grade-level Google Classroom, and the SSS webpage. Complete the FAFSA. Know the terms and conditions of any scholarship or loan. Know how CP courses and experiences articulate to degree programs at PS options.