

DEL LAGO ACADEMY

BROWN BAG LUNCH PRESENTATIONS

2018-2019



What is a Brown Bag Lunch presentation?

Industry professionals introduce potential professional opportunities to Del Lago scholars by sharing their personal career journey and current work experiences.

What happens during a Brown Bag presentation?

A typical presentation includes several PowerPoint slides to visually support a 20-30 minute industry/career overview. Scholars are expected to ask questions about the presenter's career experience and educational background.

Who can be a Brown Bag Lunch presenter?

Industry professionals, community members, and college students participate in this program. We strive to bring in presenters from a wide variety of careers and professions.

How are scholars selected to participate?

All 9th and 10th grade scholars participate in Brown Bag Lunch presentations. Scholars select which presentations to attend based on their career interests. Between 35-50 scholars attend each week.

Why are Brown Bag presentations important?

They are the first step in our robust School-to-Career program, which culminates in our six-week off-campus Junior Internship program.

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WHY DOES YOUR PARTICIPATION MATTER?

Del Lago scholars are challenged to explore real-world problems that extend beyond the classroom by establishing side-by-side working relationships with industry mentors. These experiences enhance classroom learning and orient scholars to the corporate culture. As a result, Del Lago scholars:

- Develop positive self-concepts
- Recognize strengths and deficiencies
- Value long-term goal setting
- Cultivate relationships and professional networks
- Gain leadership experience
- Build knowledge and skills in the field

Community and industry partners enrich the curriculum, provide scholars feedback on their work, share personal career experiences, and serve as mentors.

We are grateful to our industry partners for providing these meaningful opportunities that will have a lasting impact on Del Lago scholars' future.

INDUSTRY SECTORS

Graphic Arts and Design
Health Science
Medical Technologies
Fashion
Interior Design
Video Game Design
Biotechnology
Engineering
Manufacturing
Product Development
Transportation
Public Services
Information Technology
Finance and Business
Energy and Utilities
Education
Child Development
Family Services
Hospitality
Recreation
Marketing
Sales and Service
Agriculture
Natural Resources
Arts and Media
Entertainment

"I love the Brown Bag Lunch Presentation because I could see the eagerness in the scholar's faces and how hungry they were to learn about different careers. I enjoyed the questions they asked and how ready they were to absorb new concepts. "

- Roya Ghasemi, Kaiser Permanente