What is a Presentation of Learning (POL)?
At the end of each inter-disciplinary project, scholars prepare a formal presentation for a panel of experts from the community.

What is the role of a POL Panelist?
Panelists help scholars think carefully about their work by asking relevant questions. Panelists also provide written and oral feedback to the teacher on the scholars’ presentation skills, content knowledge and/or teamwork.

Who can be a POL Panelist?
Panelists represent different areas of expertise. For example, a panel may be comprised of an industry expert, a Del Lago parent, and a community member. Each panelist provides feedback on different aspects of the scholars’ work.

What is a POL format?
A POL participant will interact with scholars in a one and a half to three hour panel or fair exhibition format. The presentation dates will be determined by the teacher teams.

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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 in Del Lago scholars’ future.

“It’s inspiring to see how innovative scholars can be. Seeing through the eyes of scholars who think everything is possible gives me hope that maybe someday we can achieve some of their ideas.”

- Malaina Turner, Palomar Health