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<u>Tulpehocken High School</u> <u>Career Shadowing</u>

What is shadowing?

Shadowing provides any Tulpehocken High School student an opportunity to explore a possible career by spending a school day with a person in that workplace.

How does shadowing work?

Students must arrange their day, or in the case of a learning support student, have a teacher arrange their day in the field with a business person, person in the educational field or another appropriate placement. The student then must complete some basic research in the chosen field and obtain parent permission to exchange a school day for the job shadow experience.

This questionnaire that is completed on the day of the shadowing must be returned to school the next day.

How often can a student shadow?

A student, in grade 9 - 12, may shadow one day per semester.

How does the student get there?

Students are responsible for providing their own transportation.

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Pre-Shadowing Research

Name			
Grade			
Have you career shadowed before?	Yes	No	where?

1. Describe your educational/career goals after high school.

2. What about this career do you find attractive?

3. What is the employment outlook over the next 5 to 10 years?

- 4. What specific questions would you like to have answered on your shadowing experience?
- 5. List the resources you used to research this career.

Parent Permission

has my permission to participate in a career shadowing experience. I understand that he/she will be responsible for making up missed assignments on the day of shadowing. I also understand that transportation to and from the shadowing location is the responsibility of the student and family.

Date of Shadowing
Parent/Guardian
Shadowing Location
Contact Person
Address
Phone Number

If you have any questions regarding the shadowing program please call the Guidance Department at (610) 488-6286 x 1118

Shadowing Assignment: Due next school day

Your name:	Date:	_
Host's Name:		
Host's Signature:		
Sponsoring Company:		

1. List some of the people you met today. What is their level of education?

2. Interview one person in depth. You might ask about: their likes and dislikes regarding their jobs, their training and their hobbies. Summarize the information.

3. Write a paragraph or two about today's experience. Is this a possible career choice for you?