

Why teach career awareness in elementary school?

Career exploration begins in childhood and lasts a lifetime! It helps students develop a sense of self, a positive attitude, and creates an understanding of the relationship between academics and personal interests.

Elementary school is a key time to teach students that achieving their dreams requires hard work, including the pursuit of education beyond high school. It is crucial they understand that working hard in school now can help them achieve their dreams!



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your child learn even more, check
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YOU!

Thank you to all of our presenters,
volunteers, and Touch-a-Truck
operators!



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Trevvett Elementary School CAREER DAY

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8:00-11:00am



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Touch – A - Truck

PreK, Kindergarten, & 1st Grade



Our PK - 1st grade students will have the opportunity to explore the following vehicles and learn about the jobs with which they are associated.

- Vacuum Truck
- Concrete Truck
- Mini Excavator
- Drone
- GRTC bus
- Henrico Police Animal Protection
- Dump truck with a plow
- Big Rig
- Traffic light
- Grill truck
- HCPD Hazardous Device Department
- Paving Truck

The Big Red Bus

2nd & 3rd Grade



HCPS is pleased to provide an opportunity for our students to explore career and technical education programs through The Big Red Bus at a time when opinions about careers and interests are still forming. Through the use of a converted school bus, elementary students have the opportunity to “experience” careers through hands-on learning activities.

Aboard The Big Red Bus our 2nd & 3rd graders will participate in reality-based projects designed to educate them about many career options and all sixteen career clusters. Classes will rotate through the bus in 25 minute sessions.

Our 2nd graders will also hear from a local news reporter and our 3rd graders will meet a pilot!

Presenters

4th & 5th Grade



Our 4th & 5th grade students chose their top three career clusters based on interest. A career cluster is a group of jobs and industries that share common features.

On Career Day, 4th & 5th grade students will attend presentations that correspond to their selected career cluster. For example, students who chose the cluster “Arts, A/V Tech, & Communication” will hear from a props master, a news anchor, and a band director. Students will each attend three 30-minute presentations by various speakers.

All 4th & 5th graders are asked to wear professional dress for Career Day.

For great information about career clusters, please check out:

<http://www.vacareerview.org/clusters>