Careers On Wheels

Stick shifts and safety belts. Steering wheels and four tires on the road. These are some of the things that drive various kinds of careers in our community and around the globe. Careers On Wheels provides a venue for Collin County middle school students to see some of these vehicles up close and personal.

To register, visit http://cowday2009.eventbrite.com or complete and submit the form attached.

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at
Collin College Preston Ridge Campus
9700 Wade Blvd. in Frisco
What is Careers on Wheels?

Careers On Wheels is an exciting version of the traditional career fair, but it differs in that company vehicles are the point of interest. We plan to create an exciting environment that will help incite interest in careers that many students have not yet considered by incorporating interactive activities with a variety of business participants and their vehicles.

What Vehicle Types Will Be Involved?

Careers On Wheels Day participants will range from the obvious to the exotic. Here are some examples of what you may see: rescue and law enforcement vehicles, operational “big rigs,” delivery vehicles, animal transport vehicles, special dealership vehicles, military vehicles, commercial trucks and more.

Past Participants Include:

Best Buy Geek Squad
Summit Helicopters
Raytheon Network Systems
US Postal Service
Plano Fire Department
100.3 Jack FM
Collin County Animal Services
Collin County Hobby Beekeepers
And many others

How is This Different From a Career Fair?

Most career fairs are held inside. While businesses may have displays on site, there is little opportunity to showcase the business itself. Student interaction is usually at a minimum because students rarely know what to ask and representatives are not sure what to offer. Careers On Wheels exposes another aspect of business that students rarely see up close and personal. In addition, the outside location creates a lively, spacious environment. Your school will be assigned a two-hour time period.

Who Should Attend Careers On Wheels?

Careers On Wheels has a target audience of middle school students. We feel this is an appropriate age group as students begin to place more thought on their future aspirations. Furthermore, Careers On Wheels will expose students to many careers that they may have not yet considered.

Careers On Wheels is a one-of-a-kind event in Collin County that promises to be enriching and entertaining! We look forward to seeing your students there!