

NATIONAL GUARD PARTNERS EDUCATION

Overview

The two-part Partners in Education classroom presentation takes students through the steps needed to prepare for life after high school. The presentation covers students' different options after high school and helps them prepare for college or work.

National Education Standards

- **NL-ENG.K-12.5:** Communication Skills
- **NL-ENG.K-12.7:** Evaluating Data
- **NL-ENG.K-12.9:** Developing Research Skills
- **NL-ENG.K-12.12:** Applying Language Skills
- **NT.K-12.5:** Technology and Research Tools
- **NT.K-12.6:** Technology Problem-Solving and Decision-Making Tools

Grade Level

Junior/Senior

Learning Objectives

STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO:

- Know the various options available after high school.
- Use a variety of resources to research colleges and methods of financing their education.
- Create a budget.
- Choose a college or technical school that fits their career goals.
- Prepare for standardized college entry examinations.
- Develop a resume.
- Complete college applications.

Lesson Length/ Number of Sessions

Two 45-minute sessions

Technology/Equipment/Supplies

- Computer
- Projector
- Both presentations
- One copy of the *Guide to Paying for Your College Education* for each student
- Copies of handouts and evaluation sheets for each student

Topics Covered

PART 1

- Career planning resources
- Careers and salaries
- The value of a college education
- College costs
- Paying for college
- Finding scholarships and grants
- Budgeting

PART 2

- Choosing a college or technical school
- Planning and preparing for continuing education after high school
- Preparing for college entrance exams
- Applying to college
- Applying for a job
- Creating a resume
- Writing a college essay or cover letter
- Interviewing for a job

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