

*Northwestern High School* – 301-985-1820 7000 Adelphi Road, Hyattsville, MD 20782

Business and Finance – Antoinette Sampson – anto.sampson@pgcps.org Career Academy Application



For the Academy, please mark the box to indicate your interest in the program of study. If you transfer to another school, this Academy and Program of Study may not be available at your new school.

Academy	Program of Study
Business and Finance	Business Management
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Future Academy	Tentative Opening for Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> Graders
Architecture and Design	SY 16-17

Have you, or will you, apply for a specialty program (VPA, IB, Middle College, etc.?) \_\_\_\_\_\_ If yes, which program(s)?\_\_\_\_\_



## Academy Benefits:

- Rigorous academic and technical program of study
- Real-world experiential learning business partner mentorships, job shadowing opportunities, internships
- Gain college and career ready skills problem solving, critical thinking, effective communication and presentation
- Industry certification exams
- Opportunity to earn college credits
- A learning environment promoting supportive relationships between school staff and students and student peer groups

Return this completed form, with parent signature, to your professional school counselor.





To be completed by the student -

Why do you want to join your first choice Academy? What do you hope to learn as a result of being in this Academy?

Have you completed your career interest inventory? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what were the top two areas indicated on your

## **Student Declaration:**

Upon enrolling in a Career Academy, I agree to the following conditions:

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- I must pass all requirements listed for my selected Academy;
- I understand that if a Career Academy is my graduation pathway, it will lead to the successful completion of all credits required to earn a Maryland diploma;
- I understand that placement in an internship, if a part of the Academy, will require that I meet the standards of the assigned work site, and I must provide my own transportation;
- I understand nominal fees for student clubs, field trips, and/or activities may occur;
- I understand I must have a full-time schedule for the four years I am in the Academy;
- I will abide by all the rules and standards of conduct as determined by Prince George's County Public School System policies. I may be withdrawn from the Career Academy by administrative decision if I do not abide by the rules and standards.

I verify that all information in this application is correct and accurate. I will comply with the high standards of excellence in both academics and conduct.

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Date

To be completed by the parent(s)/quardian(s) -

## **Parental Information and Consent:**

Why do you want your child enrolled in their selected Academy?

Do you agree to encourage your child to follow a four-year curriculum, which may include specialized courses, field trips, special programs, and activities? (Please circle your answer.) <u>YES</u> <u>NO</u>

I verify that all information in this application is accurate and true. I give my child full consent and support to enroll in the indicated Academy. I understand that my child must be a full-time student for the four years he/she is in the selected Academy.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature\_\_\_\_\_