

Pulaski Community School District Academic and Career Planning (ACP) Plan

2021-2022



Academic and Career Planning, or ACP, is a student-driven, adult supported process in which students create and cultivate their own unique and information-based visions for post-secondary success, obtained through self-exploration and the development of career management and planning skills. The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (within the PI26 legislation) requires public school districts to provide academic and career planning services to students in Grades 6 through 12. These academic and career planning requirements connect school districts' education for employment plans and programs to the new Academic and Career Planning requirements.

The ACP is a four part process of KNOW, EXPLORE, PLAN, AND GO which students develop throughout Middle School and High School. It is an integral part of our Comprehensive School Counseling Conferencing Model. Our district also utilizes the Wisconsin issued program [Xello](#) where each student builds a personalized plan for their future success. Xello acts as a navigational tool that is student driven with the collaboration of teachers, community partnerships and parents.

ACP works to help students define their interests, skills and aspirations through surveys so they can explore careers that may be an appropriate fit. Through the exploration process, students learn about specific careers and how to prepare educationally for those careers. Students create action plans that outline how they will achieve their goals. Lastly, within their plan, Xello provides students with exploration of colleges, universities, technical schools and on the job training that specifically relate to their career aspirations. Each student has a different experience in Academic and Career Planning based on their interests, goals, and where they see themselves in the future.

Legal references:

[ACP RULE](#)

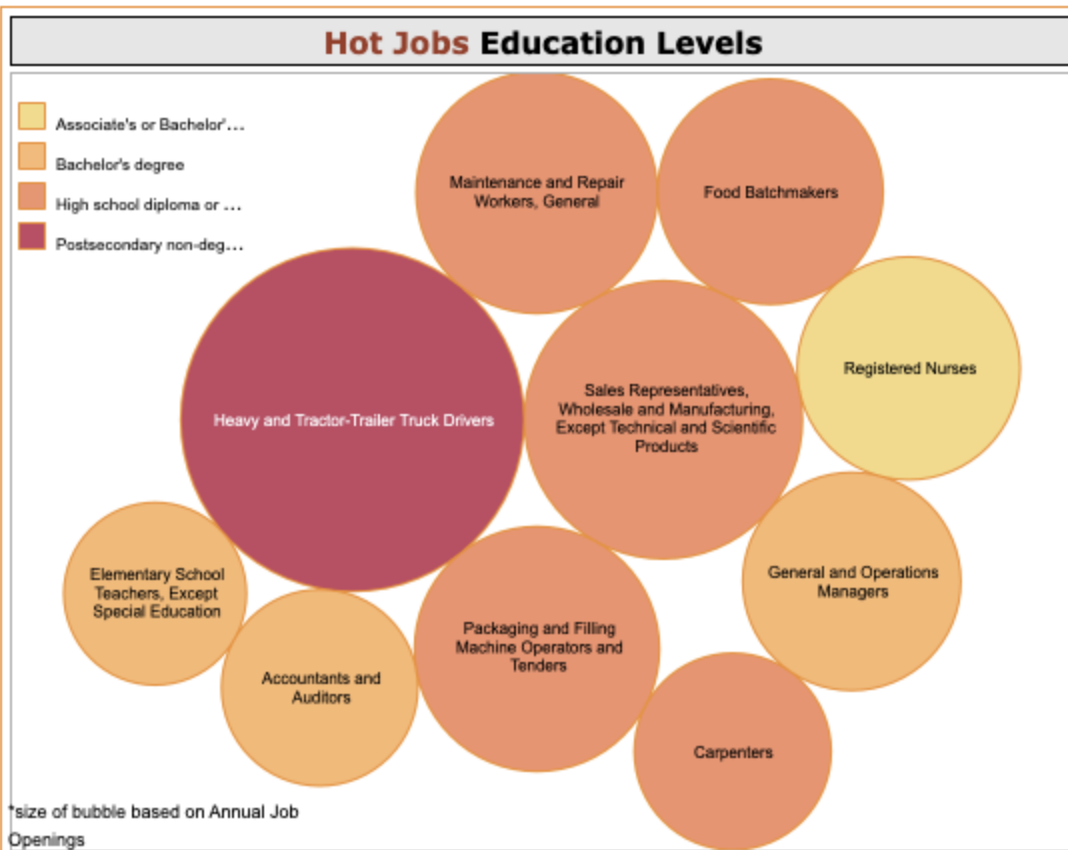
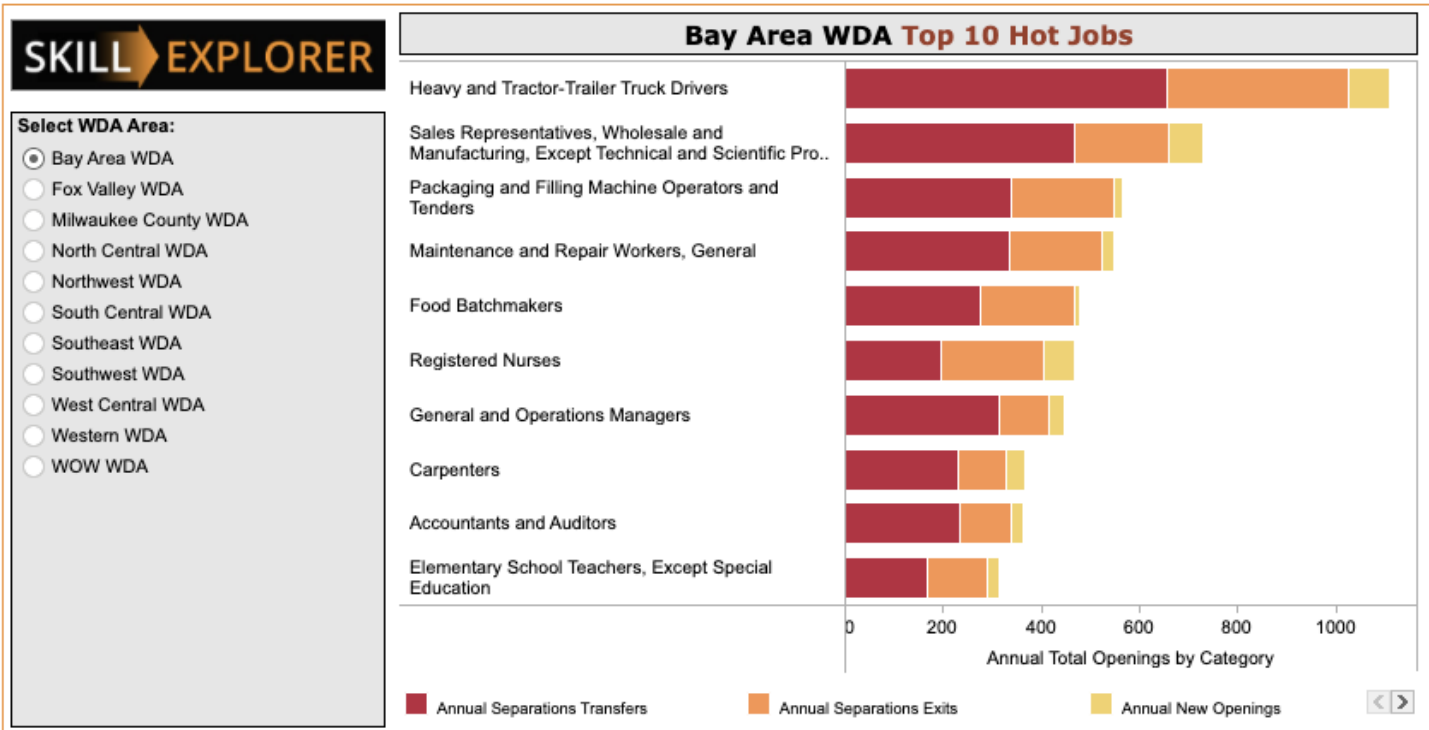
[Legal Guidance](#)

The job market in our area:

Students can explore the job outlook for specific careers of interest by utilizing the following websites within our area:

- [WORKnet State and Local data](#)
- [Job Center of Wisconsin](#)
- [Wisconsin Jobs](#)

The current job market's impact on student preparation (as of 7/6/2021)







Education for Employment Plan

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACP

	Counseling	Classroom	Other
6th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Middle School Orientation • Welcome 6th Grade Parent/Guardian Night • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career Curriculum • Go Time Enrichment Classes • Subject Specific Career Discussions • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wisconsin Forward Exam • Fastbridge Testing • Activities and Clubs • Athletics • Co-Curricular Opportunities
7th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career Curriculum • Xello • Go Time Enrichment Classes • Subject Specific Career Discussions • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wisconsin Forward Exam • Fastbridge Testing • Activities and Clubs • Athletics • Co-Curricular Opportunities
8th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual Planning Conferences • PCMS Career Fair • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Freshman Course Selection • Transition Activities to High School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Xello • Go Time Enrichment Classes • Fall Career Curriculum • Spring Career Curriculum (interviews) • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greater Green Bay Chamber FYI Career Event • Wisconsin Forward Exam • Fastbridge Testing • Volunteer Opportunities • Activities and Clubs • Athletics • Post Secondary Transition Planning (age 14 and older)

HIGH SCHOOL ACP

	Counseling	Classroom	Other
9th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incoming transition activities prior to Freshman Year • Freshman Transition Day • Intro to 4 year plan • Xello-Portfolio and Profile • Mentoring • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Targeted Support Groups 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course planning presentation, including CTE and AP options • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Delivery of Social/Emotional Learning through ACP Homerooms • Subject Specific Career Homerooms • Intro to ACP & Xello in Classrooms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Opportunities • ACT Aspire • Co-Curricular Opportunities • ACT Prep • Post Secondary Transition Planning
10th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small group ACP Conferences • Review 4 year plan • Portfolio and Profile/Resume Review and Revisions • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Sophomore Parent Night 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course planning presentation, including CTE and AP options • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Youth Apprenticeship Introduction and Informational Meeting • Delivery of Social/Emotional Learning through ACP Homerooms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Opportunities • Career Cruising • ACT Aspire • Wisconsin Forward Exam • ACT Prep • Co-Curricular Opportunities • Post Secondary Transition Planning
11th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Parent Night • Scholarship Information • College Admissions, Planning, and Visits • Military Recruitment on Campus • Review 4 year plan • Portfolio and Profile/Resume Review and Revisions • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Individual Planning Conferences 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course planning presentation, including CTE, AP and College Credit options • College Credit Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Dual Credit HS Courses -Youth Options • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Subject Specific Career Homerooms • Academic Support • Delivery of Social/Emotional Learning through ACP Homerooms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Opportunities • Job Shadowing • Career Cruising • ACT Prep • ACT and ACT WorkKeys • ASVAB Test • Accuplacer Test • PSAT • Co-Curricular Opportunities • Youth Apprenticeship • Post Secondary Transition Planning
12th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholarship Information and Assistance • Scholarship and Financial Aid meeting for families • College Admissions, Planning, and Visits • Military Recruitment on Campus • Review 4 year plan • Portfolio and Profile/Resume 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Credit Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Dual Credit HS Courses -Youth Options • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Subject Specific Career Homerooms • Delivery of Social/Emotional 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Opportunities • Job Shadowing • Career Cruising • ASVAB • Accuplacer • Co-Curricular Opportunities • Youth

	<p>Review and Revisions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Support • Communication and Collaboration with Families • Individual Student Meetings for postsecondary plans 	<p>Learning through ACP Homerooms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Seminars 	<p>Apprenticeship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-Op • Leadership Opportunities • Mentoring • Post Secondary Transition Planning
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For more specific information about these offerings, please visit:

- [Academic & Career Planning \(ACP\)](#)
- [XELLO](#)
- [ASCA Professional Standards and Competencies](#)
- [Comprehensive School Counseling Standards](#)