

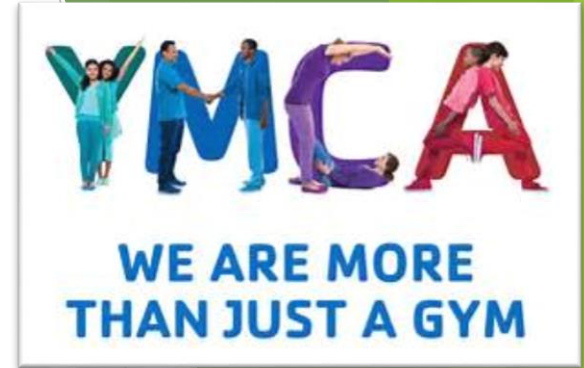


Olympic High School
Biotechnology, Health & Public Administration
YMCA Paid Internship Program 2016/17

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Program Overview



- ▶ Steele Creek YMCA partnered with Olympic Biotech by offering opportunities for Biotech students to intern with their location in the following areas:
 - ▶ After School Counselors
 - ▶ Dance Instructors
 - ▶ Soccer Instructors
 - ▶ Football Instructors
 - ▶ Robotics Club Instructors
 - ▶ Arts Club Instructors
- ▶ 15-20 hours per week at the pay rate of \$8.00 per hour
- ▶ 1st year of a full program in motion. YMCA piloted this opportunity with Olympic in 2015-16
- ▶ Mr. Mike Realon, Olympic Work-based Learning Liaison worked with YMCA to create this opportunities for the Olympic Community of Schools.

Internship Candidate Selection Experience

- ▶ Students submit applications to Academy Coordinator
 - ▶ Selection Committee was comprised of Principal, Lead Teacher and Academy Coordinator
 - ▶ 10 students selected as semifinalists
- ▶ Semifinalists will participate in Biotech Job Readiness Process
 - ▶ Resume and Job skills workshop conducted by Academy Coordinator
 - ▶ Mock Interviews conducted by Principal, Academic Facilitator and CTE Business Teacher
- ▶ Semifinalists interview with four YMCA recruiters at school
- ▶ Candidates debrief with Academy Coordinator about their learning experience and created SMART goals, discussed improvement areas and celebrated success milestones

Biotech 2016-2017 YMCA Semifinalists

- ▶ Alexis Belton
- ▶ Cobey Chambers
- ▶ She’Kana Dunklin
- ▶ Keiry Gonzalez
- ▶ Milcah Petithomme
- ▶ Noemi Portillo-Lovo
- ▶ Blake Strong
- ▶ Tran Tran
- ▶ Kricia Vigil



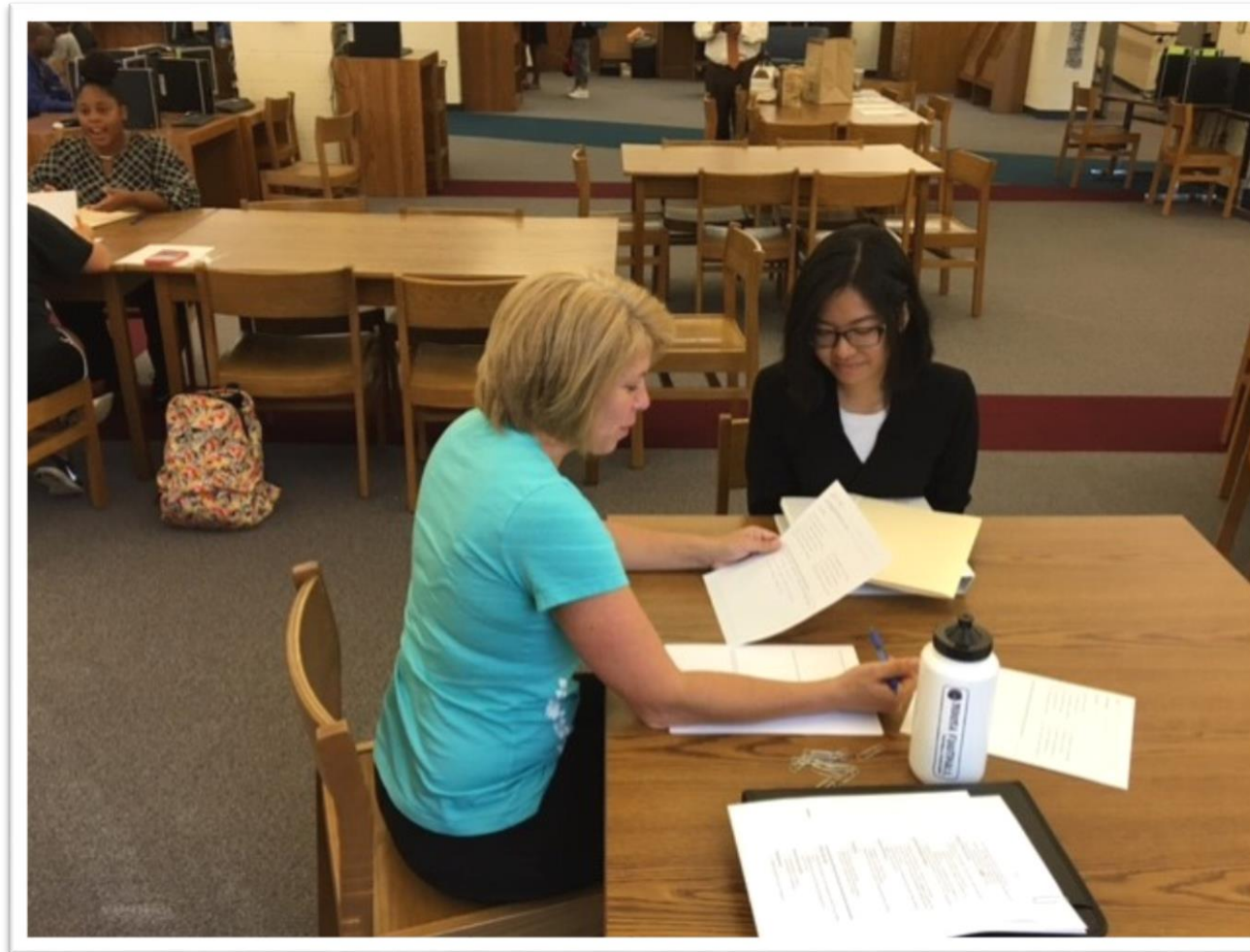
“Students learn how confidence in their appearance, handshake and conversation give the interviewer the impression you are prepared and excited for opportunity.”



“Check out our Biotech interview lounge.
Students await their interview with YMCA!”



“Students were encourage to bring a portfolio of their best work with them to the interview.”



“Students prepared resumes and cover letters for their internship interviews. Students worked with teachers, mentors and Academy Coordinator to represent their best self in a written format.”



“Students share how the Biotech courses have taught them how to be responsible adolescents. Responsibility is a skill needed for the 21st century workforce.”



“Students learned how to ask follow-up questions to interviewing panel.”



Congratulations to the 2016-2017 Biotech YMCA Internship Semifinalists

