## WHAT IS WORK EXPERIENCE?

- Work Experience is an elective course for juniors and seniors who have a part-time job.
- ✓ Students in the program earn high school credit for instructional assignments that teach them job skills while they receive on-the-job training.
- ✓ It is a unique program, offering students on- and off-campus instruction that benefits the students for a lifetime.
- ✓ The goal of Work Experience programs in California is to make students employable by teaching them how to be successfully employed and how to move on to that next job.

## WHAT WILL BE EXPECTED OF ME IF I ENROLL IN WORK EXPERIENCE?

- ✓ Complete all of the necessary forms with the school Work Experience Education Coordinator.
- Maintain good attendance and performance at school and work.
- ✓ Attend weekly group meetings (seminars) as determined by your Work Experience coordinator.
- Complete and turn in required assignments.
- ✓ Submit monthly time sheets with the number of hours worked each day.
- ✓ Keep your Work Experience coordinator informed of any change regarding your job.

## **HOW DO I ENROLL?**

To enroll in Work Experience Education, you must:

- Have a permanent part-time job.
- Obtain a work permit if you are under 18 years of age.
  Applications for work permits are available at your school.
- ✓ Obtain approval from your parents or guardian and the Work Experience coordinator.
- ✓ See your counselor to add Work Experience to your schedule.