



## PPS PARTNER CONNECT— CONNECTING PARTNERS AND PPS STUDENTS

PPS Partner Connect is our web-based tool which makes it easy for parents, alumni and industry professionals to connect with K-12 educators. Professionals can share their skills and expertise to bring real-world, authentic learning opportunities to all our students helping to create the next generation of innovators. Through in-person matches and virtual sessions, professionals can help students and teachers connect their classroom experiences to the world of work. ***Together we can make a difference.***

Students need context for what they are learning in the classroom. *PPS Partner Connect can help match your expertise and insight to connect with the schools and students in your community. This easy-to-use tool enables educators to match student-learning needs with professionals whose skills fit their request.*

### Benefits to professionals and employers:

- Provides meaningful ways to engage in education
- Connects professionals with educators based on their skills, volunteer interests, and location
- Exposes future workforce to career opportunities
- Allows companies to centralize and scale education outreach
- Tracks employee engagement based on a variety of metrics and generates reports
- Enhances employee engagement and achieves corporate responsibility goals
- Demonstrates your commitment to your community through volunteering

### How it works:

- Begin the process by navigating to the <https://www.pps.net/partnerconnect> and review our Career Connected Learning Partner Menu <https://www.pps.net/cms/lib/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/4443/PPS%20Partner%20Menu%20with%20Links%20.pdf>
- Navigate to our Partner Profile Update/Creation form to create a new profile or update your existing profile. <https://app.grouptail.com/public/externalForm/la0AJL5r7HBqI135WoE4AAqZz7gVa6J2wmYDxcqG>
- As opportunities arise, District staff or a high school Career Coordinator may reach out with specific requests for involvement
- Attend one of our monthly Career Learning information sessions. Contact [cte@pps.net](mailto:cte@pps.net) to learn more

If you need assistance with the process please email [cte@pps.net](mailto:cte@pps.net)

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