Career Life Education - Unit 2: Post-Secondary Life

Justification:

Students should be able to understand the options available to them after high-school. Career Life Education is intended to educate students on their post-secondary options. Students should be confident in their options after leaving high-school.

Objective:

- Students should be able to utilize new vocabulary in order to prepare and or plan for post-secondary requirements, admissions, and life in general.
- Students should be comfortable navigating through post-secondary websites.
- Students should be confident approaching teachers/professors/counsellors etc. for help in advising and other concerns as young adults.
- Students should begin to form a mature mindset when it comes to life after high-school
 grasping and accepting the reality that they will be out on their own soon.

Core Competencies:

Thinking



- Students will brainstorm, discuss and reflect on new ideas and connect who they are to what they want after high-school
- Students will be introduced to further reflective practices, that are there to help them learn how to use new information and create their own ideas from it

Communicating



- Students will communicate their understanding by discussing and presenting their findings.
- Students will practice expressing their thoughts and ideas in varying classroom activities.

Personal & Social



- Students will connect their life in high-school to the larger world around them in this unit
- Students will understand the responsibilities they withhold as young adults in our society.

HOW - Methods & Practices are listed within the Unit Plan below, "T", "C" or "PS" labels are next to which core competencies have been utilized.

Through powerpoint presentation, discussion, videos, worksheets and projects. By completing an on-going booklet assignment to further formalize the things they have learned.

Powerpoints (introduce info) - videos(discussion) - booklet(review) - presentation (summative understanding)

Timeline: ~ 2 weeks

*There are 2 on-going assignments: Weekly Journals + Budget Assignment

Dates	What	How	Assessment
DAY 1: Intro Tuesday Feb 20	What is "post-secondary", what does it look like to be 'out of high-school'?	- Discussion: Ask the class, "what do you think of when you hear 'post-secondary' - Video: 'planning for high-school': Planning For High-school (stop and discuss with students) - in myBlueprint:1. Create journal entry 2. Based off of the results from myBlueprint and or personality tests we covered in class WHAT ARE your skills, interests and values?	- in class discussion - check: students entries on myBlueprint for reflectiveness, for connections to last 2 weeks information.
Day 2 Wednesday P1 Wednesday Feb 21 - P1 double block, *after lunch = meeting with Amandeep (course selection) *	Reflect on last days information. And, what are your options in post-secondary options? UNIVERSITY/COLLEG	- Discussion: let's discuss our entries from last day, do you think it is important to do something that connects to your values/interests and skills? Why? Prezi: Options - College, University	In class discussion through powerpoint slides

Day 3 Thursday 21 - P2 Thursday Feb 22 - P1	Go over the terms with students	Family Feud game, on new vocabulary we have learned	Students will play a game in order to gain confidence using the new terms they have learned last class
Day 4 Thursday Feb 22 - P1 Thursday Feb 22 - P2 (after lunch double block)	Formalize the information once more by working in class on questions about post-secondary options.	Students will work on a booklet that will help them understand the information learned further.	Booklet to be worked on IN CLASS ONLY Using computer, work with partners. I will circulate for help. This will be marked, but still a formative assessment.
Next Week: Trades First: Monday Feb 26th P1+P2	On Monday students must set intentions for the week. + On-going budget assignment will be introduced Students who are not interested in university/college, what are their options?	Students will fill in their intentions for the week on myBlueprint Students will access the Budget assignment and we will go over it as a class. Continue the prezi on post secondary options In class discussions	Students will continue working on their reflections and asking any necessary q's about Budget Assignment
Tuesday Feb 26th P1+P2	Learn about Trades options for post-secondary	Students will go over prezi with me and work on their booklets. Trades handout to be worked on.	Prezi discussions + booklets. TRADES handout - homework
Wednesday Feb 27 P1: Double Block P2	Collect and go over homework. Learn about Financial options, no stress!! There is a way!	Students will go over homework together Students will go over prezi with me and work on their booklets	Prezi discussions + homework discussion
Thursday Feb 28 P1 P2: Double block	I want P2 to be caught up with P1 so they will work on their booklets.	Students will connect post-secondary knowledge to career	Discussion: after video

	P1 will watch a video on planning their futures + P2 after lunch	selection by watching: how can a child aspire to a career they don't know exist?	PS C A
Friday Feb 29	Reflections. Students will be connecting post-secondary knowledge to career. Students should now have the right knowledge to guide them to confidence in selecting careers	Students will reflect in their journal entries. Watch and discuss: find a mission	Discussion, reflection. Formative assessment.
Final Summative Assessment	Students will take one of the scenarios from their booklet and create a skit from that booklet However unlike the questions in the booklet, they will also need to list the appropriate postsecondary courses/program the fictional character should take as well as how they will cover the costs.	Students will show their classmates their solution to a fictional situation that has to do with choosing the right postsecondary path. They will need to perform as well as write a 1 page justification for their response	This assessment will be a project, it will tie together the information the students have gathered.