



ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND BUSINESS ACADEMY AT KEMPSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

MISSION STATEMENT OF KEMPSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Kempsville High School is committed to equipping students to be independent, responsible, academically proficient, technically and globally literate critical and creative thinkers.

GOALS OF THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND BUSINESS ACADEMY

The overall goal of the Entrepreneurship and Business Academy is to provide students the business skills and knowledge necessary to succeed in any career related fields of study in post-secondary education and in the workforce. Specific academy objectives include the following:

STUDENTS WILL:

- successfully complete a sequential program of study that focuses on specific skills, knowledge and technology in the fields of entrepreneurship, business information technology and corporate finance.
- have opportunities to earn an Associate's degree/post-secondary credit.
- exceed the objectives of Virginia Beach City Public Schools curricula and Commonwealth of Virginia Standards of Learning tests.
- participate in job shadowing, mentoring, and/or internship programs that extend, enrich, and refine student learning and create linkages with the academic and business communities.
- complete a long-term project through an internship/mentorship experience with a culminating presentation in the senior year featuring an in-depth study of an issue of related concern to their related industry and present ideas/solutions as viable options to address the issue to a panel of business and community leaders.

HISTORY OF KEMPSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Kempsville High School is the *home of the Chiefs* and has a long-standing history and tradition of excellence in education. Kempsville High School is named after an early Virginia settler by the name of Kempe and the current building was opened in 1966. The Kempsville High School faculty and community were excited to expand the tradition of excellence in the Fall of 2016 when we opened our doors to the FIRST academy class of students. We are now excited about expanding to our third class of students in school year 2018-19.

ACADEMY STRANDS

The academy program offers three strands of study for students. Students will be provided the opportunity to personalize and customize their learning experience through the development of courses within each of the strands. The three strands of the academy are:

***ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION
BUSINESS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
CORPORATE FINANCE***

REQUIRED COURSES WITHIN THE ACADEMY

Students enrolled in the academy will be take a series of courses that are aligned with the overarching strands of the academy. The information below provides a snapshot of courses that will be developed for the academy. Additional elective courses will be developed within each of the strands of study to provide students more in-depth and exciting learning opportunities. All students in the academy will have the opportunity to earn their "**Master Level Microsoft Office Specialist Certification**" through passing multiple tests and will have multiple opportunities to earn additional industry certifications through their selected academy program of study.

COURSES THAT ARE OFFERED TO ALL ACADEMY STUDENTS: Academy Honors English 9 & 10, World Studies for Business I & II, Introduction to Entrepreneurship, Business & Information Technology, Critical Issues in Business Seminar, Idea Generation and Creative Problem Solving, Dual Enrollment Principles of Public Speaking, Leadership Skills Development and a Senior Internship

ENTREPRENEURSHIP & INNOVATION

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Design for Entrepreneurs

BUSINESS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Academy Advanced Computer Information Systems
Computer Programming
Advanced Placement Computer Principles
Apply to ATC 2-year Strand Program

CORPORATE FINANCE

Academy Accounting

Academy Business Law & Ethics
Academy Corporate Finance
Academy Advanced Accounting
Dual Enrollment Principles of Accounting I & II

SCHOOL AND PARTNERSHIP INFORMATION

Kempsville High School is located in the heart of the Kempsville Community. With the development of the Entrepreneurship and Business Academy, Kempsville High School will draw students from all over the City of Virginia Beach. Through program development we have established many higher education and business organization partnerships. Our partners are committed to providing experiences for students that will enrich their foundation in the world of business and entrepreneurship.

| HIGH EDUCATION PARTNERS | BUSINESS PARTNERS | BUSINESS PARTNERS |
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| Babson College | Dominion Enterprises | Real Property Management Hampton Roads |
| Old Dominion University & The Strome Entrepreneurial Center | Edible Arrangements | Rubin Communications Group |
| Tidewater Community College | IHOP – Kempsvriver & Landstown Commons | State Farm Insurance – Pierre Granger |
| BUSINESS PARTNERS | Junior Achievement of Greater Hampton Roads | The Opus Group |
| Antonia Christianson Events | Klett Consulting Group, Inc. | The Rock Gym |
| ARDX | Law Office of Joel Ankney, PC | TWWS Internet Consulting Company |
| Bell Tone | Lynn’s Beach House | US Naval Plumbing |
| Brick House Diner | Madison Jewelers | VB Public Libraries – Kempsville Location |
| Cheryl Tan Media | Novel Views Co | Virginia Beach Schools Federal Credit Union |
| Chick-fil-a Haygood | Operation Smile | Virginia Tourism Corporation |
| Coastal Cafe | Philip L. Russo, Jr. PC | Walter T. Camp, Esq. |
| Design Elements | Pita Pit | WRV Skate Camp |
| Digital Marketing Specialists Tidewater Communications Interactive | PNC Commercial Banking | Y Not Pizza & Italian Cuisine |

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“The best way to predict the future, is to create it.” Peter Drucker