



FIREHAWKS INTERNSHIP AND REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE

MORE THAN JUST A NAME

We don't just talk about being "college-prep," we live it.

- 100% college acceptance
- 100% FAFSA completion
- 70% college matriculation

For over 15 years, Victory College Prep has been a K-12, Mayor-sponsored charter school on Indianapolis' south side. We serve those students who need us the most.

Of the over 900 students we serve each year; 87% are students of color, and 100% receive free or reduced lunch. We prepare our students to carry the torch of success by giving them the tools they need to pursue their post-secondary goals.

FIRE PROGRAM

Victory College Prep believes educating the workforce of tomorrow means practical experience today. That's why VCP offers our FIRE (Firehawks Internships & Real-World Experience) Program to all 11th and 12th grade students. We partner with the Indianapolis community to ensure our scholars get the authentic workplace experience they can only achieve by working and learning alongside real business and community leaders.

In partnership with JobReady and Employ Indy, we pair that real-world experience with a dedicated career-based curriculum that earns our students six "badges" that certify their readiness and is endorsed by the Indy Chamber of Commerce.



PROGRAM DETAILS

Our VCP FIRE Program occurs every other Friday throughout the school year and lasts from 9am-2pm (approx. 8 dates per semester). We match students to mentor sites based on career-interest and afford the opportunity for our mentors to meet with their prospective intern in advance to determine best-fit. Our interns have done everything from machine assembly and medical observations to data entry and note-taking. The experience is 100% customizable and designed to suit your needs.

In addition, VCP provides:

- Transportation to and from the internship site
- Breakfast and lunch on internship dates
- Work-appropriate dress wear
- Weekly communication from the school



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OUR PARTNERS

VCP currently partners with over 30 unique Indianapolis businesses and community organizations. Want to hear a testimonial?

Reach out to some of our part/current mentor partners:

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| — Marian University | — The Mind Trust | — Cleaners Food Bank |
| — Indiana Historical Society | — YMCA | — Select Physical Therapy |
| — LUNA Language Services | — Southport Pet Hospital | — Talk to Tucker Real Estate |
| — Indy Vet | — Center Grove Fine Arts | — A Kid Again |
| — YMCA Benjamin Harrison | — New Boy | — CICF |
| — White River State Park | — Meals on Wheels | — Best Buddies |
| — Hope Haven Psychologist | — The Lawrence Armory | — Museum of Miniature Houses |
| — Shelbourne Knee Center | — Employ Indy | — Edna Martin Christian Center |
| — Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence | — Nutrition Plus Fitness | — Visually Impaired Preschool Services |
| | — Westlane Middle School | |

How Do I Learn More?

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