

MBK WORKING PAPERS INITIATIVE

The MBK Working Papers Initiative is a program designed to help students take their first steps toward employment and career development. Through this initiative, students can quickly obtain working papers, participate in a two-day Career Success Program, and explore summer internship opportunities. Whether you're looking for your first job or gaining experience for the future, MBK Yonkers provides the resources and support to help you navigate the process with confidence.



WHAT TO EXPECT

Distribution of Working Papers

MBK Yonkers, in collaboration with Yonkers Public Schools Nursing Services, is ensuring that students aged 14 and older can quickly and efficiently obtain their working papers. Our team will visit all nine high schools to provide on-site distribution, streamlining the process so you can begin working without unnecessary delays. If a medical physical is required, MBK Yonkers will conduct examinations on-site, allowing students to receive their working paper cards immediately.

MBK Junior Achievement Career Success Bootcamp

During Spring Recess in April, MBK Yonkers will host a two-day MBK Junior Achievement Career Success Bootcamp, in partnership with Junior Achievement, designed to equip students with essential career readiness skills. Participants will:

- Engage with industry professionals through guest speaker sessions
- Receive personalized resume reviews and constructive feedback
- Develop professional skills through mock interviews and workplace etiquette workshops
- Gain insight into career pathways and learn best practices for dressing for success
- Participate in a growth mindset workshop, designed to build confidence and long-term success strategies

This program offers a unique opportunity to refine your job application skills and develop a strong foundation for professional success.

Summer Internship Opportunities

In May, MBK Yonkers will invite students to apply for summer internships within Yonkers Public Schools. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in the MBK Job Fair, where they can connect with employers, explore career opportunities, and apply for summer jobs.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE?

Contact Dr. Jason Baez at JBaez@yonkerspublicschools.org for more information or to sign up for the MBK Working Paper Initiative or the MBK Junior Achievement Career Success Bootcamp.

