



## NKCES & OVR High School Transition Forum March 13, 2019



### **Key Note Presentation: Be your own Spider-Man: Great Power = Great Responsibility**

Educator, Business Consultant, and **four-time** honoree of Who's Who Among American High School Teachers, Missy Whitis will emphasize the importance of practicing Self-Advocacy to achieve your goals.  
**CAM Building, Convening Center**

### **Session Choices**

#### **Different Can Be Good - Appreciating Others:**

**CAM Building, Convening Center**

What is diversity and what's in it for me? Explore the challenges and benefits of getting to know others that are different from you. You may find more in common than you think. Melony Stambaugh, Pre-ETS Specialist at Gateway, presents this engaging and interactive session.

#### **Kentucky Career Center - Let's Go to Work:**

**CAM Building, B 104 A**

Beginning your journey to the world of work may seem challenging, but with the right supports in place, you can do it! Learn about training opportunities, assistive technology, and career counseling available to you through the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation. OVR Counselors Robin Campbell and Kim Bunch present.

#### **Friendship and Conversations:**

**CAM Building, B 104 B**

Do you ever wonder what makes a good friend or how to find and keep quality friendships? Does it feel challenging to know how to have a conversation with others? This session will help you identify the characteristics of good friendships and provide some tips on how to start and carry on a conversation with classmates, employers, co-workers, and friends or potential friends. Jennifer Wells, The Point's Director of Employment, Transition, and Social Communication presents.

#### **Be a Pro! Professional Skills to Pay the Bills:**

**CAM Building, B 107 I**

Coordinator of Adult Education at Gateway, Alex Duvall knows what it's like to be the new guy on the job. Students will relate to Alex's personal journey and learn from his experiences. This presentation explores professionalism, how to be your best so that you can shine and be a valued member of your work team.

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### **Finding Your Career Path:**

**CAM Building, B 107C**

Confused about what you want to do for a living? Unsure of what to say to employers? If so, you aren't alone. Supported Employment can help. Redwood's Brittney Burkholder and Jaymee Scharf present.

### **Campus Tour:**

**CAM Building- Meet in hallway by the Convening Center**

Suzanne Sewell will provide group tours of the Gateway's Boone campus. You'll learn about campus projects and see manufacturing programs such as Welding Technology, Air Conditioning Technology, Computerized Manufacturing, and industrial Maintenance.