

# **Issue Paper**

**DATE:** 

9/9/2021

## AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve the creation of the Work Based Learning (WBL) "KCSD Service Learning Nurse Support Program" to provide KCSD scholars from the Ignite Pre-Nursing Pathway, Ignite Biomedical Science Pathway, the District State Testing Nursing Assistant (STNA) Program, and other scholars interested to have a real world experience working with the KCSD School Nurses for the 2021-2022 School Year.

### APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

01.1 "Legal Status of the Board"

### **HISTORY/BACKGROUND:**

KCSD has established career pathways in the health science field that include four course pathways in Pre-Nursing and also in Biomedical Sciences. In addition to a certification course in STNA. Currently the COVID-19 has caused a high level of contact tracing work on the 18 KCSD schools. The new KCSD Service Learning Nurse Support Program will provide KCSD Scholars the opportunity for real world experience working and learning from the school nurses to complete the contact tracing cases. Scholars will earn high school credit. The WBL provides scholars another Transition Ready opportunity.

#### FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

Approximately \$200,000 from the General Fund (36 WBL Scholars @ \$12.58 per hour at 3.0 hours per day for 137 Days (Oct. 1st, 2021 through May 16th, 2022) + 9% overhead costs.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approval to create the Work Based Learning (WBL) "KCSD Service Learning Nurse Support Program" to provide KCSD scholars from the Ignite Pre-Nursing Pathway, Ignite Biomedical Science Pathway, the District State Testing Nursing Assistant (STNA) Program, and other scholars interested to have a real world experience working with the KCSD School Nurses for the 2021-22 School Year.

#### **CONTACT PERSON:**

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Principal/Administrator

District Administrator

Superintendent

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# Kenton County School District – Work Based Learning (WBL) Service Learning Nurse Support Program 2021-2022

## **Transition Ready Opportunity**

Number of Scholars to be Selected:

Up to 36 (juniors or seniors)

Length of Service Learning:

October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 – May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Hourly Wage:

\$12.58

Daily Schedule:

3 hours Per Day (8:00 – 11:00am or 11:00-2:00pm)

Mentors for Scholars:

School Nurses at the 18 KCSD Schools

Service Learning Structure:

KCSD Scholars from Simon Kenton, Dixie Heights, and Scott High Schools in the following Career and Technical curriculums will have first choice for this opportunity:

KCSD State Testing Nursing Assistant (STNA) Program Ignite Institute Biomedical Sciences Career Pathway Ignites Institute Pre-Nursing Career Pathway

Scholars will be mentored by KCSD School Nurses
Scholars main role is to complete "Contact Tracing" checks and Reports
Scholars will be trained and follow FERPA and HIPAA Guidelines
Scholars will be trained on a process (script) to include:

Communication Skills Completing Reports

Scholars will be hired as "Student Workers" Scholar will earn high school credit for WBL