JEFFERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL

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JMS 2024 Career Day

Dear Parents, Friends, and Community Members,

Jefferson Middle School and our PTSA are pleased to announce our annual Career Day on **Wednesday**, **March 20**th **2024**. It promises to be an exciting and educational day for our students.

We are looking for presenters to speak to our students, for four 25 minute sessions, about their careers and the path they took that led them to their careers. Speakers are invited to join us beginning at 9:45 am in the cafeteria for coffee and pastries, and a quick meet and greet with student leaders. At 10:00 am, speakers will be escorted to a classroom by a student leader to meet their host teacher. Speakers will present to four different groups of our 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students. Speaker will be presenting all 4 times in the same classroom but a different group of students will come to the room for each session.

The four 25-minute sessions will be as follows:

Breakfast/Meet & Greet	9:45 - 10:00	15 minutes
Session 1	10:12 - 10:37	25 minutes
Session 2	10:40 - 11:05	25 minutes
Session 3	11:08 - 11:33	25 minutes
Session 4	11:36 - 12:01	25 minutes

Here are **some suggested topics** for speakers to consider for their presentations: educational requirements, tools of the trade, work environment, why they chose their profession, pros and cons of the profession, salary range, a discussion of a typical work day on the job, visuals/handouts, and an opportunity for questions by the students.

If you are interested in being a speaker for our Career Day we would appreciate you filling out and returning the enclosed presenter profile to Jefferson. This information will be used to select our speakers, and then by your host staff member to introduce you to the students.

Please RSVP no later than Monday, March 4th by returning the profile sheet to the school office or to balooch.goli@tusd.org. This will allow us to inform you by **Thursday**, **March 7**st if you will be part of Career Day as we only have 25 spots for speakers.

We're very excited about our Career Day and the opportunity for career education and information for our students. If you have any questions or concerns please call me, Goli Balooch, at (310) 533-4794 x8584.

Sincerely,

Ms. Goli Balooch School Counselor Career Day Advisor

