

CAREER EDUCATION

The Westfield School Committee recognizes that students in pre-kindergarten through grade 12 should:

1. Be afforded the opportunity to be informed about the world of work.
2. Be aware of the many vocations and careers available to them.
3. Develop a respect for the dignity of work.
4. Be afforded the opportunity to develop an understanding regarding the technical, consumer, occupational, recreational and cultural aspects of industry and technology; they should also be afforded the opportunity to develop skills related to such aspects through creative problem solving experiences.
5. Be afforded the opportunity to develop an understanding of the career opportunities available to them and the education and skills necessary to succeed in those careers.
6. Be afforded the opportunity to develop essential skills to support career readiness.

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LEGAL REFS.: M.G.L. [71:37K](#); [71:38A](#) through [71:38F](#); [74:1](#) et seq.
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