ELP C3 Foundations

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Course Description

This is a required course for 9th grade students. The course includes 21st Century concepts and skills in the areas of employability, financial literacy and high school orientation. Students will match their interest and aptitudes to career options with a focus on using employment information effectively, acquiring and improving employability skills that allow people to gain, remain and advance in the workplace as well as in society. Students will use technology to enhance their class projects. Students will be expected to demonstrate money management and make informed, responsible financial decisions. *ELP activities are also incorporated into this section of the course*.

Classroom Expectations

- Be in the classroom when the bell rings.
- Come to class prepared with all materials and assignments completed.
- Be physically, mentally, and intellectually present during class.
- No cell phones may be used during class without explicit permission.
- Be polite and respectful of others in the classroom.

Assignments & Grades

All assignments for this course will be graded on a four point scale and weighted by the number of days allowed to work in class. Assignments are due at the beginning of class. Late work will be accepted up to one week after the due date for reduced credit. Assignments may be redone at the discretion of the teacher. Extra credit will **very rarely** be offered.

Points	Expectations	
5	The work went above and beyond expectations for the assignment	
4	The work met all expectations for the assignment including turned in on time.	
3	The work met most expectations for the assignment.	
2	The work met some expectations for the assignment.	
1	The work did not meet expectations for the assignment.	

Course Units	Percent of Grade	Sample Activities
Brain Teasers	10	Daily bell ringer activities (cannot be turned in late)
Citizenship	30	Participation papers, election coverage, EverFi
College	30	IHAPI, college overview
Career	30	Employability soft skills, Career Clusters overview