

TRAILBLAZE 2025



ABOUT TRAILBLAZE PURPOSE

Trailblaze pairs Collegiate rising seniors with alumni and parents to observe problem-solving, critical thinking, communications and collaboration in the workplace and bring direction to students' career inspirations and aspirations.

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2025 INTEREST FORM DUE BEFORE WINTER BREAK.**



STUDENT TIMELINE

Dec. 20, 2024.... Student Interest Form Deadline
Jan., Feb..... Meet for 20 minutes about interests
Week of Feb. 17..... Begin Receiving Placement
Within seven days of placement and not later than
Thurs., March 6..... Accept or Decline Placement
Fri., March 28..... Return Signed Parent Forms
Mon., May 5..... Return required Mentor Forms
May 20, 21 or 22, 7:30-8:15 a.m.... Meet Mentor
Mon., June 2, 1:00-4:00 p.m.. Collegiate Meeting
Tues., June 3, 1:00-4:00 p.m.. On-Site Orientation
Wed-Fri., June 4-6..... TRAILBLAZE
Fri., June 6..... Reflection Due

INFORMATION SHARED BY MONDAY, MAY 5 CHECKLIST

- Where to go, what time to meet for Orientation
- Any workplace safety precautions to ensure that Trailblaze is a safe experience
- Organization profile and mentor bio if available
- Any security access requirements
- Parking instructions
- Lunch recommendations
- Possible corporate confidentiality or NDAs
- Possible required medical immunization requests if placed in a hospital or healthcare facility
- Technology policies and internet access
- Appropriate and expected dress for your organization
- All forms requiring signatures will be available for download on the [Trailblaze website](#) by March 6. Please return to Ms. Clemans by March 28.
 - Photography/Social Media Permission Form
 - Emergency Contact Information Form
 - Guidelines and Policies Form
 - Parent Permission and Release Form

For more information and to download required forms, please visit
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