

This is a work-based learning and articulation plan to be used to recruit companies and place students in experiential learning positions. This plan was developed through the Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training (TAACCCT) Grant Program Round 4 Grant *Winston County Manufacturing Recovery Project* TC-26437-14-60-A-28.

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# East Central Community College Winston County Manufacturing Recovery Project



## **Work-Based Learning and Paid Internship Plan** - Action 2.4:

Working with the Winston County Manufacturing Sector Leadership Team, develop and expand work-based learning and paid internship opportunities in Winston County.

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## **Work-Based Learning and Paid Internship Plan**

Action: Recruit companies. Priority will be given to advanced manufacturers.

Companies will be recruited by:

- Work-based Learning Coordinator
- Instructor outreach
- Industry surveys
- Winston County Manufacturing Sector Leadership Team (WCMSLT)

Action: Recruit and place students. Target students will be those enrolled in the modified Electrical Technology Program.

Students will be recruited by:

- Instructors
- Work-based Learning Coordinator
- Navigator
- Counselors

Students will be placed by:

- Instructors
- Work-based Learning Coordinator

Action: Monitor work-based learning and internship progress.

- Contact with each company

ECCC will continue to add new companies and students to the program through the life of the grant. The work-based learning and paid internship program will be promoted with the help of our Work-based Learning Coordinator following the guidelines of Mississippi Community College Board (MCCB) Work Based Learning criteria. Paid internships will be funded through participating employers. The interns will receive pay from participating employers for their intern hours.

The paid internships will be focused in the designed electrical technology curriculum of ECCC. In addition to these internship opportunities, ECCC has an established Work Based Learning program that offers college credit for relevant work experience.

There are unlimited opportunities available through the Work-based Learning program. Within this program, students will be paid by the company and submit a copy of their

check stub to the Work-based Learning Coordinator as verification of hours worked to receive college credit.