



## **Quest for Success Preparation Points**

### **Unit 1 How I Learn and Lead “Preparation Points”**

- Prepare for modeling employability skills and how to talk about different support networks the students may have
- Students may need poster board, magazines, etc. to develop vision boards
- Develop sample personal and career goals and your elevator pitch to demonstrate for students

### **Unit 2 Effective Teams: The Sum is Greater Than the Parts “Preparation Points”**

- Review advanced manufacturing sector overview (new with revisions)
- Provide a sample team contract for students
- Review completed decision matrix samples
- Need to develop a website in the unit. Some free resources, including resources which do not require the internet, are provided
- Understand how you are going to support students with research skills - some resources are provided

### **Unit 3 Thinking out of the Box “Preparation Points”**

- Make sure you have materials for tower and catapult activity ready
- Think about how to begin developing potential partnerships for Food Truck Wars
- Introduction to project schedules, project evaluation, and business plan development. Students may need structured support to help start the project schedule.
- Introduction to RFPs and the potential for food trucks to have to apply to an RFP

### **Unit 4 Being a Cyber Citizen “Preparation Points”**

- Familiarize yourself with Common Sense Media and the content
- Teachers will need to create an account with EverFi
- Employs a heavy use of technology so make sure you have access to computer lab or computers

### **Unit 5 Superheroes in My Community “Preparation Points”**

- Begin to formulate ideas about potential community (or school) service projects for students
- Decide how you will introduce and make the concepts of altruism and community superheroes real to students. How will you help them identify these individuals?
- Think about how you will support students in setting up a job shadow experience in the helping professions

### **Unit 6 Managing Money to Meet My Goals “Preparation Points”**

- Review the online curriculums provided (including supplemental resources)
- The vocabulary can be more complex so review the different ways to introduce and reinforce vocabulary

### **Unit 7 Navigating My Career Path “Preparation Points”**

- Helping students understand what to include in their cover letter and resume can be challenging
- Students will need to review their personal and career goals
- Understand how to explain middle-skills jobs (resources provided)
- Students will need to add and edit data in excel

### **Unit 8 Looking Forward “Preparation Points”**

- Students will revise their vision boards given their work throughout the course
- Plan ahead to think about how to display the scientific boards about postsecondary options
- Familiarize yourself with the ACT Profile
- Plan ahead to facilitate postsecondary campus tours (or online versions)
- Plan ahead to coordinate a parent career night