



to your best future!

EVSC - Governor's Work Ethic Certificate



Governor's Work Ethic Video



What is the Governor's Work Ethic Certificate?

College and Career Readiness Opportunity

- Develop transferable skills demanded by top employers
 - Good Attendance
 - Citizenship
 - Service
- Demonstrate these skills while still in high school
- Incentivize your future
 - Guaranteed interviews
 - Hiring bonuses
 - Tuition reimbursement

OptIN to skills!



OptIN Partners



Deaconess



VECTREN
Live Smart



St. Vincent



CAPITAL ELECTRIC INC.



KOCH
Enterprises, Inc.



OLD NATIONAL BANK



What requirements must students meet to earn their certificate?

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Academic Components:

1. 98% + attendance rate
(R / S27)
2. 6 hours community service
3. Maximum 1 office referral (ODR - Y)
4. Minimum 2.0 GPA

PERSISTENCE

Student will be resilient, persevere through challenges and problem solve.

RESPONSIBILITY

Student will accept and demonstrate service to others, possess a positive attitude, and communicate effectively and appropriately.

INITIATIVE

Student will demonstrate ability to self-start and think creatively and critically. Student will be involved and take ownership of their work.

DEPENDABILITY

Student will show reliability and accountability, demonstrating responsibility and consistent punctuality.

ETHICS

Student will be trustworthy and demonstrate humility, integrity, and independence in their actions.

SELF-MANAGEMENT

Student will be flexible, work collaboratively with others, and manage emotions.

Why do I want to earn the GWEC?



Opportunity to apply for \$1,000 scholarship



Wear GWEC medallion during graduation ceremony



Be recognized in high school graduation program



8 guaranteed job interviews



Potential signing bonuses



Additional employee benefits



Employer sponsored tuition reimbursement



End of year celebration dinner with prizes!



GWEC Celebration: Prizes



Important Things to Know

- **Attendance** is the #1 reason students do not qualify for GWEC
 - 98% attendance = <4 days absent
 - Parent calls count *against* GWEC 98% attendance rate
 - Turn in all excuses to attendance office to make sure attendance is coded correctly. Check attendance often
- 6 hours of community service during senior year
 - Any volunteer, non-paid activity
 - Can be school related/sponsored
 - OptIN will send a link to log this through Remind and email
 - Must be logged by March 20th
- No more than one office referral senior year
- **P.R.I.D.E.S.** - Teachers must sign off that you have met the 6 employability skills: Persistence, Responsibility, Initiative, Dependability, Ethics and Self-Management
- You must enroll (which is what we are getting ready to do)!





to earn your GWEC today!

DEADLINE: Friday, Sept. 13th

Apply here: <http://bit.ly/GWECApply>

Enrolling for the Governor's Work Ethic Certificate

- Fill out application completely
- You will receive text messages from Remind with info on steps you need to take to stay eligible throughout the year
- Answer Post-Grad Plan the best that you can
- If you check “Enter Workforce,” you will be invited when businesses visit your HS to recruit seniors for employment.

EVSC Governor's Work Ethic Certificate (Senior Application)

EVSC Seniors,

Thank you for your interest in earning the Governor's Work Ethic Certificate (GWEC). This is a great opportunity for all seniors regardless of your plan after graduation! The EVSC's GWEC is based on ten areas of competency selected by the region's largest employers, higher education representatives, and community leaders. Students who earn their GWEC at the end of their senior year will graduate with the Governor's Work Ethic Certificate medallion and also be eligible for scholarship, guaranteed job interviews, future employment bonuses, and much more.

Below are the six transferable skills (PRIDES) that will each require the signature of three school staff members stating you have displayed each of these skills as well as the academic components you will be required to meet in order to earn your Governor's Work Ethic Certificate.

Your email address (robin.woebkenberg@evsck12.com) will be recorded when you submit this form. Not you? [Switch account](#)

* Required

Seniors! Commit to earning your Governor's Work Ethic Certificate today!

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- ETHICS** Student will be trustworthy and demonstrate honesty, integrity, and independence in their actions.
- SELF-MANAGEMENT** Student will be flexible, work collaboratively with others, and manage emotions.

Please read the following statement and then complete this form. *

- * I have received, read and understand the standards and requirements for the Governor's WEC program.
- * I fully understand the guidelines for the successful completion of all established criteria necessary for awarding of the certificate.
- * By signing, I am committing as an eligible senior to pursue the WEC and demonstrate these employability skills.

☐ I have read and commit to the information shared above.

Primary Enrolled High School (Where you will graduate from.): *

Choose

For those who also attend a high school program in EVSC, please select: *

Choose

Last Name *

Your answer

First Name *

Your answer

Student ID Number: *

Your answer

Student Phone Number with Area Code: (###) ###-#### (If you do not have a phone, add a parent/guardian number.) *

Your answer

Tentative Post-Graduation Plan *

- ☐ Continue Education in College/University (2 or 4 years)
- ☐ Enlistment in Military
- ☐ Enter Workforce (Including those interested in continuing their education and training through workplace)

GWEC Graduates

