

# GUIDANCE AND PLACEMENT SERVICES

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## Looking for: What Works?

Missouri Career Education is developing a toolkit to be distributed this summer to districts and educators throughout Missouri. The toolkit will include ideas for successful strategies and tools for assisting students, parents, and communities become more engaged with career planning and educational preparation.

If your school has a successful strategy to share in any of the following four categories, please let us know by February 1, 2007, by sending a brief description. You may be contacted for more information.

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Student Planning</b> (Individual Planning)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Parental Involvement</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Business and Community Partnerships</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Career Interest, Preparation Assessment Tools</b>
<i>Examples:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Group counseling</li> <li>• Teacher advisement</li> <li>• Senior capstone courses</li> <li>• Student portfolios</li> <li>• Career exploration activities in core and CTE courses</li> </ul>	<i>Examples:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spring enrollment conferences</li> <li>• Parent-teacher conferences</li> <li>• Parent registration night</li> <li>• Individual interviews</li> <li>• Materials sent to parents</li> </ul>	<i>Examples:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internships</li> <li>• Work-based learning</li> <li>• Cooperative education</li> <li>• Job shadowing &amp; mentoring</li> <li>• Career fairs</li> <li>• Off-campus career exploration</li> </ul>	<i>Examples:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use of EXPLORE and PLAN assessments</li> <li>• ASVAB</li> <li>• Kuder and Choice websites</li> <li>• Interest inventory systems</li> </ul>
<b>Brief Description of What is Working at your school:</b>			
<b>For more information, contact:</b> <i>(Please include individual name, school name, e-mail address, and phone number.)</i>			

**Please send your What Works summary and any example attachment(s) by February 1 to:**

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Thank you for your time and interest!

