

MENTORSHIP

Become a Company Advisor!



Become a Company Advisor (CA) for Pennsylvania Free Enterprise Week (PFEW) and help shape future leaders. Spend a week on a college campus mentoring teens in business, teambuilding, leadership, and life skills. Since 1979, over 56,000 students and 3,400 mentors have made PFEW a life-changing experience!

Earn 36 Act 48 hours! PFEW is proudly presented by the Foundation for Free Enterprise Education (FEE), an Act 48 Approved Provider through PDE.

Enhance your Skills as a Mentor!

As a Company Advisor (CA), you'll mentor high school students, enhancing your leadership skills and sharing your expertise. Each week-long session blends the experience of returning CAs with fresh perspectives from new Advisors (about 20% new each week). This commitment offers opportunities to:

- Mentor students
- Engage the future workforce
- Network and share experiences
- Establish connections
- Enhance leadership skills
- Foster team-building and collaboration
- Promote individual careers
- Encourage creative and critical thinking
- Impart wisdom and knowledge
- Impact future leaders
- Provide an experience that is standards aligned

The CA role is a unique professional development experience, offering invaluable business insights and new techniques while expanding your career and community leadership capacity.

Educators: Earn 36 Act 48 continuing education hours as a PFEW Company Advisor! Sign up now!

For more information on becoming a Company Advisor or to sign up for a session, please visit www.pfew.org/pfew-company-advisor.

Questions?

Want to talk to a staff member? Contact the FEE offices at info@pfew.org or 814-833-9576.



Why You Should Consider Mentoring Beyond the Classroom

"Some may say that being a Company Advisor is very different than being a traditional classroom teacher because we aren't standing at a podium next to a chalkboard lecturing to a classroom of students. With the technological tools available to teachers today and a strong desire to cultivate a lifelong love of learning through engaging and rigorous lessons, that perception of education is no longer the norm. In reality, the "classrooms" of PFEW, to me, are exemplars for all teachers because challenging concepts come to life through inquiry and exploration, project based learning, and collaborative and creative problem solving - all tenets of student directing learning. While my role is to build community and advise students during their PFEW journey, I am reminded why I do this - PFEW, teaching, and education in general; I get to be part of something so special - seeing students excited about learning and using their own gifts and interests to demonstrate learning. I learn so much from working with them as I hope they learn from me."

Joseph Samuel Rogers, M.S.
Director of Academic Support, Pope John Paul II HS
(pictured above with some PFEW students)

Scan the QR Code for current program dates, more info on the CA role, or to sign up as a Company Advisor for this summer.



All sessions are held in Williamsport, PA





Take Part in the PFEW Reality Fair

A Reality Fair is a hands-on event where high school students simulate real-life financial decisions, helping them learn about budgeting, saving, and planning for their future.



In partnership with Service 1st Federal Credit Union, this dynamic and interactive event invites high school students to step into adulthood by managing a simulated monthly budget. From selecting housing and transportation to balancing entertainment and savings, students gain hands-on experience making informed financial decisions that mirror the real-world challenges of adult life and career planning.

**As an Educator, you can earn five Act 48 Hours
by participating in the Reality Fair!**

**Sessions run from 12:30–4:30pm in
Williamsport (unless noted):**

- June 30 – Lycoming College
- July 7 – Lycoming College
- July 21 – Lycoming College
- July 28 – Lycoming College
- July 29 – Pennsylvania College of Technology
(12:45–5:15pm)

No experience needed—just enthusiasm!

**Interested in Participating?
Scan the QR code below:**



**Questions? Email:
alison@pfew.org**



"As an educator, I feel the reality fair was such a wonderful opportunity for the PFEW students. Many times in education, you provide the knowledge and skills, but it's important to go deeper to the actual application of these skills. By participating in the reality fair, I was able to see first hand how students applied the skills they learned in a real life scenario that was meaningful and impactful. I'm confident they'll carry the lessons from this experience with them for a lifetime. Contributing to PFEW allows me an opportunity to directly support students' growth beyond the traditional classroom"

—Heather Goss, York City School District