



GEAR UP

Congratulations on becoming a GEAR UP school!

We are excited that your school will be part of the K20 Center family. We would like to help celebrate with your students and have created a student activity that is focused on the top ten reasons to pursue a post-secondary education.

In this box you will find:

- 2 - Identical sets of 10 career cards, 11 x 17 color cards
- 2 - Student Career Choice Activity labels
- 8 - Learning Station signs
- 10 - Top 10 Benefits of Continuing Your Education Foam Core Posters
- 1 - GEAR UP Grant benefits Foam Core Poster
- Presenter Script Cue Cards
- Activity Overview and Script
- Curtain Rod
- Poster Strips

Learning Station Materials:

- Photo booth props- assorted
- Banner
- Markers
- Pens
- Pencils
- GEAR UP Buttons
- Camera with SD Card
- Student Station Checklist
- Evaluation forms
- Pencils (Note to Self Station)
- Pens (Evaluation Station)
- Washi Tape (Use to Hang Station Signs)
- Pre-printed envelope for the SD card and Student Evaluation Forms
- Stationery Paper and Envelopes (Note to Self Station)
- Accordion Folder for sealed envelopes (Note to Self Station)

Please feel free to use the poster strips included to hang and display the 11 foam core signs (Ten Benefits and GEAR UP signs) after the activity is over to serve as a reminder for your students of why it is so important to pursue an education after high school.

After students have signed the GEAR UP banner, it can be displayed in your school using the curtain rod included.

Once you have completed the student activity, please send the SD card included in your digital camera and the completed Rapid Feedback forms in the self-addressed envelope. The camera is yours to keep and use at future GEAR UP events. We will mail the SD card back to you with the printed photos.

The accordion folder can be used to house all of the "Future Self" letters that students write to themselves. **Plan to give the letters back to the students at the end of the year so they can review and see if they accomplished their goals.**