



Since the program's inception, NDP students have had WIN experiences at:

- 25 medical practices and research facilities
- Local businesses representing fields such as:
 - insurance
 - finance
 - banking
 - veterinary medicine
 - real estate
 - marketing
 - accounting
 - entrepreneurship
 - physical therapy
 - fashion merchandising
- Baltimore City, Baltimore County, and Harford County Courts with judges
- Five area hospitals
- Five college/university programs
- Five law firms, ranging from medium- to large-size
- Two lobbying/legal firms
- Two engineering firms
- One legal aid clinic



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HELPING STUDENTS
EXPLORE CAREER INTERESTS
GAIN WORK EXPERIENCE,
AND BECOME WOMEN
WHO WANT TO
TRANSFORM THE WORLD

entral to Notre Dame Preparatory School's mission is academic excellence. Yet not all learning occurs in school. The WIN Experience places students in career settings so they may explore interests and apply classroom learning to real work and real world experiences.

Begun in 2006 with a focus on science and medicine, WIN has expanded to include opportunities in business and law. To date, more than 760 girls have held WIN internships, with more expected each year as new career tracks are added.

FILLE

All Notre Dame Prep Upper Level students, with placement preference to rising seniors, are eligible to participate in WIN. A host of mentors, including NDP parents, alumnae, and friends, sponsor opportunities ranging from half-day to two-week shadow experiences to full-time, unpaid internships.

WIN training provides life skills in addition to content enrichment. In advance of their placement, students take a workplace etiquette seminar learning about real world expectations about proper work attire, conduct, and manners.

Reilley G. conceived of and created a mobile app ... a PowerPoint and presentation materials. She did such a great job that I asked her to find out who we can pitch it to...she made an

appointment and delivered the pitch. The 'bar is set very high' for the next intern...thank you for allowing my company to participate.

RICHARD WIKLUND,
 ATLANTIC MOBILE APPS





I had an awesome shadow day...It made me realize that insurance may be exactly what I want to pursue. It mixes legal and financial backgrounds as well as risk management which is exactly what I was looking for!

KRISTYN LUNDQUIST '16,
 AFTER HER SHADOW DAY WITH
 PARALLEL RISK ADVISORS

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Mentoring young women can be transformative. As a mentor, you can have a direct positive impact in the lives of young women. NDP students think creatively and problem solve effectively. By introducing them to your career field, you will help them hone these important skills, so they become responsible citizens, effective communicators, and collaborative workers.

WIN mentors are key to the students learning on many levels. Mentors:

- Supervise and guide students during the career exploration experience;
- Nurture communication, time-management, teaming, problem solving and technology use skills;
- Provide opportunities for observing and shadowing; and
- Evaluate the student at the end of the internship.

INSPIRE

Becoming a WIN sponsor is easy! Simply contact Mrs. Barbara Mantler, WIN program coordinator, who will send you a short form to complete. Students learn about the various opportunities in March and apply for placements that interest them. Once students have been vetted and selected via a competitive application process, you will then be paired with a student who applied for the position you are sponsoring. All WIN students are responsible for contacting and coordinating with their WIN sponsors to schedule the experience and share any relevant information pertaining to the placement. At the end of the experience, both mentor and mentee will complete an evaluation.



During this experience, I had the opportunity to meet so many fantastic people and experience many new things in the medical world and beyond!

— ANNA ZITTLE
ABOUT HER 10 DAYS AT THE
NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP
FORUM ON MEDICINE

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