**Entrepreneurial Ventures 2024-2025**

**Veterans High**

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**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

How do you turn an idea into a business? Experience just that in this course! Entrepreneurship focuses on recognizing a business opportunity, starting a business, operating, and maintaining a business. Students will be exposed to the development of critical thinking, problem solving, and innovation in this course as they will either be the business owner or individuals working in a competitive job market in the future. Integration of accounting, finance, marketing, and business management, legal and economic environments will be developed throughout projects in this course. Working to develop a business plan that includes structuring the organization, financing the organization, and managing information, operations, marketing, and human resources will be a focus in the course. Engaging students in the creation and management of a business and the challenges of being a small business owner will be fulfilled in this course.

**EOPA**

Entrepreneurship is the third course in the pathway in the Business Management & Administration Cluster. Students enrolled in this course should have successfully completed Introduction to Business & Technology and Legal Environment of Business. Industry Credentialing for High School Students Upon completion of sequenced courses in the Entrepreneurship Career Pathway, students are eligible to complete the industry-Recognized student credential for fulfillment of the End of Pathway Assessment. Once mastery is reached, students will receive recognition for completion and use this credential in conjunction with their job or continuing training. For specific assessment information, refer to: <http://bit.ly/BMA-EOPA>

**Career Opportunities**

General & Operations Managers

Human Resources Managers

Human Resources Specialists

Sales Manager

Loan Officer

Law Enforcement

**Chrome book statement:**

“All students are issued a district-provided chrome book for instructional purposes, student engagement, and student learning. Chrome book use is at the direction and discretion of the classroom teacher.”

**FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA (FBLA)**

FBLA is a co-curricular student organization that plays an integral part in the components of the Business & Technology course standards. FBLA activities are incorporated throughout this course and the rest of the Business and Computer Science courses. Students are strongly urged to **join FBLA ($50.00**) to benefit from the wealth of opportunities the organization has to offer.

**Make up Policy**

Attendance is extremely important! Work must be made up within 5 days after an absence. It is the **student’s responsibility** to get the assignments after having been absent! Students can stay after school to make their work up, BUT they must make an appointment with me. NO after school make-ups will be on Fridays.

Students will be allowed to make up one test AFTER they have attended tutoring and made corrections. Students will have 5 days to take make up test.

**Grading System**

Daily work (daily participation) 15%

Minor Assessments (quizzes) 20%

Major Assessments (Test, projects) 45%

Final Exam 20%

"Students may retake two major assessments per semester after completing tutoring/test corrections/error statements. Retest will be before or after school

or during AO within a week of return. No retakes in AP or for no initial testing."

**Rules**

**All school rules (Student Handbook) and classroom rules (posted in class) will be enforced.**

**Tardies**

According to the student handbook, students are expected to be in the classroom when the bell rings or they will be marked tardy

**COURSE STANDARDS**

Standards for this course can be found on the following website:

<http://www.doe.k12.ga.us/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/CTAE/Pages/default.aspx>

**Cyberbullying:** As defined by Dictionary.com, “the act of harassing someone online by sending or posting means messages.” *Please keep in mind that the Edmodo communication system is designed to work as an extension of the classroom; therefore, anything done on the site through the access of a school course group code will be treated the same as if it were said aloud in the classroom. Inappropriate comments or use of the site can result in disciplinary action.*

**Please sign and return this page to Mrs. Belinda Collier….**

**I have read and am aware of the objectives, requirements, and expectations for Mrs. Belinda Collier’s Entrepreneurship class.**

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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