



# YOU'RE INVITED

## Middle School Principals Meeting



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### Dear Principal,

We are excited to invite you to an upcoming meeting to introduce the Yavapai County Future Ready Initiative, a collaborative effort to strengthen and expand career-connected learning for middle school students across the county.

This initiative is designed to support schools in developing sustainable models of career exploration that align with Arizona's priorities for workforce readiness and student engagement.

Whether your school is already implementing career exploration activities or just beginning to explore the possibilities, we welcome your input and involvement.

#### QUESTIONS?

Please contact Danny Brown at YCESA:  
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### Coming Up: Aug. 14 & 15 TEACHER P.D. EVENT

In August we will also be hosting professional development events focused on the free career exploration resources now available to middle school classrooms. Teachers will receive stipends for attendance. Details at: [azbec.org/yavapai-county-future-ready](http://azbec.org/yavapai-county-future-ready)



### WHEN

Monday, August 11, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

### WHERE

#### Zoom

**\*\*You will be emailed a calendar invitation + link\*\***

### ON THE AGENDA

- **Overview and Goals of the Yavapai County Future Ready Initiative**
- **The Impact of Middle Grades Career Exploration**
- **Survey Results: Yavapai County Interest in Readiness**
- **Getting Your School Involved**
  - **Free classroom resources** (EdgeFactor: real-world career exploration content; Transfr: state-of-the-art virtual reality curriculum; MyFutureAZ: career exploration and pathway planning;
  - **No-cost teacher PD**
  - **Tailored implementation models** to fit your school (including electives, afterschool programs and integrated classroom models)
  - **Guidance and support**
- **Your Questions**
- **Next Steps**
  - Pilot selection timeline
  - Upcoming events



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