AHS students and faculty participated in several pathway program opportunities this fall:

- Culinary students and Entrepreneurship students took a field trip to Lyman Orchards. They learned how to run an agricultural business, how to operate a farm to table store, and took a tour.
- Dr. Dwayne Smith, interim president of Southern Connecticut State University (SCSU), met with pathway students to discuss BROSE, the Education Pathway, and micro-credentials.
- Business Editing and Publishing students practiced their sales and communication skills by seeking out advertisers for the AHS yearbook.
- Journalism students participated in mini-workshops at High School Journalism Day hosted by SCSU.
- Students interested in Engineering and Manufacturing participated in Aerospace Alley at the Hartford Convention Center.
- Students enrolled in Blueprint Reading participated in Manufacturing Day at Housatonic Community College.
- DECA and FBLA students went to Bridgeport Arena for Sports and Entertainment Marketing Day.
- Students enrolled in Future Educators taught the Junior Achievement Our Region lessons to students in grade 4 at Mead School through the High School Heroes Program.
- Sikorsky Teamsters presented to students in grades 10 and 11 interested in applying for the Teamsters Summer Internship Program.
- Seniors, Marc Peet and Mathayus Rivera, have been accepted into the Precision Machine Technology After-School Program at Emmet O’Brien Technical High School.

WTNH News 8 anchor and journalist, Laura Hutchinson, met with students enrolled in Journalism and Video Production to discuss the day in the life of a journalist. Ms. Hutchinson offered insight into her profession and gave career advice. Additionally, she invited those students in attendance to take a tour of the News 8 Studio.

Students enrolled in Mrs. Davis’ Future Educators class visited Mead School to teach financial literacy lessons as part of Junior Achievement’s High School Heroes Program.
PATHWAYS PROGRAM

UPCOMING EVENTS:
• Members of the Student Pathways Focus group will be hosting a Pathways Fair for the Class of 2027 in January.
• Sophomores and Juniors enrolled in a Technology Education class and interested in applying for a Teamsters Summer Internship are invited to tour Sikorsky Lockheed-Martin in December.
• Representatives from Eversource will be presenting to students interested in Engineering and Conservation.
• M & T will be meet with students in the Cybersecurity Pathway to teach students how to protect themselves from cyber threats and scams.

REMINDERS:
• High school students interested in independent learning opportunities can take an online learning class using 21stCenEd. Classes are now enrolling! Check out https://21stcented.com/9-12-courses/ for a list of courses. Courses are free of charge! Reach out to kphipps@ansonia.org if interested.

Ansonia High School would like to thank the following guest speakers for meeting with students this fall:
• Mr. Robert Scinto (CEO / Scinto, Inc.)
• Dr. Christopher Chase (Chiropractor / Sovita)
• Mr. Louie Reyes (Director / ApprenticeshipWorks)
• Mr. Alberto Cifuentes Jr. (Director / Q Plus CT)
• Mr. Mike Warhola (Ansonia Rescue Medical Services)
• Mrs. Jennifer Shuart (Ansonia Public Library)
• Taylor CCCC (Sonographer / Milford Vascular ins.)
• Manny Colon (Optician)
• Ms. Laura Hutchinson (WTNH News 8)
• Mrs. Kristine DoVale (Junior Achievement)