

A Week in the Life of a Collaborative Lab School Student

Framework: Experiences for lab school students may include one or more of the following:



- **Mini Courses:** interdisciplinary courses that are co-designed by students and Engagement Guide and centered around a particular topic or theme of interest; focused on a set of standards/competencies; most often shorter than a full term
- **Case Study Groups:** current real-time problems, tasks, or projects, co-designed by students and Engagement Guides in partnership with Community Partners, goal is producing something for an audience outside the classroom; focused on a set of or a set of standards/competencies needed for a particular credit; most often shorter than a full term
- **Mentor Meetings:** individual or small group meetings with Engagement Guide mentors to plan schedules, check in on competency/standard progress, discuss future goals, reflect on skill development
- **Assessment & Feedback Sessions:** multiple opportunities for students to reflect on their skill development and competency progress, share their work and learning progressions, and communicate with Engagement Guides and families
- **Community Circles:** co-planned and co-facilitated by students and Engagement Guides, intentional time to build a safe and inclusive learning community, process events, tackle issues or solve problems, and provide support for one another
- **Internships/Service Learning:** co-designed with community partners to provide meaningful learning opportunities in the community and identify and develop competencies; held off site at various community partner locations
- **Community Partner Site Visits:** Virtual or in person field trips with a variety of professionals, students, and community partners around the world
- **Leadership Opportunities:** Student-driven projects or tasks, Hosting visiting educators and students, Co-planning and Co-facilitating various events for fellow CLS students, families, Engagement Guides, educators, and community partners
- **Health and Wellness Sessions:** Intentional time to tend to health and wellness - including physical, mental, emotional health
- **Independent Work:** Time for students to work on projects, homework, scheduling, communication, reading, etc.
- **HHS or PSEO Courses:** Earning credit toward graduation through continued enrollment in traditional core and elective courses offered at Hopkins High School or PSEO options

A Week in the Life of a CLS Student (Example A)



Collaborative Lab School	Hopkins High School	Community Partner Site	Other Location
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School	Virtual Meeting with Mentor				
Morning Session	Community Circle Case Study Group: Homelessness in Hopkins Mini Course: 2022 Elections	Internship: Park Nicollet	Community Circle Case Study Group: Homelessness in Hopkins Mini Course: 2022 Elections	Internship: Park Nicolett	Breakfast Meeting with Cast Study Group - Review with Community Partners Mini Course: 2022 Elections
Lunch & Transition	Lunch @ CLS Bus to HHS	Bus to HHS Lunch at HHS	Lunch @ CLS Bus to HHS	Bus to HHS Lunch @HHS	Lunch @HHS
Afternoon Session	Criminal Law Choir (A Day)	Criminal Law Ceramics (B Day)	Criminal Law Choir (A Day)	Criminal Law Ceramics (B Day)	Criminal Law Choir (A Day)
After School	Football Practice (Health & Wellness)	Football Practice (Health & Wellness)	Independent Work	Football Practice (Health & Wellness)	Weekly Reflections + Skill Assessment (Google Meet with Mentor)
Evening					Football Game (Health & Wellness)f

A Week in the Life of a CLS Student (Example B)



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School			Leadership: Family Night Planning		
Morning Session	Community Circle Case Study Group: Neighborhood Beautification Project Mini Course: Financial Literacy	Internship: Photographer	Community Circle Case Study Group: Neighborhood Beautification Project Mini Course: Financial Literacy	Internship: Photographer	Community Circle (Debrief Family Night) Case Study Group: Meet with Community Partners for Neighborhood Beautification
Lunch & Transition	Lunch @ CLS Health & Wellness	Lunch @ CLS Independent Work	Lunch @ CLS Health & Wellness	Lunch @ CLS Independent Work	Lunch @ CLS Health & Wellness
Afternoon Session	Mini Course: Social, Political, & Economic Effects of Revolutions Leadership: Family Night Planning Meeting	Small Group Book Club Community Circle	Mini Course: Social, Political, & Economic Effects of Revolutions Virtual Conference w/Mentor & Internship Supervisor	Small Group Book Club Community Circle	Mini Course: Social, Political, & Economic Effects of Revolutions Weekly Reflections + Skill Assessment (Meet w/Mentor)
After School	Meet with Mentor	HHS Robotics Team		Leadership: Family Night Set Up	HHS Robotics Team
Evening				CLS Family Night	

A Week in the Life of a CLS Student (Example C)



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School					Weekly Reflection + Skill Assessment (Google Meet with Mentor)
Morning Session	Chemistry (A Day) Culinary	Spanish II (B Day) Culinary	Chemistry (A Day) Culinary	Spanish II (B Day) Culinary	Chemistry (A Day) Culinary
Lunch & Transition	Lunch @ HHS Bus to CLS	Lunch @ HHS Bus to CLS	Lunch @ HHS Bus to CLS	Lunch @ HHS Bus to CLS	Lunch @ HHS Bus to Internship Site
Afternoon Session	Mini Course: Climate Change - Statistics and Research Methods Meet with Mentor Community Circle	Case Study Group: Mental Health in Schools Yoga (Health & Wellness) Community Circle	Mini Course: Climate Change - Statistics and Research Methods Independent Work Community Circle	Case Study Group: Mental Health in Schools Assessment & Feedback Session: Presentation of Case Study Group's Final Project	Internship: Hopkins Center for the Performing Arts
After School	Spring Play Rehearsal	Spring Play Rehearsal	Spring Play Rehearsal	Spring Play Rehearsal	Spring Play Rehearsal
Evening	Leadership: Plan Community Circles (Google Meet)			Yoga (Health & Wellness)	