What is College Student For A Day Program?

This program will allow 10 African American high school students the opportunity to shadow a University of Wisconsin-Superior African American college student for one day. The goal of CSFAD is to help high school students make an early connection within the University and experience college life from a college student’s perspective. The high school student program participant will sit in on classes, visit various offices, and will be mentored by a current UW-Superior student. This will be a mentor/mentee relationship between the participants, and will help the transition from High School to college.

Program Dates & Times:

College Student For A Day program will be held on Wednesday, February 26th, 2014 and the participating high school students will be on the UW-Superior campus between 8:20 AM and 3:00 PM.

Program Activities:

When the high school students arrive in the morning we will match them up with their mentors and have a short welcome by the College Student For A Day program staff. Activities during the day will be having the mentees go to classes with their mentors and when they are not in class, the mentors will be introducing their mentee to the various student-oriented departments on campus; such as Admissions Office, Student Support Services, Registrar’s Office, Financial Aid Office, Advisement Office and others. When they are at these different offices the students will be getting more than a tour. They will receive instruction on the procedures of each office so that they will become more familiarized with many different processes new college students have to go through.

Students Will Be Provided With:

The high school students will be given a Student Information Packet, at the start of the day, which will have information on UW-Superior. The high school and college student will receive a paid lunch in the Yellowjacket Union Cafe. Most importantly, all student participants will have created a friendship that will last not only for that day, but for a lifetime.

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