REQUIREMENTS

2016 UWG Best of the West Student Poll Worker Requirements

On behalf of the Carroll County Board of Elections & Registration, thank you for your interest in becoming an Election Day Poll Worker! Your commitment to working at a Carroll County Voting Precinct on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 will help ensure a successful Presidential Election for all Carroll County Voters.

Requirements and FAQ's For UWG Best of the West Student Poll Workers

- 1. What are the requirements to serve as a Poll Worker in Carroll County?
 - A citizen of the United States
 - A resident of Carroll County*
 - 16 years of age or older
 - Able to read, write, and speak the English language
- * UWG students who register to vote in Carroll County by October 11, 2016 will meet the Carroll County residency requirement.
- 2. All poll workers must complete an HR Poll Worker packet. Applicants who fail to submit required HR paperwork will not be paid for their services. Applicants shall provide a valid Driver's License and one other document as listed on page 9 "Lists of Acceptable Documents" in HR Poll Worker Packet.
- 3. What are the hours? All poll workers shall report to their assigned poll location by 6:00 am on Tuesday, November 8th and shall not leave until after the polls close at 7:00 pm or the last voter has voted. Managers expect all team members to stay and help with closing the precinct.
- 4. Am I allowed to leave the precinct for lunch or to run an errand? No. Poll workers are required to stay at their assigned precinct location the entire time. Workers should bring their own meals and remember to bring any medications you may need while at the polls. Workers should provide their own transportation.
- 5. Will I be paid for my services? Providing you submit all required HR paperwork in a timely manner, students will be paid \$125.00 for Election Day.
- 6. Will I be trained? All poll workers shall attend mandatory training to be provided by the Carroll County Elections Supervisor and staff. UWG SGA President, Ethan Stiles, will be sending out additional information regarding when UWG Best of the West Student Poll Worker's training will be and location information. Training typically is no longer than 2 hours. Workers who do not attend training are not allowed to work in the precincts. Additionally, workers are encouraged to review online Poll Worker Resources at https://georgiapollworkers.sos.ga.gov/Pages/default.aspx

Should you have additional questions please feel free to contact the office at 770-830-5823 or email <u>elections@carrollcountyga.com</u>.

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