

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA AGENDA ITEM

Assistant County Administrator /
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Library Services Division

Date: January 18, 2022

To: The Honorable Board of County Commissioners

Thru: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

Michael C. Zito, Assistant County Administrator

From: Elizabeth Stenger, Director of Library Services

Subject: Career Online High School

DESCRIPTION

The Indian River County Library System has joined the 35+ participating Florida libraries in offering Career Online High School as an educational opportunity and service to the community and our patrons. As participants in this program, the Library is responsible for awarding scholarships to adults in Indian River County to earn a private high school diploma online and gain career skills. A limited number of scholarships are available to qualified adult learners who are looking to advance their careers, prepare for workforce entry, or continue their education.

This program is made possible to libraries through funding by the State of Florida through a partnership with Smart Horizons Career Online High School.

Students can choose from one of the following career fields:

- . Child Care Education
- . Commercial Driving
- . Food and Hospitality
- . General Career Preparation
- . Home Care Professional
- . Security Professional
- . Hospitality and Leisure
- . Office Management
- . Retail Customer Service

To learn more about the program visit **libraries.ircgov.com/cohs** or email <u>cohs@irclibrary.org</u>.

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