

Release Notes

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RELEASE NOTES SUMMARY

These release notes detail the product improvements and new features included in the September 26, 2024, release.

Resolved Issues

- A. The styling of the Networking activity was displaying incorrectly.
- B. The styling of the activity, Awards, Distinctions, Honors, was displaying incorrectly.
- C. Activation code page missing from mobile version of IHaveaPlanIowa.
- D. The Saved Schools badge was not showing the proper list of schools.

Enhanced & New Features

- 1. Work-Based Learning Opportunities Enhanced for Students Belonging to Multiple Schools
- 2. Default Sort for Work-Based Learning Opportunities Updated

RESOLVED ISSUES

This table summarizes the product improvements included in the September 26, 2024, release.

	Problem	Improvement
A.	The styling of the Networking activity was displaying incorrectly. (PPS-7518)	The styling has been updated.
B.	The styling of the activity, Awards, Distinctions, Honors, was displaying incorrectly. (PPS-7519)	The styling has been updated.
C.	The activation code page was missing from mobile version of I Have a Plan Iowa. (PPS-7750)	The activation code page was updated so it appears properly.
D.	The Saved Schools badge was not showing the proper list of schools and was displaying all schools. (PPS-6905)	The missing filter for Saved Schools was added.

1. WORK-BASED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES ENHANCED FOR STUDENTS BELONGING TO MULTIPLE SCHOOLS

Often students attend more than one school within their district. For example, a student may be attending their local Career and Technical Education center for a welding program while also attending their home high school for all other courses. Both schools may have work-based learning programs with educators managing them. To ensure that students have access to all the possible work-based learning opportunities available to them and to assist educators managing the programs, the work-based learning module has been updated to ensure students belonging to more than one school can see and apply to work-based learning opportunities available through both schools.

Students can:

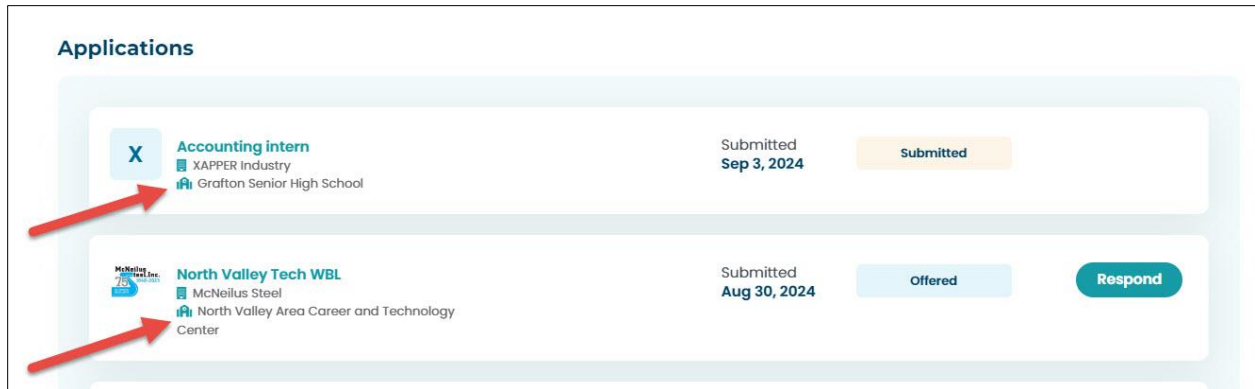
- See and apply to all opportunities, no matter which school “owns” the opportunity
- View all their completed applications
- Create work-based learning experience activities for all opportunities

The screenshot displays the 'Work-Based Learning Opportunities' interface. On the left, there is a 'Filters' sidebar with a search bar, checkboxes for 'Favorites' and 'Matches', and sections for 'Location' (City, Zip code) and 'Type' (Apprenticeship, Career & Technical Student Organizations, Cooperative Work Experience). The main area shows a list of opportunities sorted by 'A - Z'. The opportunities are:

- Accounting intern** (XAPPER Industry): Location: Grafton, ND; Type: Cooperative Work Experience; School: Grafton Senior High School.
- Engineering Intern** (XAP Industries): Location: Bismarck, ND; Type: Internship; School: North Valley Area Career and Technology Center.
- Farmhand** (Red Rooster Farms): Location: Minot, ND; Type: Part-time/Summer Job; School: North Valley Area Career and Technology Center.
- Grafton High WBL** (McNeilus Steel): Location: Grafton, ND; Type: Internship; School: Grafton Senior High School.

Red arrows point from the 'School' field of the 'Accounting intern' and 'Engineering Intern' cards to the 'School' field of the 'Farmhand' and 'Grafton High WBL' cards, respectively, illustrating that students can see opportunities from all schools to which they belong.

Students can see opportunities from all schools to which they belong



Students can view all their submitted applications and respond to offers

Educators can:

- Manage their own school's opportunities as they do now
- Manage students' applications for their own school's opportunities
- View (but not manage) students' applications for opportunities managed by another school

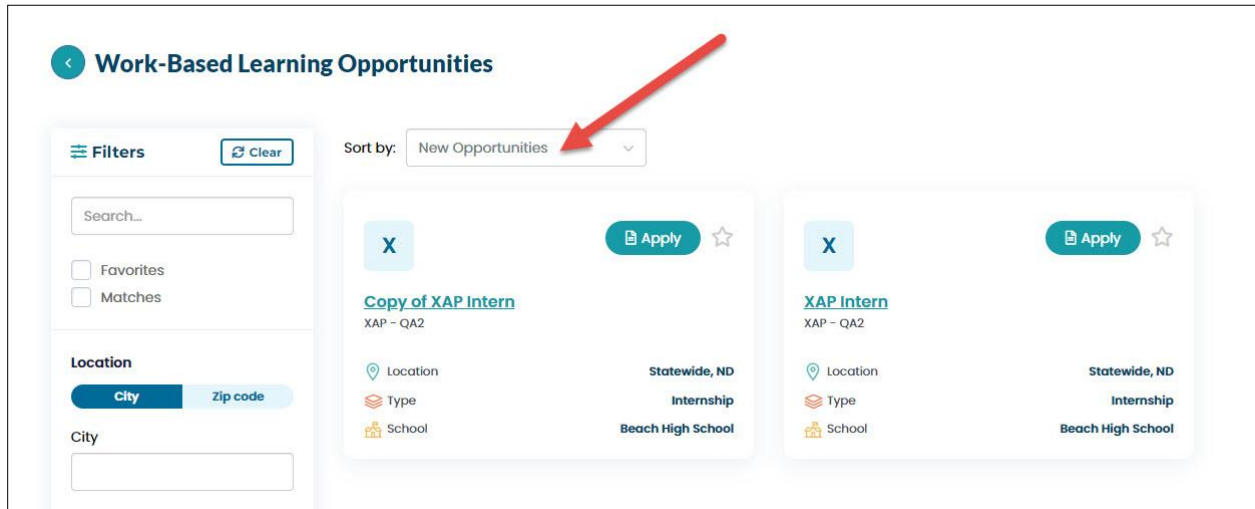
Connecting Students to Multiple Schools

Students in schools that are **not** using data files to create and manage accounts or **are** using single sign-on (Clever, Google, etc.), can connect themselves to other schools using the functionality in the This is Me section (students click on their name at the top right).

Schools using data files to manage accounts, please reach out to Susan Bateman at sbateman@xap.com for details on adding secondary connections to your student data files.

2. DEFAULT SORT FOR WORK-BASED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES UPDATED

The default sort order when viewing all work-based learning opportunities has been updated to be by newest. Students benefit by always seeing the most recently released opportunities at the top of their page. Older opportunities can still be easily found by scanning the page or searching.



The default sort for all work-based learning opportunities is now “New Opportunities”