

# **Key Enhancements**

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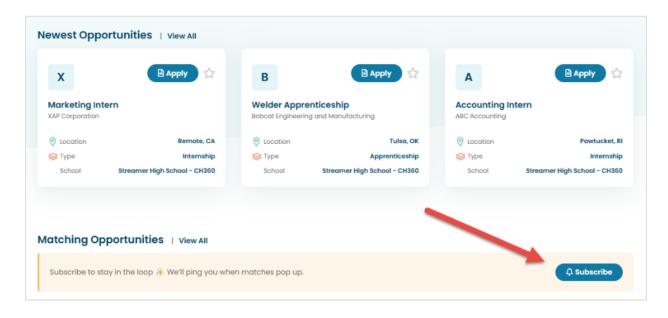
# 1. Enhancement: Student Email Notifications for Matching Opportunities

Students can now stay up to date on new Work-Based Learning Opportunities that align with their career interests.

Within *Work-Based Learning Opportunities*, students can now **subscribe to email notifications**. When enabled, the system will automatically notify them whenever new opportunities are added that **match their Career Key results**.

### Why It Matters

This enhancement helps students discover relevant experiences more easily, encouraging engagement with work-based learning and supporting career exploration aligned to their personal interests.



Students can subscribe from the Work-based Learning Opportunities page

## 2. Work-Based Learning: New "Interview" Status & Student Notification

We've added an Interview status to streamline how educators and employers manage Work-Based Learning (WBL) applications and keep students informed as they move forward in the process.



#### **Interview Status**

Educators can now select **Interview** when managing any submitted student application for an opportunity added by an educator at a school or CTE center.

#### **Automatic Email to Students**

When a student is selected for an interview by an educator, the student receives an email notification. The email is **CC'd** to the educator who changed the status to Interview.

## Note

**Interview logistics (date/time/location) are not included** in the email to the student. The student is informed that the employer will be in contact to arrange the interview time and location, and to check their email and voicemail frequently so they can respond promptly.

# 3. Scholarship Search Update

The Scholarship Search tool has been updated to comply with current Federal and State requirements related to diversity, equity, and inclusion programs and services. The update automatically filters and restricts access to scholarships that are inconsistent with those provisions.

Scholarship filtering restrictions are based upon Executive Order 2023-31 from Oklahoma Governor J. Kevin Stitt, which in short establishes that state agencies shall not utilize state funds, property, or resources to grant or support diversity, equity, and inclusion positions, departments, activities, procedures, or programs that indicate or provide a preference in service or benefit to one race, color, ethnicity, national origin, or sex over another: Oklahoma Executive Order 2023-31