**Bimonthly Tasks for September: Weeks 3-4** 60 pts - Each department leader needs to show evidence of completion on or before September 28th. Tasks completed early can be turned in and verified at any time. It is the responsibility of each department leader to make sure that this is done. All members of the department will receive the same task points. All late work will be worth 1/2 credit.

# **Art & Publications Department**

### 1. Hiring Process & Department Meeting:

You will be holding interviews to fill positions for your department team. Coordinate with the Vice President of Human Resources when you would like to schedule the interviews. During this process you will record your applicants in sequential order based on preference of hire. Following all the interviews the leadership team will meet and place employees.

**Evidence: Interviews Completed.** 10pts Vice President of Art & Publications

## 2. Department Meeting:

Meet as a department (and CEO) and assign all tasks for the next 2 weeks. Turn in a copy of this Task Sheet for your department to the CEO and your teacher as soon as possible- Fill in task sheet with names and who is responsible for each task.

**Evidence: Completed turned into teacher** Vice President of Art

### 3. Developing a Products Line: (Sales & Marketing: Task 1)

Meet as a department and download the **Product List** (found under Sales) from the **VEI Task Matrix**. Using this file, create a list of product lines or categories that you think should be sold by the company and then list what products will be included in those categories. As a team, attend the scheduled meeting that includes Marketing & Sales departments, chief officers and your teacher. Bring your list to this meeting and participate in the process of determining the categories of products or product lines that will be sold by the company.

10pts Evidence: Department Product Line List --- Canvas September 3-4 All team members

### 4. Company Name Badges - HIGH PRIORITY! Deadline completed by September 28th

Obtain the name badge pouches and create basic name badges for the entire company. The badges need to have the name of the company, Employee name and their position in the company. These need to be hung on the front bulletin boards

10pts Evidence: Printed badges ready to go on September 28th. Employee Responsible

#### **5. Company Branding Competition:**

Review the branding competition guidelines and top schools from last years competition and develop a plan and mock-up of sketches and ideas of what you are thinking about submitting for the competition. This will be a major task on the next task sheet so the plans here are very important. You can involve several team members on this task. Submit your final mock up with a Task Verification form (found near the company mailboxes) attached.

5pts Vice President of Art & Publications Evidence: Submit a Task Verification Form with the mock up attached

#### 6. Company Logo Design:

After the company name is finalized with the leadership team. Work with your department to design a logo to support the company name. Review the ideas submitted by employees in the Branding exercise. Open the Logo Design Task sheet from the Task Matrix on the teachers web page under Art & Publications. Follow the directions on the task sheet. Have each Art Associate come up with a 2-3 different ideas for logos for the company. These should be hand drawn detailed color sketches. The designs should be done with colored pencils and as professional as possible. Review all the ideas and as a team decide on your top 3-4 selections to be presented at the next leadership meeting. Have the Vice President share these at the meeting and leadership will approve one to be developed as the final logo concept.

20pts Evidence: All team sketches attached

All Employees Responsible