

CONNECTING STUDENTS TO TODAY'S MANUFACTURING. BUILDING TOMORROW'S WORKFORCE.

SPRING 2026 | PRE-TOURS & SPECIAL EVENTS

Early experiences that build awareness, spark curiosity, sturduce to manufacturing, STEM, and the skilled trades.



175
STUDENTS

Finley Elementary School with WSU Tri-Cities STEM Discovery Day
May 2026 | Tri-Cities

Elementary students participated in hands-on STEM activities, exploring technology, engineering, and future career possibilities.

Partners: WSU Tri-Cities, Finley Elementary, AWB, Women Helping Women



20
STUDENTS
(requested)

Lake Stevens High School Aerospace & Advanced Manufacturing Tour
May 2026 | Everett Area

Students toured the Washington Aerospace Training & Research Center (WATR) and ATS, exploring aerospace manufacturing, technical training, and industry career pathways.

Partners: Aerospace Futures Alliance, WATR, ATS, AWB



127
STUDENTS

100 middle school
27 high school

Girls in Manufacturing STEM & the Trades

May 12, 2026 | Ferris High School, Spokane

Middle and high school students explored manufacturing and skilled trades through employer interactions, hands-on projects, industry tours, and conversations with women working in manufacturing.

Partners: Production & Manufacturing Institute, Ferris High School, Spokane Public Schools, AWB, Wagstaff, and regional manufacturers



PRODUCTION & MANUFACTURING INSTITUTE



FALL 2026 | MANUFACTURING WEEK TOURS

Taking students behind the scenes to see modern manufacturing, meet industry professionals, and explore real career pathways.



20
STUDENTS

WSU-Everett Fluke Center
Everett

Students explored advanced manufacturing, automation, and engineering technologies.



25
STUDENTS

Clover Park Community College
Lakewood

Students toured advanced manufacturing and met with faculty and industry professionals.



20
STUDENTS

Clark College
Vancouver

Hands-on experiences in machining, WELDING, automation, and aerospace-related training.



15
STUDENTS

Whitworth University
Spokane

Students explored engineering, innovation, and career opportunities through the PACCAR engineering facility.



24
STUDENTS

CBTECH Skills Center / Moses Lake Industries
Moses Lake

Students gained hands-on exposure to modern manufacturing and met with industry professionals.



50
STUDENTS

Mt. Spokane & North Central High Schools / Whitworth-PACCAR Engineering Facility
Spokane

Students explored advanced manufacturing, engineering, and real-world applications.



60
STUDENTS

Tri-Tech Skills Center
Kennewick

Students toured advanced manufacturing programs and saw in-demand technologies in action.



OVER 500 STUDENTS

participated across spring and fall tours



6 HIGH SCHOOLS
from across the region



4 COLLEGES/ UNIVERSITIES
showcasing advanced manufacturing pathways



10+ INDUSTRY PARTNERS
opened their doors and shared real-world opportunities

