



January 8, 2019

Dear Students and Parents/Guardians:

Elmira High School proudly invites you to explore the challenging and expanding Finance Industry by joining our Academy of Finance (AOF) program. The Academy of Finance, a member of the NAF (National Academy Foundation) Network, is a three-year program that combines required, industry-based classes with work experience. Students will take specialized classes and have the opportunity to work in a paid internship at a local business or industry-specific related organization. Academy students are often invited to industry events and have opportunities to work with industry leaders and discuss career issues. The AOF embraces an open enrollment policy, however a completed application and interview are required for students to be accepted into the program and academic and attendance standards are required to be met to remain in the program.

To learn more about this exciting program, **please join representatives from the Academy of Finance program on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, 6-7 pm at Ernie Davis Academy in the Auditorium.** We will present an overview of the program, including student benefits and expectations, provide an opportunity for questions and answers and have academy applications available for completion. **Although not required to attend, an RSVP would be appreciated to Shelley Bailey at the contact info below by Wednesday, February 6, 2019.**

More information, including an **academy brochure and application, can be found at www.elmiracityschools.com.** If you need any further information about this program, please do not hesitate to contact one of the individuals noted below. We will be pleased to answer all of your questions.

Sincerely,

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