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Dr. Aldo Jackson:

I wanted to thank you for the College Career Fair you hosted on October 20. I have been attending events such as this for years, and have never seen a group of students more prepared for such an event.

We did not have a single student come by our booth nor did we observe anyone that wasn't 100% focused on obtaining information about their future. A lot of times at these events the faculty look at it as a break and they are nowhere to be found, but not at Erie County Technical School. Each group was accompanied by their classroom instructor, and the instructor toured the booths just as the students did. This type of leadership demonstrated by your faculty will lead technical students to college degrees.

Students asked important questions, and truly expressed an interest in looking at their post-secondary education. Not a single student came by our booth just to get the "free pen!" Every student wanted to learn about the programs Clarion had to offer. The amount of time you allowed your students to tour was perfect; many times too much time is allowed and the students get bored.

Thanks again for the best college fair I have ever attended. Based on what I saw last week I am sure your graduates will be successful in whatever endeavor they choose.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Hallock', is written over a horizontal line.

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