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### **Target and Suffolk Public Schools Complete Inaugural Workforce Development Partnership**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (December 7, 2018) – Lakeland High School students participated this week in an exclusive tour of the Suffolk Target Upstream Distribution Center. The visit wraps up a special partnership launched earlier this academic year between Suffolk Public Schools, the Target Corporation and Suffolk Economic Development Department to promote opportunities and stress the importance of career-readiness for occupations in logistics. The 1.8 million square-foot Target Distribution Center is Suffolk’s largest private employer and is actively hiring. The program will be replicated this spring to provide additional opportunities for a new set of students.



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