

# North Carolina CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION ESSENTIAL STANDARDS

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## INTRODUCTION

### CAREER AND COLLEGE READY

The mission of Career and Technical Education (CTE) is to empower students to be successful citizens, workers, and leaders in a global economy. CTE programs are designed to contribute to the broad educational achievement of students, including basic skills, as well as their ability to work independently and as part of a team, think creatively and solve problems, and utilize technology in the thinking and problem-solving process.

Career and Technical Education fulfills an increasingly significant role in school reform efforts. Students who concentrate in a CTE area, earning at least four related technical credits and meeting other criteria, are better prepared for the further education and advanced training required to be successful in 21<sup>st</sup> century careers. Career and Technical Educators at the state and local levels partner with business and industry and with community colleges and other postsecondary institutions to ensure Career and Technical Education serves the needs of individual students and of the state.

The federal Carl Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006 provides the framework for Career and Technical Education. North Carolina's Five-Year Plan for Career and Technical Education specifies how Career and Technical Education programs will be carried out in the state. Additional information about planning for Career and Technical Education is found in the CTE Planning Guide.

### ESSENTIAL STANDARDS

The 2019 CTE Essential Standards document was approved by the North Carolina State Board of Education in November 2018 and goes into effect for the 2019-20 academic year. The document contains program area and course descriptions and links to essential standards by course. This information was previously part of the Career and Technical Education Standard Course of Study Guide but has been revised as part of the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction Accountability and Curriculum Reform Effort and emphasis on Essential Standards. Local Education Agency (LEA) CTE administrators work with individual schools to select appropriate courses from among those in this document.

Each year the NC Department of Public Instruction publishes the Status of Curriculum Materials, lists the date for the latest version of each course and each supporting blueprint and curriculum, and the source of assessments used with courses in the Essential Standards.

Career and Technical Education in the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction is responsible for managing courses in the Essential Standards. Four types of courses are available.

#### **1. Courses Developed by the Department of Public Instruction**

Courses developed by the state are designed to be aligned with program area national standards and meet the needs/standards of business and industry. They include a blueprint of essential standards, supporting objectives, and relative objective weights. These courses provide a curriculum product and aligned assessments. All products developed since 2006 are aligned using the Revised Bloom's Taxonomy.

#### **2. Courses Adapted by the Department of Public Instruction**

In some cases, curriculum is available from multiple vendors and a blueprint is needed to direct the learning of students. An Adapted Course Blueprint is developed with essential standards, indicators, and relative essential standard weights. This type of blueprint is often used when an industry credential is available for the course.

### **3. Courses Using Adopted Curriculum**

In some cases, a sole source is recognized as a provider of curriculum in a specialty area, and the course is adopted fully from a third-party vendor. Materials for these courses are usually purchased by the LEA and typically include assessments.

### **4. Courses Approved as Local Course Options**

If a LEA recognizes needs that are not addressed by courses in the Essential Standards, that LEA can request authorization to offer a Local Course Option. A Local Course Option requires considerable planning and preparation. Each local course must be approved before it is advertised and offered to students. More information about Local Course Options appears in Appendix A.

## **CAREER CLUSTERS™ AND PROGRAMS OF STUDY**

Career Clusters™ are broad groupings of occupations/career specialties, organized by common knowledge and skills required for career success. There are 16 Career Clusters™ and 79 related pathways (subgroupings of occupations/career specialties). Supported by the 2006 Perkins legislation, Career Clusters™ are an organizing tool for curriculum design, school guidance, and a framework for seamless transition to career and college.

All NC CTE courses align to the Career Clusters™. Each course is placed in a Career Cluster based on a set of knowledge and skills common to all careers in the entire Career Cluster. Industry-validated knowledge and skills statements of student expectations identify what the student should know and be able to do. They prepare students for success in a broad range of occupations/career specialties. Some CTE courses cross over all 16 Career Clusters™. The 16 Career Clusters™ are:

- Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
- Architecture & Construction
- Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
- Business Management & Administration
- Education & Training
- Finance
- Government & Public Administration
- Health Science
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Human Services
- Information Technology
- Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
- Manufacturing
- Marketing
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics
- Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

Federal law requires each school receiving Perkins funds to offer at least one Program of Study (POS). A Program of Study provides a clear pathway for students to reach their career goals through secondary CTE courses, opportunities for postsecondary credit while in high school, and academic coursework, combined with a smooth transition to postsecondary education and advanced training. Students are to have a career development plan outlining courses to be taken that will move them toward their tentative career objective, meet high school graduation requirements, and provide a foundation for further education and advanced training.

## WORK-BASED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

All career and technical education courses in North Carolina offer work-based learning opportunities for students. Course recommendations for work-based learning opportunities are highlighted at the bottom of each of the course descriptions.

- **Apprenticeship:** a system of skilled occupational training that combines practical work experiences with related academic and technical instruction.
- **Business and Industry Field Trip:** a short-term visit to a business or agency expands the learning opportunities for participating students.
- **Cooperative Education:** a method of instruction where technical classroom instruction is combined with paid employment that is directly related to the classroom instruction.
- **Entrepreneurial Experiences:** involves students developing knowledge and proficiency in running a business. Students gains work-place skills and develops and understanding of how to manage a business and is responsible for all risks.
- **Internship:** a work-based learning experience where a student participates in the daily operations of a work site under the direct supervision of a business mentor.
- **Job Shadow:** a short-term (usually a half day) educational experience that introduces a student to a particular job or career by pairing the student with an employee of a business, industry, or agency.
- **Mentorship:** involves pairing a student (mentee or protégé) with a community professional (mentor) in a one-to-one relationship with the intent of providing first-hand experience in a career field/cluster of the student's choice.
- **School Based Enterprise:** a simulated or actual business conducted by a school that creates a student learning experience that creates direct links between the classroom learning and the world of work.
- **Service Learning:** a work-based learning strategy that combines community service with career and technical learning goals. Students provide volunteer service to public and non-profit agencies, as well as to civic, charitable, and governmental organizations in the local community.

For more details on the work-based learning opportunities summarized above, please view the "Guide to Work-based Learning in North Carolina" Toolkit found at:  
<http://www.ncpublicschools.org/docs/cte/curriculum/work-based/wbl-toolkit.pdf>

## WORK-BASED LEARNING IMPLEMENTATION

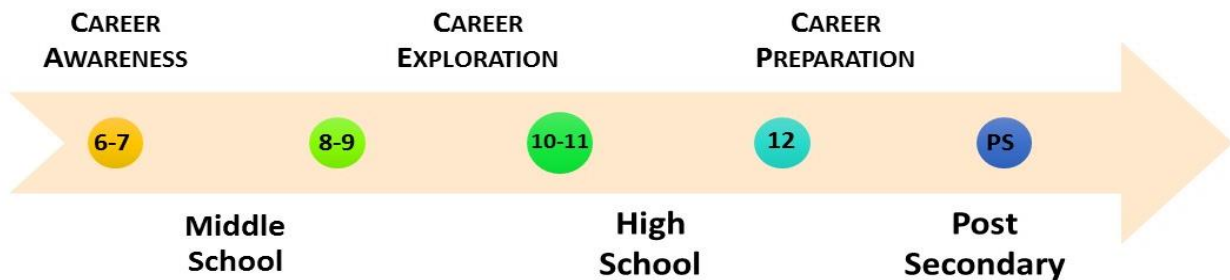
Building the bridge for work-based learning and the various pathways for career success involves many facets for many stakeholders. As we build a useable, interactive roadmap, and guide for our youth, it is the primary goal of the Work-based Learning Toolkit is to help all stakeholders; educators, parents, students, business and industry to have resources and tools that are easily navigated and understandable.

The first steps to understanding work-based learning and the many career pathways is to understand how important each aspect of career development is for the stakeholder involved at that precise periods of time of career awareness, exploration, and preparation.

Work-based Learning is an integral part of all Career and Technical courses in North Carolina to show curricular relevance to industry trends. The following Work-based Learning continuum offers the opportunity for students in middle through high school to experience the implementation of work-based learning in a variety of settings. These settings including:

- Career Awareness in grades 6-7
- Career Exploration in grades 8-11
- Career Preparation in grades 12 and post-secondary

## WORK-BASED LEARNING



## CAREER AWARENESS



Students will begin to understand how school relates to the “world of work“ through businesses, parents, and adults who “share and tell” their story about their profession and why they love their job.

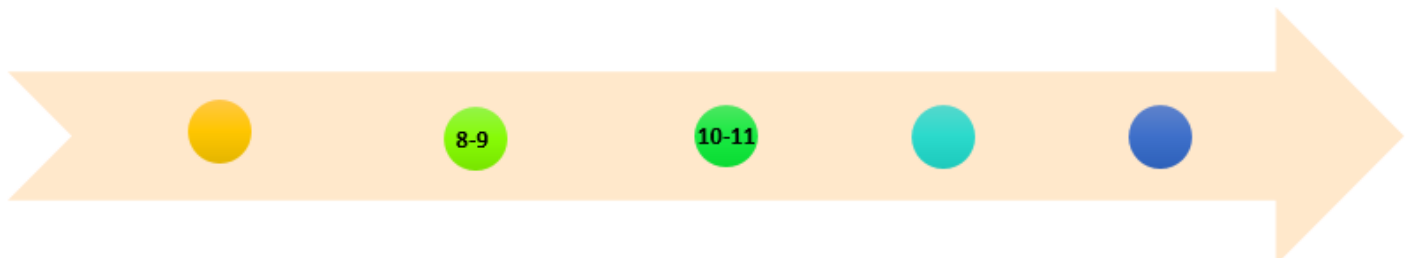
During career awareness, middle school students will be given the opportunity to:

- ✓ Understand how school relates to the world of work.
- ✓ Become aware of different careers and career pathways.
- ✓ Experience field trips to various businesses and industries.
- ✓ Participate in community volunteer organizations and service-learning projects.
- ✓ Embrace classroom assignments and project-based learning around specific industries.
- ✓ Become involved in school-based business entrepreneurship projects.
- ✓ Hear guest speakers from industry experts.
- ✓ Visit theme specific high schools that are of interest to them via class tours and open houses.

The Students@Work is a project of the North Carolina Business Committee for Education in partnership with the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction. The goal is for North Carolina businesses to help middle school students in their community see the opportunities that exist in the workplace. Other opportunities for developing career awareness:

- Job Shadowing
- Classroom visits
- Field trips to various business and industry
- Assignments aligned with career exploration and discovery
- Parent/child day

## CAREER EXPLORATION



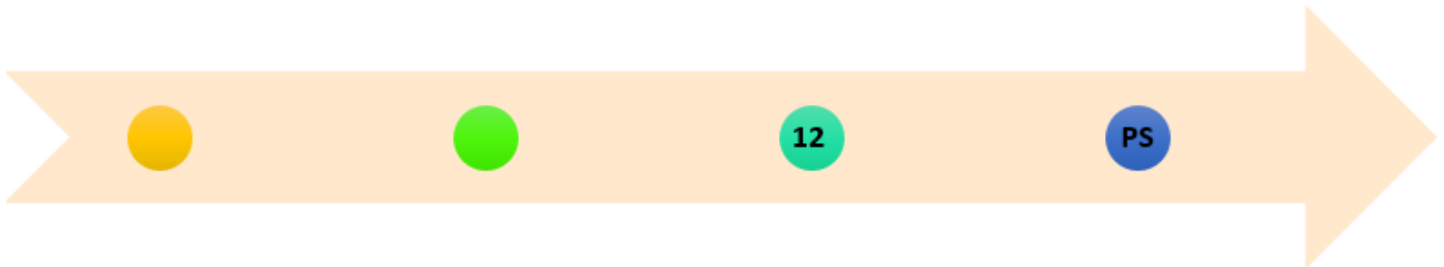
Students will develop an in depth understanding of the working world with an understanding of the importance of career discovery. Course work and project-based learning support discovery of various careers in numerous occupations as well as the needed educational foundation and prerequisites needed to be successful in a specific career pathway.



During career exploration, middle and high school students (8-11) will:

- ✓ Understand how school relates to the world of work.
- ✓ Research and design a career interest.
- ✓ Take an inventory assessment to help align specific educational courses and career goals.
- ✓ Develop an understanding of various occupations within a specific career theme/pathway.
- ✓ Become aware of how specific skills are needed to be successful in the work world.
- ✓ Research, design and develop a plan for post-secondary training and education for a specific career pathway.

## CAREER PREPARATION



Students will develop and possess the needed skills for college and career readiness via classroom academic and work-based skills needed in the world. Students will develop soft skills, relationship building tools, team work development, successful communication and business attributes sought from employers.

During career preparation, high school students (12 to post-secondary) will:

- ✓ Develop needed skill building aptitudes sought from all employers.
- ✓ Know and understand the function and the skills needed to be successful in a specific career.
- ✓ Be able to seek resources to find a specific career/job.
- ✓ Have the core knowledge to be successful in a particular career pathway.
- ✓ Understand and possess the appropriate work attitude, characteristics and professionalism needed for a successful work placement.
- ✓ Develop an understanding of various occupations within a specific career theme/pathway.
- ✓ Become aware of how specific skills are needed to be successful in the work world.
- ✓ Research and design a career interest inventory that will help align their courses and career goals.
- ✓ Develop career and educational goals that align with their selected career pathway.
- ✓ Follow and utilize post-secondary training opportunities and education to design their own career pathway
- ✓ Apply for a specific job or work-based learning experience via employment protocol methods utilizing the following: cover letters, resumes, interviewing skills, application forms, and thank you/follow-up letters.

For more information on CTE Work-based Learning in North Carolina, please visit:

<http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/cte/curriculum/work-based/>

## **AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Agricultural education provides systematic instruction to students in the areas of agriculture, food and natural resources. Through these subjects, agricultural educators teach students a wide variety of skills, including science, math, communications, leadership, management and technology. Agricultural education prepares students for successful careers and a lifetime of informed choices in the global agriculture, food, fiber and natural resources systems.

Through agricultural education, students are provided opportunities for leadership development, personal growth and career success. Agricultural education instruction is delivered through three major components.

- Classroom/Laboratory instruction (contextual learning)
- Supervised Agricultural Experience programs (work-based learning)
- Leadership Development (North Carolina FFA Association and the National FFA Organization)

Students may pursue career pathways in:

- Animal Systems
- Equine Science
- Food Products and Processing Systems
- Natural Resources Systems
- Plant Systems
- Power, Structural, and Technical Systems
- Sustainable Agriculture Production

FFA is a dynamic youth organization that changes lives and prepares members for more than 255 careers in agriculture. FFA develops members' potential and helps them discover their talent through hands-on experiences, giving them the tools to achieve real-world success. Members are future chemists, veterinarians, government officials, entrepreneurs, bankers, international business leaders, teachers and premier professionals in many career fields. FFA is an intracurricular student organization for those interested in agriculture and leadership.

## Agricultural Education Course Descriptions

### Agricultural Mechanics I

**Course Number:** AS31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour General Industry (Agriculture) Certification  
Certified Welders for Welding Code AWS D.1. – 2010  
National Safe Tractor and Machinery Operation Certification

**Description:** This course develops knowledge and technical skills in the broad field of agricultural machinery, equipment, and structures. The primary purpose of this course is to prepare students to handle the day-to-day problems and repair needs they will encounter in their chosen agricultural career. Topics include agricultural mechanics safety, agricultural engineering career opportunities, hand/power tool use and selection, electrical wiring, fencing, paints and preservatives, basic metal working, basic agricultural construction skills related to plumbing, carpentry, basic welding, and leadership development. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

### Agricultural Mechanics II

**Course Number:** AS32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AS31 Agricultural Mechanics I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour General Industry (Agriculture) Certification  
Certified Welders for Welding Code AWS D.1. – 2010  
National Safe Tractor and Machinery Operation Certification

**Description:** In this course, the topics of instruction emphasized are non-metallic agricultural fabrication techniques, metal fabrication technology, safe tool and equipment use, human resource development, hot/cold metal working skills and technology, advanced welding and metal cutting skills, working with plastics, plumbing, concrete and masonry, agricultural power and advanced career exploration/decision making. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Agricultural Mechanics II-Small Engines

**Course Number:** AS33

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AS31 Agricultural Mechanics I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** North Carolina Competency Certification

**Description:** This course is provided for the upper-level agricultural mechanics student who wishes to apply the basic knowledge of small engines acquired through on-line Briggs and Stratton training modules delivered by the agricultural education teacher in a shop setting. The course is intended to provide students with experiential learning opportunities as they perform "hands-on" skills specified in the curriculum under the direct supervision of the agriculture teacher. This "learning to do" philosophy will enable students to understand curriculum content so that they may pass the Briggs and Stratton Competency Exam and receive certification from Briggs and Stratton. English, language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Agriscience Applications

**Course Number:** AU10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Hunter Safety Course  
National Safe Tractor and Machinery Operation Certification  
Certified Welders for Welding Code AWS D.1. – 2010

**Description:** This course focuses on integrating biological/physical sciences with technology as related to the environment, natural resources, food production, science, and agribusiness. Topics of instruction include agricultural awareness and literacy, employability skills and introduction to all aspects of the total agricultural industry. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Animal Science I

**Course Number:** AA21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Beef Quality Assurance  
NC Pork Quality Assurance & Certification  
Youth for Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) Certification

**Description:** This course focuses on the basic scientific principles and processes that are involved in animal physiology, breeding, nutrition, and care in preparation for an animal science career major. Topics include animal diseases, introduction to animal science, animal nutrition, animal science issues, career opportunities, and animal evaluation. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Animal Science II

**Course Number:** AA22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AA21 Animal Science I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Canine Care and Training Program (CCTP)  
NC Beef Quality Assurance  
NC Pork Quality Assurance & Certification  
NCDENR Animal Waste Certification  
Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) Certification

**Description:** This course includes more advanced scientific principles and communication skills and includes animal waste management, animal science economics, decision making, and global concerns in the industry, genetics, and breeding. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced in this class.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Animal Science II – Small Animal

**Course Number:** AA23

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AA21 Animal Science I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course provides instruction on animal science topics related to small animals that are served by a veterinarian. Content related to the breeding, grooming, care and marketing of animals that fit into this category are taught in this course. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced in this class.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drone Technology

**Course Number:** ID11

Please refer to the Trade, Technology, and Engineering Education program area for the full course description.

## Equine Science I

**Course Number:** AA31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course focuses on the basic scientific principles and processes related to equine physiology, breeding, nutrition, and care in preparation for a career in the equine industry. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Equine Science II

**Course Number:** AA32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AA31 Equine Science I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** The course focuses on more advanced applications of feeding, breeding, and management practices involved in the horse industry. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Exploring Agricultural Science

**Course Number:** AU02

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This middle school course introduces students to the industry of agriculture. Topics of instruction include animal science, agricultural science and technology, plant science, agricultural issues, natural resources, food science, stewardship, consumer agriculture, and careers in agricultural science. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced. Courselets include:

- AU022YA Exploring Environmental and Natural Resources
- AU022YB Exploring Animal and Plant Science
- AU022YC Exploring Food and Agricultural Products
- AU022YD Exploring Agricultural Issues
- AU022YE Fundamentals of the Agricultural Science Program
- AU022YF Agriculture and our social and economic well-being

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Exploring Biotechnology in Agriculture

**Course Number:** AU01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This middle school course focuses on the agricultural and medical industry with emphasis on the relationship of science and technology that affects agriculture, medicine, and health care. Topics include career concepts in the agriculture and medical fields. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced. This course contributes to the development of a career development plan. Courselets include:

AU012YA Fundamentals of Biotechnology

AU012YB Introduction to Biotechnology

AU012YC Agricultural and Environmental Biotechnology

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Horticulture I

**Course Number:** AP41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** North Carolina Certified Plant Professional (CPP)  
Certified Young Plant Professional (CYPP)  
NC Private Pesticide Applicator

**Description:** This course provides instruction on the broad field of horticulture with emphasis on the scientific and technical knowledge for a career in horticulture. Topics in this course include plant growth and development, plant nutrition, media selection, basic plant identification, pest management, chemical disposal, customer relations, and career opportunities. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# Horticulture II

**Course Number:** AP42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AP41 (6841) Horticulture I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** North Carolina Certified Plant Professional (CPP)  
Certified Young Plant Professional (CYPP)  
NC Private Pesticide Applicator

**Description:** This course covers instruction that expands scientific knowledge and skills to include more advanced scientific computations and communication skills needed in the horticulture industry. Topics include greenhouse plant production and management, bedding plant production, watering systems, light effects, basic landscape design, installation and maintenance, lawn and turf grass management, and personal development. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Horticulture II- Landscaping

**Course Number:** AP44

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AP41 (6841) Horticulture I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** North Carolina Certified Plant Professional (CPP)  
Certified Young Plant Professional (CYPP)

**Description:** This course provides hands-on instruction and emphasizes safety skills needed by landscape technicians in the field. Students are instructed in interpreting landscape designs, identifying landscape plants, and planting/maintaining trees, shrubs, and turf. Landscape construction is emphasized in the areas of grading and drainage, irrigation, paver installation, and the use/maintenance of landscape equipment. Current topics discussions provide students an understanding of careers and the employability skills needed to enter the landscape industry. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Horticulture II- Turfgrass Management

**Course Number:** AP43

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AP41 (6841) Horticulture I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course provides hands-on instruction and emphasizes eight units of instruction including fundamentals of soils and pests, environmental issues related to turf management, landscape basics, lawn care and turf production, golf course management, sports turf and turf irrigation, turf equipment and maintenance, and human resources and financial management. Safety skills will be emphasized. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Natural Resources I

**Course Number:** AN51

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Hunter Safety Course

**Description:** This course provides an introduction to environmental studies, which includes topics of instruction in renewable and non-renewable natural resources, history of the environment, personal development, water and air quality, waste management, land use regulations, soils, meteorology, fisheries, forestry, and wildlife habitat. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Natural Resources II

**Course Number:** AN52

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** AN51 Environmental & Natural Resources I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Hunter Safety Course

**Description:** This course covers instruction in best management practices in methods of environmental monitoring and conservation, air and water regulations, sampling methodologies, prescribing conservation techniques, and wildlife and forestry management. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Information Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Information Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Sustainable Agriculture Production I

**Course Number:** AU21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course focuses on the increasingly complex world of producing enough food and fiber to meet the growing world demand and at the same time maintain ecological balance and conserve our natural resources. Students will explore implementing environmentally sound practices in agricultural production to satisfy the needs of a growing population for today and tomorrow. A breadth of topics including: crop and animal production, natural resource management, agroforestry, food safety, and the farm to fork continuum will set the educational stage for this course. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Sustainable Agriculture Production II

**Course Number:** AU22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Level Beekeeper

**Description:** This course expands on the complexity of producing enough food and fiber to meet the world demand and at the same time maintain an economical balance and conserve our natural resources. Students will explore the U.S. food system and how agriculture impacts the quality of life at all levels as well as the energy resources necessary to meet these needs. Twenty first century topics such as precision agriculture, biotechnology, bioinformatics, plant and animal breeding, apiculture, aquaponics, hydroponics, vermicomposting and food safety will be explored as to their role in a sustainable society. Students will discuss marketing strategies for agricultural products and develop a business plan for a sustainable grower. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Veterinary Assisting

**Course Number:** AA41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 15

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Animal Science II or Animal Science II - Small Animals (Designed for 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade students with an interest in animal medicine)

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** National FFA Organization (FFA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Elanco Veterinary Medical Applications Certification  
Certified Veterinarian Assistant

**Description:** This course provides instruction for students desiring a career in animal medicine. Topics include proper veterinary practice management and client relations, pharmacy and laboratory procedure, advanced animal care, and surgical/radiological procedures. Applied mathematics, science and writing are integrated throughout the curriculum. Advanced FFA leadership will be infused throughout the curriculum to develop the student's ability to work with the public. All aspects of this course will feature hands-on skill sets designed to enhance experiential learning. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced. Work-based learning strategies appropriate for this course are cooperative education, internship, mentorship, service learning job shadowing and supervised agricultural experience. FFA competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skill through authentic experiences. Students who wish to take the Veterinary Assisting Exam developed by Texas Veterinary Medical Association to be a Certified Veterinary Assistant (CVA) Level 1 should complete an additional 500 hours of supervised agricultural experience (SAE) during their three animal science courses. Two hundred SAE hours focus on the care and management of animals; will be substantiated by records, and conducted under the direct supervision of the agricultural teacher. Hours may be earned any time during the year including summer months. An additional 300 hours of supervised agricultural experience (worked based learning) will be conducted as an internship program in animal medicine under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian or certified veterinary technician who will attest that participating students have mastered a standard set of skills used in animal medicine as identified by the cooperating teacher. Hours may be earned any time during the year including summer months.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

## CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

## CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.

## CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

## **BUSINESS, FINANCE, AND MARKETING EDUCATION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Business, Finance, and Marketing (BFM) provides students with meaningful instruction for and about business. Instruction in Business, Finance and Marketing Education encompasses business skills and techniques, an understanding of basic economics, an understanding of making socioeconomic decisions and producing goods and services to consumption, and business attitudes essential to become a globally engaged and productive citizen. BFM plays a key role in preparing a competent, business-literate, and skilled workforce. The associated curricula have real-life relevance that empowers and helps young adults to compete in a global marketplace while managing their own financial affairs and making intelligent consumer and business-related choices.

Students may pursue career pathways -

- Accounting
- Entrepreneurship
- General Management
- Financial Securities and Investments
- Marketing Management
- Professional Sales and Merchandising
- Project Management
- Sports & Entertainment Marketing
- Travel & Tourism

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) inspires and prepares students to become community-minded business leaders in a global society through relevant career preparation and leadership experiences. FBLA programs focus on leadership development, which includes essential soft skills; academic competitions; educational programs in which members create career portfolios, enhancing their knowledge with world-recognized skills certifications, and have access to select college scholarships. DECA, the Career and Technical Student Organization for marketing students, complements the class and work experiences by allowing students to develop practical presentation, decision making and leadership skills. Work-based learning experiences, including Cooperative Education, are strongly encouraged to add relevancy to classroom instruction.



## Business, Finance, and Marketing Education Course Descriptions

### Accounting I

**Course Number:** BA10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Intuit QuickBooks Certified User

**Description:** This course is designed to help students understand the basic principles of the accounting cycle.

Emphasis is placed on the analysis and recording of business transactions, preparation, and interpretation of financial statements, accounting systems, banking and payroll activities, basic types of business ownership, and an accounting career orientation. Mathematics is reinforced and entrepreneurial experiences are encouraged.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

### Accounting II

**Course Number:** BA20

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BA10 Accounting I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Intuit QuickBooks Certified User

**Description:** This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to develop in-depth knowledge of

accounting procedures and techniques utilized in solving business problems and making financial decisions. Emphasis includes departmental accounting, corporate accounting, cost accounting, and inventory control systems, managerial accounting and budgeting, and further enhancement of accounting skills. Mathematics is reinforced and entrepreneurial experiences are encouraged.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Business Law

**Course Number:** BB30

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to acquaint students with the basic legal principles common to all aspects of business and personal law. Business topics include contract law, business ownership including intellectual property, financial law, and national and international laws. Personal topics include marriage and divorce law, purchasing appropriate insurance, renting and owning real estate, employment law, and consumer protection laws. Social studies and English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Business Management I

**Course Number:** BB40

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BF10 Principles of Business and Finance

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA);  
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to introduce students to core management concepts. The experience includes how managers plan, organize, staff, and direct the business's resources that enhance the effectiveness of the decision-making process. Also the experience includes students working through ethical dilemmas and problem-solving situations with customer service while academic and critical-thinking skills. English language arts is reinforced.

### **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Business Management II

**Course Number:** BB42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BB40 Business Management I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA);  
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Fundamentals Business Concepts (ASK-BF-CERT)

**Description:** This course is designed to enable students to acquire, understand, and appreciate the significance of management to business organizations. Understanding how managers control financial resources, inventory, ensure employee safety, and protect customer data enhances the effectiveness of their decision making. Students will work through ethical dilemmas, practice problem solving, and enhance their teamwork skills. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced .

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Computer Skills and Applications

**Course Number:** BU10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This middle school course is composed of four instructional modules designed to provide hands-on instruction in basic keyboarding skills, computer concepts, software applications, and digital literacy. The software applications include word processing, desktop publishing, presentation software, spreadsheets, and databases. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced. Courselets include:

BU102YA Keyboarding and Basic Word Processing

BU102YB Introduction to Office Productivity

BU102YC Office Productivity Applications

BU102YD Digital Literacy

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Entrepreneurship I

**Course Number:** ME11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA);  
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Venture Entrepreneurial Expedition

**Description:** In this course, students evaluate the concepts of going into business for themselves and working for or operating a small business. Emphasis is on the exploration of feasible ideas of products/services, research procedures, business financing, marketing strategies, and access to resources for starting a small business. Students develop components of a business plan and evaluate startup requirements. English language arts and social studies are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Entrepreneurship II

**Course Number:** ME12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** ME11 Entrepreneurship I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA);  
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Concepts of Entrepreneurship & Management,  
Venture Entrepreneurial Expedition  
Entrepreneurship and Small Business

**Description:** In this course, students develop an understanding of pertinent decisions to be made after obtaining financing to open a small business. Students acquire in-depth understanding of business regulations, risks, management, and marketing. Students develop a small-business management handbook. English language arts and social studies are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Exploring Business, Marketing, and Entrepreneurship

**Course Number:** BU20

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA); Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This middle school course is composed of modules designed to explore the nature of business in an international economy and to study related careers in fields such as entrepreneurship, financial services, information technology, marketing, office systems technology, public relations and promotion, and travel and tourism. Emphasis is on using the computer while studying applications in these careers along with problem solving and thinking skills. This course contributes to the development of a career development plan. English language arts, mathematics, and social studies are reinforced. Courselets include:

BU202YA Exploring Business and Entrepreneurship

BU202YB Exploring Economic Systems

BU202YC Exploring Business Activities

BU202YD Exploring Business Procedures and Leadership

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Fashion Merchandising

**Course Number:** MI21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA); Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to simulate a comprehensive experience of the business of fashion. The experience should bring alive the economics, distribution, promotion, and retail of fashion, and essential strategies of promoting and selling fashion. Upon completion of the course, students should be ready for entry-level fashion retail work or post secondary education. English, mathematics, social studies, and technology are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Hospitality and Tourism

**Course Number:** MH42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** MM51 Marketing or BF10 Principles of Business and Finance or MH31 Sports and Entertainment Marketing I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Guest Service Professionals (CGSP)  
Advanced Customer Service and Sales Certification  
Fundamental Marketing Concepts

**Description:** In this course, students acquire understanding of the economic impact and marketing strategies for hospitality and tourism destinations. Emphasis is on destination complexity, customer relations, economics, legal and ethical responsibilities, safety and security, and tourism promotion. English, language arts, mathematics, social studies and technology are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Marketing

**Course Number:** MM51

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to introduce students to the dynamic processes and activities in marketing. The experience includes students developing an understanding and skills in the areas of distribution, marketing-information management, market planning, pricing, product/service management, promotion, and selling. Also students develop an understanding of marketing functions applications and impact on business operations. English language arts, mathematics, and social studies are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Marketing Applications

**Course Number:** MA52

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** MM51 Marketing or MI21 Fashion Merchandising

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Customer Service and Sales Certification

Advanced Customer Service and Sales Certification

Fundamental Marketing Concepts

**Description:** In this course, students will apply an understanding of marketing functions and impact of the functions on business decisions. Through problem solving and critical thinking, students will apply knowledge and skills in the areas of customer relations, economics, financial analysis, channel management, marketing-information management, marketing planning, products and services management, and selling. Relative opportunities are available for students to use technology to acquire and use marketing information. English, language arts, and social studies are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Multichannel Merchandising

**Course Number:** MI42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** MI21 Fashion Merchandising OR MM51 Marketing

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** DECA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course integrates the application of technical, management, and entrepreneurial skills pertinent for the merchandising industry. The merchandising industry topics of study include operation and management techniques, mathematics, market buying and allocation, entrepreneurship, ethics, forecasting, mobile consumer, and selling. Upon completion of the course, students should be ready for the merchandising industry at the entry level of work or post-secondary education. English, mathematics, social studies, and technology are reinforced. DECA (an association for Marketing Education students) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Principles of Business and Finance

**Course Number:** BF10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA); Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course introduces students to topics related to business, finance, management, and marketing to cover business in the global economy, functions of business organization and management, marketing basics, and significance of business financial and risk management. English language arts, social studies, and mathematics are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	No	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA); Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), SkillsUSA, Future Health Professionals (HOSA), and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course will introduce students to the principles, concepts, and software applications used in the management of projects. Through project-based learning, students will understand how to use the framework of initiating, planning, executing, monitoring and controlling, and closing a project in authentic situations. The core concepts of scope, time, cost, and integration will be examined during this course.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	No	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	



## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** CS11 Project Management I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA); Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), SkillUSA, Future Health Professionals (HOSA), and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based course focuses on the use of information technology to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of project management and integrated enterprise. Students will learn operational strategies for managing advanced technology and innovation as well as how to map the high technology operations environment to business settings. Art, English language arts, and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Sports and Entertainment Marketing I

**Course Number:** MH31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this course, students are introduced to the industry of sports, entertainment, and event marketing. Students acquire transferable knowledge and skills among related industries for planning sports, entertainment, and event marketing. Topics included are branding, licensing, and naming rights, business foundations, concessions and on-site merchandising, economic foundations, human relations, and safety and security. Mathematics and social studies are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Sports and Entertainment Marketing II

**Course Number:** MH32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** MH31 Sports and Entertainment Marketing I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Customer Service and Sales Certification  
Advanced Customer Service and Sales Certification  
Fundamental Marketing Concepts

**Description:** In this course, students acquire an understanding of selling, promotion, and market planning of sports, entertainment, and event marketing. Emphasis is on business management, career development, client relations, contracts, ethics, event management, facilities management, legal issues, and sponsorships. English/language arts, mathematics and Social studies are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

## CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

## CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.

## CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

## **CAREER DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Career Development curriculum provides the foundation to prepare students for careers and education in the 21<sup>st</sup> century; it is designed to introduce students to the opportunity to understand and make connections between their interests, attitudes, values, personality, learning styles, skills, and career choices. Students understand the lifelong, sequential process of determining self and career identity.

Middle school and high school career development curriculum includes competencies in self-assessment, matching interests to career choices, exploring the world of work, career research, education and career awareness, and career exploration; evaluation of career information and creation of a career plan. NC Career Development curriculum is the foundation for NC Career and Technical Education and Pathways.

Student participation in Career and Technical Student Organization, (CTSO) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities additionally provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

Opportunities for leadership development, critical and creative thinking, decision-making, problem-solving, teamwork, technology, and work-based learning are provided. The NC Career Development curriculum is based on the National Career Development Guidelines and National Standards for School Counseling Programs, endorsed by the North Carolina State Board of Education.

## Career Development Education Course Descriptions

### Career Management

**Course Number:** CC45

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Student participation in Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs) competitive events, community service and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Conover Credential Workplace Readiness  
Express Employment Professionals Career Preparedness Certification  
Microburst Learning Employers' Choice Certificate

**Description:** This course prepares students to locate, secure, keep, and change careers. Emphasis is placed on self assessment of characteristics, interests, and values; education and career exploration; evaluation of career information and creation of a career plan. Based on the National Career Development Guidelines, skills learned in this course include, but are not limited to communications, interpersonal skills, problem solving, personal management and teamwork. English language arts is reinforced. Student participation in Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

### Exploring Career Decisions

**Course Number:** CC58

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** None

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** These middle school courselets provide an orientation to the world-of-work. Emphasis is placed on self-awareness, understanding the world-of-work, and the career planning process. Based on the National Career Development Guidelines, skills learned in these courselets include, but are not limited to communications, personal management, and teamwork. English language arts is reinforced. Student participation in Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences. Courselets include:

CC582YA Exploring Personal Characteristics and Careers

CC582YB Exploring Careers and Employment

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## **COMPUTER SCIENCE AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Computer Science and Information Technology (CSIT) is focused on building linkages in information technology occupations for entry level, technical and professional careers related to the design, development, support and management of hardware, software, multimedia and systems integration services. Students will demonstrate knowledge of and proficiency in data representation and abstraction; effectively design, develop, and test algorithms; demonstrate knowledge of digital devices, systems and networks; and demonstrate an understanding of the role computer science plays and its impact in the modern world. The program works in coordination with the Computer Science Division.

Students may pursue career pathways in:

- Cisco Network Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- AP Computer Science Principles
- Network Administration
- Network Security
- Python Programming
- SAS Programming

Students may pursue more than one intracurricular CTSO

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) inspires and prepares students to become community-minded business leaders in a global society through relevant career preparation and leadership experiences. FBLA programs focus on leadership development, which includes essential soft skills; academic competitions; educational programs in which members create career portfolios, enhancing their knowledge with world-recognized skills certifications, and have access to select college scholarships. FBLA programs also place a strong emphasis on community service through support of the March of Dimes to help end premature births. Finally, FBLA members can build a portfolio of accomplishments with a wide range of awards programs with regional, state and national recognition.

SkillsUSA is the premier student leadership organization in the country with over 300,000 members nationwide. SkillsUSA-NC offers many activities to enrich our students, advisors, and professional members throughout the year. The activities include professional and leadership development conferences, competitions that measure both technical and employability skills, and opportunities for scholarships, employment, networking and competitive skills and leadership events are held for regional, state, national, and international levels.

North Carolina Technology Student Association (NC TSA) is an essential element of the state's Technology Education Program. This student organization provides the opportunity for students to engage in activities directly reflecting the curriculum. Along with learning collaboration and leadership skills, students can engage in student-centered, complex tasks that are authentic and developed over an extended period. Beyond the powerful influence of the activities, participation in the NC-TSA helps transform one's program by affording both the teacher and his or her students the opportunity to learn from others by attending regional, state, and national conferences.

## Computer Science and Information Technology Education Course Descriptions

### App Dev with Swift Level 1

**Course Number:** BL53

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** App Development with Swift Level 1

**Description:** This course is designed for students to build a foundation in Swift, UIKit, and networking through hands-on labs and guided projects. This course is also designed for students to be able to build an app of their own design by the end of the course. Students will write software that is incredibly fast and safe by design. Learning Swift is a great introduction to modern programming concepts and best practices. Once mastered, Swift skills can be applied to an even broader range of platforms, from mobile devices to the desktop to the cloud.

#### Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

### [Cisco Network Engineering Technology I](#)

**Course Number:** III1

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course introduces the architecture, structure, functions, components, and models of the internet and other computer networks. The principles and structure of IP addressing and the fundamentals of ethernet concepts, media, and operations are introduced to provide a foundation for the curriculum. By the end of the course, students will be able to build simple LANs, perform basic configurations for routers and switches, and implement IP addressing schemes. This course uses the Cisco Introduction to Networks curriculum and must be conducted using the Cisco Networking Academy connection. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Cisco Network Engineering Technology II

**Course Number:** II12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** II11 Cisco Network Engineering Technology I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Cisco Certified Entry Networking Technician (CCENT)  
Microsoft MTA 98-366 (Networking Fundamentals)

**Description:** This course describes the architecture, components, and operations of routers and switch for basic functionality. By the end of this course, students will be able to configure and troubleshoot routers and switches and resolve common issues with RIPv1, RIPv2, single-area and multi-area OSPF, virtual LANs, and inter-VLAN routing in both IPv4 and IPv6 networks. This course uses the Cisco Routing & Switching Essentials curriculum and must be conducted using the Cisco Networking Academy connection. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# CompTIA IT Fundamentals

**Course Number:** BI12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CompTIA IT Fundamentals (FCO-U61)

**Description:** This course is designed for students to develop knowledge and skills required to identify and explain the basics of computing, IT infrastructure, application and software, software development, database fundamentals, and security. The course is also designed for students to develop the ability to demonstrate knowledge and skills to install software, establish basic network connectivity, identify or prevent basic security risks, explain troubleshooting theory, and provide preventative maintenance for devices.

## **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



## Computer Engineering Technology I

**Course Number:** II21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CompTIA A+ 1001  
CompTIA IT Fundamentals

**Description:** This course is the first in a two course series that introduces the skills required for entry level PC technicians. It includes objectives in the following four domains, a) PC Hardware, b) Networking c) Mobile devices d) Hardware and networking troubleshooting. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Computer Engineering Technology II

**Course Number:** II22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** II21 Computer Engineering Technology I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:**

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); Technology Student Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA;

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CompTIA A+ 1002  
MTA 98-349 Operating System Fundamentals

**Description:** This course is the second in a two course series that introduces the skills required for entry level PC technicians. It includes objectives in the following five domains, a) Windows operating system, b) Other operating systems and technologies c) Security, d) Software troubleshooting, e) Operational procedures. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Computer Science Discoveries

**Course Number:** BU01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Computer Science Discoveries (CS Discoveries) is an introductory computer science course that empowers students to create authentic artifacts and engage with computer science as a medium for creativity, communication, problem solving, and fun. Computer Science Discoveries takes a wide lens on computer science by covering topics such as programming, physical computing, HTML/CSS, and data. The course inspires students as they build their own websites, apps, games, and physical computing devices. Courselets include:

BU012YA Computer Science Discoveries I

BU012YB Computer Science Discoveries II

BU012YC Computer Science Discoveries III

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Computer Science Principles I

**Course Number:** BP41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** MTA 98-381 Introduction to Programming Using Python

**Description:** Computer Science Principles I is an introductory course intended to familiarize students with the general concepts and thinking practices of computing, computer science, and information science. Students will learn computing concepts through authentic visual and interactive projects using visual programming languages. Students will focus on the "big CS ideas" in creative ways that emphasize conceptual knowledge and thinking practices rather than on programming alone. The big ideas in CSP include computing as a creative activity, abstraction, facilitating knowledge creation through computing, algorithms, problem-solving, the Internet, and the global impact of computing. Emphasis is placed on problem-solving, communication, creativity, and exploring the impacts of computing on how we think, communicate, work, and play. Art, English language arts, and mathematical concepts are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Computer Science Principles II

**Course Number:** BP42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BP41 Computer Science Principles I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description** This is a second level introductory course in computer science (based on The Beauty and Joy of Computing) builds on the foundation of Computer Science Principles I. This course offers a more in depth examination of the "big CS ideas" including a broad range of foundational topics such as programming, algorithms, the internet, big data, digital privacy and security, and the societal impacts of computing. Emphasis is placed on problem-solving, communication, creativity, and exploring the impacts of computing on how we think, communicate, work, and play. Students will extend their programming skills to include more complex constructs including objects and data abstraction. As an option, performance tasks may be included to obtain AP credit.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Cybersecurity Essentials

**Course Number:** BC10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Palo Alto Networks Certified Cybersecurity Associate (PCCSA)

**Description:** This course is designed for students who are considering IT as a career with specialization in cybersecurity. This foundational course provides an overview of the fundamentals of networking and general concepts involved in maintaining a secure network computing environment. This course also provides students with and overview of the fundamentals of cybersecurity, the nature and scope of today's cybersecurity challenges, strategies for network defense, as well as detailed information about next-generation cybersecurity solutions. English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Drone Technology

**Course Number:** ID11

Please refer to the Trade, Technology, and Engineering Education program area for the full course description.

## Foundations of Information Technology

**Course Number:** BI10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CompTIA IT Fundamentals

**Description:** This introductory course provides students with the foundation to pursue further study in information technology. Emphasis is on network systems, information support and services, programming and software development, and interactive media. Mathematics is reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Introduction to Computer Science Using MakeCode

**Course Number:** BP01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to introduce students to coding and computer science by way of making and designing using the revolutionary new micro:bit microcontroller board and Microsoft's easy and powerful MakeCode block-based coding environment. This course is project-based with a maker philosophy at its core. The idea is that by making physical objects, students create a context for learning coding and computer science concepts. Mathematics is reinforced.

### **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Minecraft Coding

**Course Number:** BU02

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** The 'Coding with Minecraft' curriculum is based on CSTA standards and covers foundational Computer Science concepts like conditionals, functions and coordinates. This course will help students build computational thinking skills. Courselets include:

BU022YA Minecraft Coding-Introductory

BU022YB Minecraft Coding-Intermediate

BU022YC Minecraft Coding-Advanced

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Microsoft Access

**Course Number:** BM40

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Microsoft Office 2016 Excel Expert 77-730

**Description:** Students in Microsoft Imagine Academies benefit from world-class Microsoft curriculum and cutting-edge software tools to tackle real-world challenges in the classroom environment. In this class, students will learn how to create and work with a database and its objects by using the new and improved features in newest version of Microsoft Access. Students will learn how to create, modify, and locate information as well as how to create programmable elements and share and distribute database information. Mathematics is reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Microsoft Excel

**Course Number:** BM20

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Microsoft Office 2016 Excel Expert 77-726

**Description:** Students in Microsoft Imagine Academies benefit from world-class Microsoft curriculum and cutting-edge software tools to tackle real-world challenges in the classroom environment. This class is designed to help you use the newest version of Microsoft Excel interface, commands, and features to present, analyze, and manipulate various types of data. Students will learn to manage workbooks as well as how to manage, manipulate, and format data. Mathematics is reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Microsoft Word and PowerPoint

**Course Number:** BM10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) in Word and/or PowerPoint

**Description:** Students in the Microsoft Imagine Academy benefit from world-class Microsoft curriculum and software tools to tackle real-world challenges in the classroom environment. In the first part, students will learn to use the current version of Microsoft Word interface, commands, and features to create, enhance, customize, share and create complex documents, and publish them. In the second part, students will learn to use the current version of Microsoft PowerPoint interface, commands, and features to create, enhance, customize, and deliver presentations. Art and English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Network Administration I

**Course Number:** BN20

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:**

Microsoft Windows Operating System Fundamentals Exam 98-349

Microsoft Networking Fundamentals Exam 98-366

Microsoft Security Fundamentals Exam 98-367

**Description:** This course is based on industry-validated skill standards. Topics include operating systems, networking, Windows server administration, and security. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Network Administration II

**Course Number:** BN22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BN20 Network Administration I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:**

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:**

Microsoft MCTS 70-680: Windows 7 Configuration Exam

**Description:** This course is based on industry-validated skill standards. Topics of this course include networking security, administrator responsibilities, and documentation of work-based experiences. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Networking Security I

**Course Number:** BN31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to provide students with a solid foundation in Network Security. The experience includes students focusing on threats, attacks and vulnerabilities, technologies and tools, and architecture and design. English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Networking Security II

**Course Number:** BN32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** BN31 Networking Security I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CompTIA Security+

**Description:** This course is designed to prepare students are prepared with the skills and knowledge to install, configure, and troubleshoot computer networks. The experience includes students focusing on the identifying and accessing management, risk management, and cryptography and PKI. English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# Python Programming I

**Course Number:** BP14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** MTA 98-381 Introduction to Programming Using Python

**Description:** This course is designed to introduce Python as a beginning course (not intended for experienced programmers). The course is designed for students to learn and practice coding in an online environment that requires only a modern web browser and Internet connection. No special software is required to complete this course. The course includes video content, practice labs, and coding projects. Mathematics is reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SAS Programming I

**Course Number:** BP20

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** One course in another computer programming language

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** SAS Base Programming for SAS9

**Description:** This course is the entry point for students to learn SAS programming. Students will learn how to plan and write SAS programs to solve common data analysis problems. Instruction provides practice running and debugging programs. The emphasis is placed on reading input data, creating lists and summary reports, defining new variables, executing code conditionally, reading raw data files and SAS data sets, and writing the results to SAS data sets. Mathematics is reinforced.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SREB AC Informatics Computers, Networks and Databases

**Course Number:** BR11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based-learning course engages students who are curious about informatics. In this course, students will learn how to use a design process to create systems that acquire, store and communicate data for a variety of career fields. Students will work collaboratively in teams to design systems, solve problems, think critically, be creative and communicate with each other and business partners. Students will participate in real-world experiences such as designing an inventory system for a retail store, comparing stores in a company to project future sales, track customer buying habits and more.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Informatics Design for the Digital World

**Course Number:** BR12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Informatics Computers, Networks and Databases

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based-learning course engages students who are interested in applying the design process to create systems such as a cloud-based digital storage system for images. Students will design a system to automatically collect and report data on highway usage. They will apply a geospatial system to map a store and develop a database that studies shopping habits. Through these projects, students will learn about data management and logic-based queries by collecting data, using the Global Positioning System (GPS) and analyzing data utilizing a geographic information system (GIS). They will learn how to automate data collection to make processes more effective and efficient. Students will work collaboratively in teams and demonstrate their knowledge and skills by presenting new and innovative ideas, techniques and solutions to business and industry partners.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Informatics Databases in the Cloud

**Course Number:** BR13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Informatics Design for the Digital World

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based-learning course is for students who successfully completed SREB AC Informatics Design for the Digital World and who want to tackle the more complex challenges that business and industry face. Students at this level will learn about Web technologies, cloud storage, information security, data, animation, introductory computer programming and database applications. Students will take more responsibility for their own learning, problem solving and thinking outside of the box. Real-world challenges will require higher levels of research, building, testing, analyzing and improving systems. Students will develop solutions for real-world problems by designing a database for ticket sales; designing security for a database; creating a game with animation; reporting information based on population data in a community; and designing, building and testing an application for a database.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Informatics Developing a Cloud Presence

**Course Number:** BR14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Informatics Databases in the Cloud

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students in this capstone course will focus on the ethics of privacy, social networking, designing for clients and artificial intelligence through six authentic projects. Students will select a business partner and design, build and test a Web presence for a company that will apply the concepts from the three prior courses. Student teams will work collaboratively with a business partner to develop a proposal for the project with evaluation criteria. Once the business partner accepts the proposal, the student team will implement it by designing, planning, building the system, and testing and revising the system to meet the needs of the business.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# [Entrepreneurship I](#)

**Course Number:** ME11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Entrepreneurship II

**Course Number:** ME12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Principles of Business and Finance

**Course Number:** BF10

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

# CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

# CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.

# CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

## **FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES EDUCATION**

### **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) provides the bridge needed by all students to deal with major societal issues such as work-and-family, health care, child and elder care, family and community violence and crime, global economics and politics, and technology usage. FCS Education is a catalyst to bring these issues into action-oriented, skill-building educational programs. The North Carolina FCS Education program provides a platform for students to transition into adult life by gaining a strong foundation of the knowledge and skills needed for successfully living and working in a diverse, global society.

Students develop personal effectiveness and industry-relevant technical skills as they explore and pursue career pathways aligned to the FCS Body of Knowledge and Family and Consumer Sciences National Standards 3.0.

Students may pursue career pathways.

- Apparel and Textile Production
- Culinary Arts and Hospitality
- Early Childhood Development and Services
- Food and Nutrition
- Food Products and Processing Systems
- Interior Design
- Teaching and Training

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) is an integral component of a quality FCS Education program. FCCLA provides teacher-developed and student-tested project-based learning strategies and materials that shift the responsibility for achieving CTE and FCS program outcomes to students. Through intracurricular chapter programs and projects, students further their understanding of FCS standards.

## Family and Consumer Sciences Education Course Descriptions

### Apparel and Textile Production I

**Course Number:** FA31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this course students are introduced to the apparel and textile industry in the area of design, textiles and apparel engineering. Emphasis is placed on students applying these design and engineering skills to create and produce apparel products. Art, literacy, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*For safety reasons, enrollment is not to exceed 20 in this course.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

### Apparel and Textile Production II

**Course Number:** FA32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FA31 Apparel and Textile Production I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Pre-Professional Assessment and Certification in Fashion, Textiles, and Apparel

**Description:** Students in this course will gain a deeper understanding of design principles, engineering, fabrication and global needs of an ever-changing apparel and textile industry. The course provides a major focus on textile design, textile science, product construction, global manufacturing, and the apparel/textile market while incorporating and scaffolding prerequisite concepts. Emphasis is placed on application of design and engineering skills used to create, produce, and prepare a product for market. Students will also gain the entrepreneurial skills, necessary for successful marketing and distribution of an apparel product. Art, literacy, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced throughout.

\*For safety reasons, enrollment is not to exceed 20 in this course.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Culinary Arts & Hospitality I

**Course Number:** FH10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Food Protection Manager (ANSI-Accredited)

**Description:** This course is designed to introduce students to the hospitality and food service industry by learning about components of professional practice and building basic knowledge and skills in food preparation, garde manger, baking, and food service operations. The introduction includes students learning food safety, breakfast cookery, salads and sandwiches, quick breads and cookies, and dining room service. Art, English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Culinary Arts & Hospitality II Applications

**Course Number:** FH11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FH10 Culinary Arts & Hospitality I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Food Protection Manager (ANSI-Accredited)

**Description:** This course is designed for students to demonstrate their knowledge and skills in basic food preparation, garde manger, baking and food service operations by planning and executing the program's school-based enterprise. The experience includes students preparing and selling breakfast items, salads and sandwiches, and quick breads and cookies while applying safety, sanitation, and guest service skills. Arts, English and language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, and are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	



# Culinary Arts & Hospitality II Internship

**Course Number:** FH12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FH10 Culinary Arts & Hospitality I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Food Protection Manager (ANSI-Accredited)

**Description:** This course is designed for students to demonstrate their knowledge and skills in basic food preparation, garde manger, baking and food service operations through mentored work experiences in the food service industry. The experience includes students preparing and selling breakfast items, salads and sandwiches, and quick breads and cookies while applying safety, sanitation, and guest service skills. Arts, English and language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	No
Business and Industry Field Trip	No	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	No
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Culinary Arts & Hospitality III

**Course Number:** FH13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 18

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FH11 Culinary Arts & Hospitality II Applications OR FH12 Culinary Arts & Hospitality II Internship

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Fundamental Cook

American Culinary Federation Culinary Arts Pre-PAC  
American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences  
ProStart Certificate of Achievement  
National Restaurant Association Education Foundation

**Description:** The course is designed for students to further develop their knowledge and skills through learning about advanced food preparation, garde manger, baking and pastry, and food service operations. The experience includes students learning cooking techniques, food preservation, yeast breads and pastries preparation, human relations management, menu planning, and food service purchasing and receiving. Arts, English and language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Culinary Arts & Hospitality IV Applications

**Course Number:** FH14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FH13 Culinary Arts & Hospitality III

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified Fundamental Cook  
 American Culinary Federation Culinary Arts Pre-PAC  
 American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences  
 ProStart Certificate of Achievement  
 National Restaurant Association Education Foundation

**Description:** This course is designed for students to demonstrate their knowledge and skills in advanced food preparation, garde manger, baking and pastry, and food service operations by planning and executing the program's school-based enterprise. The experience includes students preparing and selling a variety of meat, poultry, and seafood entrées served with accompaniments and sauces and yeast breads, desserts, and pastries, while applying human relations management, menu planning, and food service purchasing and receiving. Arts, English and language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## [Early Childhood Education I](#)

**Course Number:** FE11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 270 (block) 300 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Students must be 16 by October 1. Child Development is a recommended prerequisite for this course.

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CPR, First Aid

**Description:** This two-credit course prepares students to work with children in early education and child care settings. Areas of study include personal and professional preparation, child development from birth to age 12, techniques and procedures for working with young children, and history, trends and opportunities in this field. An internship makes up 50 percent of instructional time. Due to student participation internships at early childhood centers that meet NC Child Care General Statute 110-91 Section 8, students must be 16 years of age prior to October 1 to enroll in this course.

[http://www.ncga.state.nc.us/EnactedLegislation/Statutes/HTML/BySection/Chapter\\_110/GS\\_110-91.html](http://www.ncga.state.nc.us/EnactedLegislation/Statutes/HTML/BySection/Chapter_110/GS_110-91.html)

\*For safety reasons and number of interns placed, enrollment should not exceed 20 in this course.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Early Childhood Education II

**Course Number:** FE12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 270 (block) 300 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FE11 Early Childhood Education I and Students must be 16 by October 1

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CPR, First Aid, NC Early Childhood Credential Equivalency

**Description:** This two-credit course provides advanced experiences in working with children from infancy to age 12 in early education and child care settings. Areas of study include program planning and management, developmentally appropriate practice, procedures and strategies for working with special groups of children, career development and professionalism. An internship makes up 50 percent of instructional time. Due to student participation internships at early childhood centers that meet NC Child Care General Statute 110-91 Section 8, students must be 16 years of age prior to October 1 to enroll in this course. [http://www.ncga.state.nc.us/EnactedLegislation/Statutes/HTML/BySection/Chapter\\_110/GS\\_110-91.html](http://www.ncga.state.nc.us/EnactedLegislation/Statutes/HTML/BySection/Chapter_110/GS_110-91.html)

\*For safety reasons and number of interns placed, enrollment should not exceed 20 in this course.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Exploring Family and Consumer Sciences

**Course Number:** FC01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This middle school course is composed of instructional modules designed to provide instruction on basic Family and Consumer Sciences foundation and skills. The following seven modules are included: interpersonal relationships, personal finance and resource management, nutrition and wellness, food service and hospitality, early care and education, apparel and interior design. Students are eligible to receive EverFi's Vault, NC eFoodhandler and American Red Cross Babysitter certifications. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced. Courselets include:

FC012YA Exploring Interpersonal Relationships

FC012YB Exploring Nutrition and Wellness

FC012YC Exploring Apparel and Interior Design

FC012YD Exploring Personal Finance and Hospitality

FC012YE Exploring Childcare

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Fashion Merchandising

**Course Number:** MI21

Please refer to the Marketing and Entrepreneurship Education program area for the full course description.

## Food and Nutrition I

**Course Number:** FN41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FC11 Principles of Family and Human Services recommended

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** ANSI- Accredited Food Handler Certificate

**Description:** This course examines the nutritional needs of the individual. Emphasis is placed on fundamentals of food production, kitchen and meal management, food groups and their preparation, and time and resource management. English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are reinforced. Work-based learning strategies appropriate for this course include service learning and job shadowing. Apprenticeship and cooperative education are not available for this course. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Food and Nutrition II

**Course Number:** FN42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FN41 Foods and Nutrition I OR FH21 Culinary Arts and Hospitality I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** ANSI Approved Certified Food Protection Manager

Pre-Professional Assessment and Certification in Nutrition, Food, and Wellness

**Description:** In this course, students experience the intersection of nutrition science and food preparation, while building skills for an expanding range of career opportunities. Emphasis is placed on health and social responsibility while improving the way people eat. Students learn how to manage food safety; plan and prepare meals for a variety of consumers and clients; and explore the food system and global cuisines. \*For safety and sanitation reasons, enrollment should not exceed 20 in this course. English/language arts, social studies, mathematics, science, technology, interpersonal relationships are reinforced. Work-based learning strategies appropriate for this course include apprenticeship, cooperative education, entrepreneurship, internship, mentorship, school-based enterprise, service learning and job shadowing. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

\*For safety and sanitation reasons, enrollment should not exceed 20 in this course.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Food Science and Technology

**Course Number:** FN43

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FN41 Food and Nutrition I or FH21 Culinary Arts and Hospitality I AND Environmental Science or Physical Science or Biology or Chemistry

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:**

Food Safety and Science Certification

Pre-Professional Assessment and Certification in Food Science Fundamentals

**Description:** This course explores the food industry from the farm to the table using skills in food science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Government regulations, emerging trends, biotechnology, and technological career opportunities from scientists to technicians will be presented. The student examines production, processing, preparation, preservation, and packaging principles along the farm to table continuum. The student begins to understand how food technology affects the food that he/she eats. English language arts, science, social studies, and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Interior Design I

**Course Number:** FI51

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FC11 Principles of Family and Human Services recommended

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course engages students in exploring various interior design professions, while building the content knowledge and technical skills necessary to provide a foundational knowledge of the design industry. Emphasis is placed on design thinking and utilization of the interior design process; human, environmental and behavioral factors; color theory, elements and principles of design; hand sketching/digital design techniques, space planning, selection of products and materials for residential interiors; client relationship building and design communication techniques. English/language arts, mathematics, science, art, and technology are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Interior Design II

**Course Number:** FI52

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FI51 Interior Design I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course prepares students for entry-level and technical work opportunities in the residential and non-residential interior design fields. Students deepen their understanding of design fundamentals and theory by designing interior plans to meet living space needs of specific individuals or families. Topics include application of design theory to interior plans and production, selection of materials, and examination of business procedures. Art and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Interior Digital Applications

**Course Number:** FI53

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FI51 Interior Design I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified User Revit

**Description:** This course prepares students for entry-level and technical work opportunities in interior design. Students apply design skills through Autodesk Revit software to meet clients' needs using components found in residential and commercial spaces. Art and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Child Development

**Course Number:** FE60

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course introduces students to responsible nurturing and basic applications of child development theory with children from infancy through age six. Areas of study include parenthood decisions, child care issues, prenatal development and care, and development and care of infants, toddlers, and children three through six. Emphasis is on responsibilities of parents, readiness for parenting, and the influence parents have on children while providing care and guidance. Art, English language arts, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Principles of Family and Human Services

**Course Number:** FC11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students learn life literacy skills and individual, family, and community systems in the context of the human services field. Emphasis is placed on human development, professional skills, diversity, analyzing community issues, and life management. Activities engage students in exploring various helping professions, while building essential life skills they can apply in their own lives to achieve optimal wellbeing. English/language arts, social studies, mathematics, science, technology, and interpersonal relationships are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



## Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Information Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Information Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Teaching as a Profession I

**Course Number:** FE21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This college level course is designed to encourage students who possess a high level of academic achievement and those personality traits found in good teachers, to consider teaching as a career. Students are exposed to the many facets of education through class discussion, observation and participation in public school classrooms. Students will examine their aptitudes for teaching, learner needs and development, including students with exceptionalities, and the history, trends, and governance of education. English/language arts, social studies, mathematics, science, technology, and interpersonal relationships are reinforced.

### **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Teaching as a Profession II

**Course Number:** FE22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** FE21 Teaching as a Profession I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This college level course is designed to encourage students who possess a high level of academic achievement and those personality traits found in good teachers, to consider teaching as a career. Students are exposed to the many facets of education through class discussion, observation and participation in public school classrooms. Students will apply concepts through an embedded internship experience with a cooperating teacher as they design, deliver, and reflect on their instruction. Students also investigate certification, employment, ethics, and professionalism in education. English/language arts, social studies, mathematics, science, technology, and interpersonal relationships are reinforced.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

## CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

## CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.

# CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

## HEALTH SCIENCE EDUCATION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Health Science Education provides a comprehensive program to meet present and projected needs for the healthcare industry. Curriculum concepts incorporate technological advances to motivate students and prepare them to pursue a career as a future health professional. Emphasis is placed on the various domains of healthcare and related skills such as: employability skills, prevention (wellness), diagnostics, therapeutics, and rehabilitation. Students are encouraged to pursue work-based learning opportunities that include job shadowing, internships, and apprenticeships to support their areas of interest in healthcare.

Students may pursue career pathways.

- Biomedical Technology
- Healthcare Professional
- PLTW Biotechnology Research and Development

Opportunities for expanded leadership and technical skills are available through membership in the intracurricular student organization HOSA- Future Health Professionals. This organization includes local, regional, state, and national levels and instills pride, commitment, and professionalism in its members in order to empower students to become leaders in the global health community.

### Health Science Education Course Descriptions

## Biomedical Technology I

**Course Number:** HB11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course challenges students to investigate current trends in health care. Topics include ethics, forensic medicine, infectious diseases, organ transplants, cell biology and cancer, and biomedical research. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

#### Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Exploring Healthcare

**Course Number:** HU05

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students will explore key concepts and foundational knowledge for in demand, allied health professions to enhance interest in the Health Science Education pathway. Courselets include

HU052YA Med Terms in Therapeutic Service Careers

HU052YB Exploring Healthcare Therapeutic Services

HU052YC Med Terms in Diagnostic Service Careers

HU052YD Exploring Healthcare Diagnostic Services

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadowing	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	No	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Fundamentals of Gerontology

**Course Number:** HN44

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20\*

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU42 Health Science II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Students who are listed on the North Carolina Nurse Aide Registry and successfully complete Fundamentals of Gerontology will receive an endorsement on the Nurse Aide 1 listing. Students who take Fundamentals of Gerontology and later (within two years) become listed on the NC Nurse Aide 1 Registry as a Nurse Aide 1, may receive the NA1 geriatric endorsement from the North Carolina Division of Health Services Regulation (DHSR).

**Description:** This course is designed to assist future healthcare professionals to understand the unique physical and psychological changes related to aging. Healthcare strategies to meet the needs of the aging population will be addressed. Healthcare agencies may require testing for tuberculosis and/or other diseases and a criminal record check for felonies related to drugs.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	No
Business and Industry Field Trip	No	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Health Science I

**Course Number:** HU40

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:**

Stop the Bleed

**Description:** This course focuses on human anatomy, physiology, human body diseases and disorders, and biomedical therapies. Students will learn about healthcare careers within the context of human body systems. Projects, teamwork, and demonstrations serve as instructional strategies that reinforce the curriculum content. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Health Science II

**Course Number:** HU42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU40 Health Science I OR HP71 PLTW Human Body Systems

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:**

CPR/AED

First Aid

OSHA 10-Hour General Industry (Healthcare) Certification

**Description:** This course is designed to help students expand their understanding of financing and trends of healthcare agencies, fundamentals of wellness, legal and ethical issues, concepts of teamwork, and effective communication. Students will learn health care skills, including current CPR and first aid training for healthcare professionals. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Foundations of Health Science

**Course Number:** HU10

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 30

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed to assist potential health care workers in their role and function as health team members. Topics include medical terminology, the history of health care, healthcare agencies, ethics, legal responsibilities, health careers, holistic health, health care trends, cultural awareness, communication, medical math, leadership, and career decision making. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Nursing Fundamentals and Non-Practicum

**Course Number:** HN42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 10

**Hours of Instruction:** 270 (block) 300 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU42 Health Science II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed for students interested in medical careers where personal care and basic nursing skills are used. This course is an enhanced adaptation of the North Carolina Division of Nursing Service Regulation (DHSR) Nurse Aide I (NA I) Curriculum. English and language arts mathematics, and science are reinforced. This course is for students that do not attend clinical.

<b>Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# Nursing Fundamentals and Practicum

**Course Number:** HN43

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 10

**Hours of Instruction:** 270 (block) 300 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU42 Health Science II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** North Carolina Nurse Aide I

**Description:** This course is designed for students interested in medical careers where personal care and basic nursing skills are used. This course is an enhanced adaptation of the North Carolina Division of Health Service Regulation (DHSR) Nurse Aide I (NAI) curriculum and helps prepare students for the National Nurse Aide Assessment (NNAAP). Students who pass the NNAAP become listed on the NC NAI Registry. English language arts mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Enrollment is limited per North Carolina Board of Nursing (BON) Administrative Rule 21 NCAC 36.0318(i), which requires the ratio of teacher to nurse aide students be 1:10 or less during lab instruction, demonstration, skills practice, and while in the clinical area.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Pharmacy Technician

**Course Number:** HH32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU32 Health Science II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Cpht Certified Pharmacy Technician

**Description:** This course has self-paced, on-line instruction designed to prepare high school seniors for a pharmacy technician career. Topics included in this course are federal law, medication used in major body systems, calculations, and pharmacy operations. Mathematics is reinforced in this course.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# PLTW Biomedical Innovations

**Course Number:** HP73

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HP72 PLTW Medical Interventions

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course allows students to apply their knowledge and skills to answer questions or solve problems related to biomedical sciences. Students design innovative solutions to the health care challenges of the 21st century. Students work on independent projects and may work with a mentor in the healthcare industry. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# PLTW Human Body Systems

**Course Number:** HP71

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HP70 PLTW Principles of Biomedical Sciences

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** CPR/AED  
First Aid

**Description:** In this course students examine the human body systems, design experiments and use data acquisition software to monitor body functions and often play the role of the biomedical professional. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Medical Interventions

**Course Number:** HP72

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HP71 PLTW Human Body Systems

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course allows students to investigate the interventions involved in the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of disease. It is a “How-To” manual for maintaining overall health. English language arts and science are reinforced in this course.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Principles of Biomedical Sciences

**Course Number:** HP70

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Health Professionals (HOSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is designed for students to investigate the human body systems and various health conditions. They determine factors that lead to the death of a fictional person and investigate lifestyle choices.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Technology Education program area for the full course description.

# Public Health Fundamentals

**Course Number:** HN45

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20\*

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** HU42 Health Science II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Students who are listed on the NC Nurse Aide I Registry and successfully complete Public Health Fundamentals will receive a Home Care Aide endorsement on the Nurse Aide I listing. Students, who successfully complete Public Health Fundamentals and later (within two years) become listed on the NC Nurse Aide I Registry as a Nurse Aide I, may receive the NAI Home Care Aide endorsement.

**Description:** Adapted from the NC Division of Health Services Regulation, this course is designed to assist future healthcare professionals understand the unique challenges and strategies involved in the delivery of healthcare outside traditional facilities and without traditional supervision structure and is responsive to overwhelming need for community-based healthcare. HN43 Nursing Fundamentals is recommended as good preparation for this course. However, students may take HN45 Public Health Fundamentals before or after 7243 Nursing Fundamentals.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Health Informatics Data and Use

**Course Number:** HU12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This foundational course focuses on the use of data and databases within the health field. Students explore the following questions using project-based and problembased scenarios. What are data? What are the sources of data in the medical and health informatics fields? How can we use data? How do we make sense of data? How may we apply data to our own lives? Students interact with professionals in the health informatics field through interviews or on-site and/or virtual field trips.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Health Informatics Transforming Data into Information

**Course Number:** HV12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Health Informatics Data and Use

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this course, students study ways to use data to address both patient and industry needs in the health-care field. Students use software such as Microsoft Access, Excel and Balsamiq to collect and analyze data, develop a health-care registry, create a mobile app mockup and develop forms and systems to solve health-care problems. The following questions are addressed through project or problem-based scenarios: How can technology and analysis create better information to inform better decisions? How can we use technology tools to create information from data? How can we use technology to improve public and individual health? How can we use technology to protect patient privacy?

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Health Informatics Transforming Information into Knowledge

**Course Number:** HV13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Health Informatics Transforming Data into Information

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This advanced course allows students to make improvements in the health-care field by designing solutions using the information, knowledge and technology tools available to health informatics professionals. Students are engaged in the following activities: building a system of sharing information among health-care facilities; using social media tools to reduce diseases in foreign countries; exploring voice recognition software; using a motion-based video gaming console for rehabilitation; and exploring clinical decision rules for improving patient care.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Health Informatics Problems and Solutions

**Course Number:** HV14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Health Informatics Transforming Information into Knowledge

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** HOSA or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this advanced course, students study and design solutions to problems facing health-care systems.

Students explore the following questions through project or problem-based scenarios: How can the health-care system work more efficiently and economically? How do we address health-care issues in rural locations? How can various community organizations work together to improve the health of the community? Students interact with professionals in the health informatics field through interviews or on-site and/or virtual field trips.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

## CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

## CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.

## CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

# TRADE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION

## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Trade, Technology, Engineering, and Industrial Education (TTE&I) programs provide students with the skills and conceptual knowledge needed for careers in industry, engineering and design. Students can focus on industry certifications for careers immediately after graduation or develop skills and knowledge needed for higher level professional degrees in engineering and design fields.

Students may pursue career pathways in:

- Carpentry
- Drafting Architectural
- Electrical Trades
- HVAC/R
- Masonry
- Plumbing
- Adobe Academy
- Digital Design and Animation
- Game Art Design
- Emergency Management
- Emergency Medical Technology
- Firefighter Technology
- Law Enforcement and Legal Services
- Public Safety
- Advanced Manufacturing
- Electronics
- Metals Manufacturing
- Welding
- Woodworking
- Drafting Engineering
- Technology Engineering and Design
- PLTW Engineering
- Automotive Services
- Collision Repair

Students may pursue more than one intracurricular CTSO

SkillsUSA is the premier student leadership organization in the country with over 300,000 members nationwide. SkillsUSA-NC offers many activities to enrich our students, advisors, and professional members throughout the year. The activities include professional and leadership development conferences, competitions that measure both technical and employability skills, and opportunities for scholarships, employment, networking and competitive skills and leadership events are held for regional, state, national, and international levels.

North Carolina Technology Student Association (NC TSA) is an essential element of the state's Technology Education Program. This student organization provides the opportunity for students to engage in activities directly reflecting the curriculum. Along with learning collaboration and leadership skills, students can engage in student-centered, complex tasks that are authentic and developed over an extended period. Beyond the powerful influence of the activities, participation in the NC-TSA helps transform one's program by affording both the teacher and his or her students the opportunity to learn from others by attending regional, state, and national conferences.



## Trade, Technology, Engineering, and Industrial Education Course Descriptions

### Adobe Digital Design

**Course Number:** II32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** II31 Adobe Visual Design

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Adobe Dreamweaver

**Description:** This course is a project-based course that develops ICT, career, and communication skills in Web design using Adobe tools. This course is aligned to Adobe Dreamweaver certification. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

### Adobe Video Design

**Course Number:** II33

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** II31 Adobe Visual Design

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Adobe Premiere

**Description:** This course is a project-based video course that develops career and communication skills in video production using Adobe tools. This course is aligned to Adobe Premiere certification. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Adobe Visual Design

**Course Number:** II31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator

**Description:** This course is a project-based course that develops ICT, career, and communication skills in print and graphic design using Adobe tools. This course is aligned to Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, and Illustrator certification. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Advanced Game Art and Design

**Course Number:** TS32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** TS31 Game Art and Design

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is a continuation in the study of game design and interactivity. Emphasis is placed on visual design, evaluating, scripting and network protocols, and legal issues as well as 3D visual theory. Students compile a game portfolio. Advanced topics include the use of audio and visual effects, rendering, modeling, and animation techniques. Students work in collaborative teams to develop a final 3 D game project. Art, English language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Advanced Manufacturing I

**Course Number:** IM11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** MSSC: Certified Production Technician- Safety  
MSSC: Certified Production Technician- Quality  
OSHA 10-Hour General Industry (Agriculture) Certification

**Description:** This course is the first part of a two part sequence on the basic functional knowledge and skills needed in the advance manufacturing environment. This course covers introduction to manufacturing , safety, and quality and is based upon the Manufacturing Skills Standards Council's (MSSC) Certified Production Technicians certification (CPT). CPT is recognized by manufacturers in NC and the USA as a fundamental certification needed by advanced manufacturing production workers. Topics included in this course include 21st century skills, working in manufacturing, understanding customers' needs, communication strategies , how to develop and deliver training, manufacturing safety, personal protective equipment, fire and electrical safety, blueprint reading, basic measurement, precision tools, quality systems, corrective action process, and verification processes. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Advanced Manufacturing II

**Course Number:** IM12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IM11 Advanced Manufacturing I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** MSSC: Certified Production Technician- Process  
MSSC: Certified Production Technician- Maintenance

**Description:** This course is the second part of a two part sequence on the basic functional knowledge and skills needed in the advance manufacturing environment. This course covers manufacturing processes, production and maintenance and is based upon the Manufacturing Skills Standards Council's (MSSC) Certified Production Technicians certification (CPT). CPT is recognized by manufacturers all over NC and the USA as a fundamental certification needed by advanced manufacturing production workers. Topics included in this course are identifying customer needs, determining resources available for production process, equipment setup, setting team, production goals, perform and monitor the process to make a product, document the process and determine product shipping or distribution , and performing routine maintenance of electrical, pneumatic, hydraulic, and machine automation. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Automotive Service I

**Course Number:** IT16

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IT11 Automotive Service Fundamentals

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course develops automotive knowledge and skills in performing scheduled automotive maintenance, servicing, and basic testing of brakes, electrical systems, drivetrain, engine, HVAC and steering & suspension systems, emphasizing hands-on experience. As part of the NATEF accreditation, topics are aligned to the Maintenance and Light Repair(MLR) requirements. English language arts are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Automotive Service II

**Course Number:** IT17

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IT16 Automotive Service I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** ASE Entry-Level Certification Maintenance and Light Repair  
ASE Entry-Level Certification-brakes

**Description:** This course builds on the knowledge and skills introduced in Automotive Servicing I and develops advanced knowledge and skills in vehicle system repair and/or replacement of components in the brakes, electrical systems, drivetrain, engine, HVAC and steering & suspension systems, emphasizing hands-on experience. As part of the NATEF accreditation, topics are aligned to the Maintenance and Light Repair (MLR) requirements. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Automotive Service III

**Course Number:** IT18

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Automotive Service II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** ASE Auto Maintenance and Light Repair Certification (G1)  
ASE Entry-Level Certification- Electrical/Electronic Systems

**Description:** This course builds on the skills and knowledge introduced in Automotive Service I & II. Building advanced automotive skills and knowledge in vehicle servicing, testing, repair, and diagnosis of brakes, electrical systems, drivetrain, engine, HVAC and steering & suspension systems, while emphasizing hands-on experience. As part of the NATEF accreditation, topics are aligned to the Maintenance and Light Repair (MLR) requirements. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Automotive Services Fundamentals

**Course Number:** IT11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** S/P2- Mechanical Safety  
S/P2- Mechanical Pollution Prevention

**Description:** This course introduces automotive safety, basic automotive terminology, system & component identification, knowledge and introductory skills in hand tools, shop equipment, basic servicing, and use of service information. Also careers and various job opportunities in the automotive repair industry will be discussed. As part of the NATEF accreditation, topics are aligned to the Maintenance and Light Repair (MLR) requirements. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Carpentry I

**Course Number:** IC21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC00 Construction Core

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Carpentry I

**Description:** This course covers basic carpentry terminology and develops technical aspects of carpentry with emphasis on the development of introductory skills to include orientation to the trade, building materials, fasteners, and adhesives, hand and power Tools, reading plans and elevations, introduction to concrete, reinforcing materials, and forms, floor system construction procedures, wall and ceiling framing procedures, and basic stair layout. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	No
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Carpentry II

**Course Number:** IC22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC21 Carpentry I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Carpentry II

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Carpentry I and provides an emphasis on roof framing procedures, roofing applications, thermal and moisture protection, windows and exterior doors installation, exterior finishing, and the introduction to weatherization module. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	No
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Carpentry III

**Course Number:** IC23

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC22 Carpentry II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Carpentry III

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Carpentry II and develops advanced technical aspects of carpentry with the emphasis on commercial drawing, cold-formed steel framing construction methods, drywall installations, drywall finishing procedures, doors and door hardware installation, and windows, door, floor and ceiling trim procedures. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Collision Repair I

**Course Number:** IT31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IT30 Collision Repair Fundamentals

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course focuses on non-structural repairs to automobiles. Using curriculum materials from the industry recognized I-CAR organization, students will learn about trim and hardware, material identification, steel cosmetic, straightening and plastic repair, moveable glass replacement, and bolted-on parts replacement.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Collision Repair II- Non-Structural

**Course Number:** IT32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IT31 Collision Repair I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** I-CAR Platinum- Non Structural Technician

**Description:** This course continues the focus on non-structural repairs to automobiles. Using curriculum materials from the industry recognized I-CAR organization, students will learn additional information about trim and hardware, material identification, steel cosmetic straightening and plastic repair, moveable glass replacement, and bolted-on parts replacement

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Collision Repair II- Refinishing

**Course Number:** IT33

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IT31 Collision Repair I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** I-CAR Platinum- Non Structural Technician

**Description:** This course focuses on refinishing automobiles. Using curriculum from the industry recognized I-CAR organization, students will learn about repairing and priming vehicles and vehicle parts; use and maintain a spray gun; mix, store, and dispose of hazardous materials; understand the corrosion protection process; sand, buff, and detail a refinished vehicle.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# Collision Repair Fundamentals

**Course Number:** IT30

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course introduces safety, basic collision repair terminology, system and component identification, knowledge and introductory skills in hand tools, shop equipment, basic servicing, and use of service information. Also career and various job opportunities in the collision repair industry will be discussed. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Construction Core

**Course Number:** IC00

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NCCER

OSHA 10-Hour Construction Industry Certifications

**Description:** This course covers the National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER) Core certification modules required for all of the NCCER curriculum-area programs, and an additional Green module. The course content includes: basic safety, introduction to construction math, introduction to hand tools, introduction to power tools, introduction to construction drawing blueprints, material handling, basic communication skills, basic employability skills, and “Your Role in the Green Environment”. The additional Green module has been added to provide students with instruction in the green environment, green construction practices, and green building rating systems. Also it will help students better understand their personal impacts on the environment and make them more aware of how to reduce their carbon footprint. English Language Arts and Mathematics are reinforced.

\* Due to potentially hazardous equipment, a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Digital Design and Animation I

**Course Number:** TS24

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Digital Design and Animation I is an introductory level course focusing on the concepts and tools used by digital artists in a wide variety of creative careers including graphic design, film, and game design. Students work with professional-grade creative software packages to develop 2D and 3D digital graphics and audio/video media. Students use Adobe CC Suite, and digital 3D modeling with 3DS Max to build needed skills for subsequent courses.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<u>Apprenticeship</u>	No	<u>Job Shadow</u>	Yes
<u>Business and Industry Field Trip</u>	Yes	<u>Mentorship</u>	Yes
<u>Cooperative Education</u>	No	<u>School Based Enterprise</u>	Yes
<u>Entrepreneurial Experiences</u>	No	<u>Service Learning</u>	Yes
<u>Internship</u>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Digital Design and Animation II

**Course Number:** TS25

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** TS24 Digital Design and Animation I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** 3ds Max Certified Associate

**Description:** Digital Design and Animation II emphasizes the use of industry-standard digital technology and media to help students develop the artistic and technical skills necessary to plan, analyze, and create visual solutions to 21st Century communications problems. Students engage in digital art activities using professional-grade creative software packages to develop complex 2D and 3D digital graphics and audio/video media. Students apply Adobe CC Suite and 3DS Max skills to industry-related activities and projects, mirroring workplace scenarios.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<u>Apprenticeship</u>	No	<u>Job Shadow</u>	Yes
<u>Business and Industry Field Trip</u>	Yes	<u>Mentorship</u>	Yes
<u>Cooperative Education</u>	No	<u>School Based Enterprise</u>	Yes
<u>Entrepreneurial Experiences</u>	No	<u>Service Learning</u>	Yes
<u>Internship</u>	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Drafting I

**Course Number:** IC61

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified User AutoCAD

**Description:** This course introduces students to the use of simple and complex graphic tools used to communicate and understand ideas, concepts and trends found in the areas of architecture, manufacturing, engineering, science, and mathematics, sketching and computer assisted design (CAD) skills and techniques. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drafting II- Architectural

**Course Number:** IC62

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC61 Drafting I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified User Revit

**Description:** This course focuses on the principles, concepts of architectural design , and use of Building Information Modeling (BIM), used in the field of architecture. An emphasis is placed on the use of 3D CAD tools in the design and execution of floor plans , foundation plans, wall sections, and elevation drawings. An understanding of 3D CAD concepts and terms , and the use of 3D CAD software such as REVIT , are essential to this course, and the required method of producing finished drawings. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drafting II- Engineering

**Course Number:** IV22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC61 Drafting I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified User Inventor  
Certified SolidWorks Associate- Academic (CSWA-A)

**Description:** This course teaches the development of knowledge and advanced skills in Engineering Drafting and Design. An understanding of 3D CAD concepts and terms, and the use of 3D CAD software such as INVENTOR or SolidWorks, are essential to this course, and the required method of producing finished drawings. Topics include cover advanced levels of Engineering Drafting and Design, Career Opportunities, Problem Solving, Manufacturing Processes, Parametric- Solid Modeling, Dimensioning and Tolerancing, Working Drawings, and 3D modeling. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drafting III- Architectural

**Course Number:** IC63

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC62 Drafting II- Architectural

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified Professional Revit

**Description:** This course introduces students to advanced architectural design concepts, and Building Information Modeling (BIM). Emphasis is placed on the continued use of 3D CAD tools and software such as REVIT, in the design and execution of site and foundation plans, electrical/lighting plans, stair/railing design, bath and kitchen details, multi-level floor systems, site development, renderings and walkthroughs, as well as small commercial building and design. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drafting III- Engineering

**Course Number:** IV23

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IV22 Drafting II- Engineering

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Autodesk Certified Professional Inventor, or  
Certified SolidWorks Professional- Academic (CSWP-A)

**Description:** This course teaches the development of knowledge and advanced skills in Engineering Drafting and Design. An understanding of 3D CAD concepts and terms, and the use of 3D CAD software such as INVENTOR or SolidWorks, are essential to this course, and the required method of producing finished drawings. Topics include cover advanced levels of Engineering Drafting and Design, Employment Requirements, Engineering Design Concepts and Principles, Advanced Manufacturing Processes, Advanced Parametric-Solid Modeling, Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing, Work Drawings and Assemblies, 3D Modeling, Sheet Metal Parts, and Professional Portfolio. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Drone Technology

**Course Number:** ID11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 15

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); SkillsUSA, or Technology Student Association

**Aligned Industry Credential:** FAA 14 CFR Part 107

**Description:** This course is designed to provide students basic information about the drone industry to gain an understanding of careers and skills in this field. FAA 14 CFR part 107 (The Small UAS Rule), officially known as "Part 107 Remote Pilot Certificate" is covered. The Small UAS rule adds a new part 107 to Title 14 Code of Federal Regulations (14 CFR) to allow for routine civil operation of small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) in the National Airspace System (NAS) and provide safety rules for those operations. This course is also designed for an introduction to basic flight of drones to include manual flight and flight and mapping software. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadowing</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Electrical Trades I

**Course Number:** IC41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC00 Construction Core

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Electrical Trades I

**Description:** This course covers basic electrical trades' terminology and develops technical aspects of electrical trades with emphasis on the development of introductory skills, such as residential wiring, electrical installation, and service. Topics include orientation to the electrical trade, electrical safety, introduction to electrical circuits, electrical theory, introduction to the National Electric Code, device boxes, hand bending techniques, raceways and fittings, and introduction to weatherization. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Electrical Trades II

**Course Number:** IC42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC41 Electrical Trades I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Electrical Trades II

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Electrical Trades I and provides an emphasis on conductors and cables, construction drawings, residential electric services, electrical test equipment usage, alternating current (A/C) theory, grounding and bonding techniques, motors: theory and application, and electric lighting to structures. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Electrical Trades III

**Course Number:** IC43

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC42 Electrical Trades II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Electrical Trades III

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Electrical Trades II and provides an emphasis on conduit bending techniques, pull and junction boxes, conductor installations, cable tray, conductor terminations and splices, circuit breakers and fuses, and control systems and fundamental concepts. Upon successful completion of the this course, students should be prepared to enter the workforce as an electrical helper and/or continuing education towards degrees in Construction Management or Electrical Engineering. English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Emergency Management I

**Course Number:** IP51

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP11 Public Safety I, IP22 Emergency Medical Technology II, IP32 Firefighter Technology II, OR IP42 Law & Justice II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Emergency Management I Certification

**Description:** This course is the first in a series of courses aligned to the Emergency Management certifications from FEMA and are recommended by the North Carolina Emergency Management Office at the NC Department of Public Safety as appropriate for high school students. These certifications are those required by professional in this field. The course includes skills in each area, using resources from the community to help deliver instruction to the students. English, language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	No
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Emergency Management II

**Course Number:** IP52

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP51 Emergency Management I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC Emergency Management Certification Management

**Description:** This course is the second in a series of courses aligned to the Emergency Management certifications from FEMA are recommended by the North Carolina Emergency Management Office at the NC Department of Public Safety as appropriate for high school students. These certifications are those required by professional in this field. The course includes skills in each area, using resources from the community to help deliver instruction to the students. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Emergency Medical Technology I

**Course Number:** IP21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 15

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** English II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course is aligned to the EMT Basic certification available from the North Carolina Office of Emergency Medical Services and is part I of a two course sequence require to meet the mandatory hours of training. The course includes skills in each area, using resources from the community to help deliver instruction to the students. English language arts are reinforced. Students must be 17 years of age prior to enrollment per NCOEMS requirements.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# Emergency Medical Technology II

**Course Number:** IP22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 15

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP21 Emergency Medical Technology I and English III

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Emergency Medical Technician Basic

**Description:** This course is aligned to the EMT Basic certification available from the North Carolina Office of Emergency Medical Services and is part II of a two course sequence require to meet the mandatory hours of training. The course includes skills in each area, using resources from the community to help deliver instruction to the students. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Engineering Design

**Course Number:** TE13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20\*

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** TE11 Technology Engineering and Design

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course continues to apply the skills, concepts, and principles of engineering. Students explore various technological systems and engineering processes in related career fields. Topics include investigating technological system, design optimization, and problem solving. Students utilize CAD and physical and virtual modeling concepts to construct, test, collect, and report data. Art, English language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

# Firefighter Technology I

**Course Number:** IP31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NCOSFM Credential - Firefighter Technology I

**Description:** This course covers part of the NC Firefighter certification modules required for all Firefighters in North Carolina. The modules include: Orientation and Safety Health and Wellness; Fire Behavior; Personal Protective Equipment; Fire Hose, Streams, and Appliances, Portable Extinguishers; Foam Fire Streams; and Emergency Medical CARC. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Firefighter Technology II

**Course Number:** IP32

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP31 Firefighter Technology I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NCOSFM Credential - Firefighter Technology II

**Description:** This course covers additional NC Firefighter certification modules required for all Firefighters in North Carolina. The modules include: Building Construction; Ropes; Alarms and Communications; Forcible Entry; Ladders; Ventilation; Loss Control. English language arts are reinforced.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Firefighter Technology III

**Course Number:** IP33

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP32 Firefighter Technology II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NCOSFM Credential - Firefighter Technology III

**Description:** This course covers part of the NC Firefighter certification modules required for all Firefighters in North Carolina. The modules include: Water Supplies, Sprinkles, Fire & Life Preparedness, Rescue, Mayday, and Safety & Survival. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Foundations of Information Technology

**Course Number:** BI10

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Information Technology Education program area for the full course description.

## Game Art and Design

**Course Number:** TS31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** TS24 Digital Design and Animation I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course introduces students to techniques used in the electronic game industry. Students will focus on the principles used in game design including mathematical and virtual modeling. Emphasis is placed on areas related to art, history, ethics, plot development, storyboarding, programming, 2D Visual theory, and interactive play technologies. Students develop physical and virtual games using hands-on experience and a variety of software. Art, English language, arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Law and Justice I

**Course Number:** IP41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students desiring to pursue a career in Law and Justice will examine the basic concepts of law related to citizens' right and officers responsibilities to maintain a safe society. This course begins with a study of various careers in public safety. The course will explore the history and development of law enforcement in the United States. Students will then examine the components of the criminal justice system, including the roles and responsibilities of the police, courts, and corrections. Additionally, students will learn the classification and elements of crimes. Students will receive instruction in critical skill areas including communicating with diverse groups, conflict resolution, the use of force continuum, report writing, operation of police and emergency equipment, and courtroom testimony. Career planning and employability skills will be emphasized. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Law and Justice II

**Course Number:** IP42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP41 Law and Justice I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** International Federation of Protection Officers: Certified Protection Officer

**Description:** This course emphasizes "need-to-know" information for protection officers throughout the security industry and is aligned to the International Federation of Protection Officers (IFPO) certification as a Certified Protection Officer (CPO). Course content includes: Foundations in Law Enforcement and Protective Services. Communications in Law Enforcement and Protective Services, Protection Officers Functions, Crime Prevention and Physical Security, Safety and Fire Protection, Information Protection, Deviance Crime and Violence, Risk and Threat Management, Procedures in Investigations, Legal Aspects of Security, Procedures for Officer Safety and Used of Force, Procedures for Relations with Others, and AHA First Aid Certification. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Masonry I

**Course Number:** IC11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC00 Construction Core

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Masonry I

**Description:** This course covers basic masonry terminology and develops technical aspects of the masonry industry with emphasis on the development of introductory skills to include the introduction to masonry, masonry tools and equipment, measurement, drawings and specifications, mortar procedures, and masonry units and installation techniques. Mathematics and English language arts are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Masonry II

**Course Number:** IC12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC11 Masonry I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Masonry II

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Masonry I and provides an emphasis on residential plans and drawing interpretation, residential masonry, grout and other reinforcement processes, metalwork in masonry, and the introduction to weatherization. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Masonry III

**Course Number:** IC13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IC12 Masonry II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NC NCCER Credential - Masonry III

**Description:** This course builds on skills mastered in Masonry II and provides an emphasis on advanced laying techniques, construction techniques and moisture control procedures, and construction, inspection and quality control processes. Introductory skills for the Crew Leader are also introduced in this course.

\* Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment, a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Metals Manufacturing Technology I

**Course Number:** IM41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NIMS Job Planning, Benchmark, and Layout  
NIMS Measurement, Materials, and Safety

**Description:** This course introduces various processes and job opportunities in manufacturing with emphasis on machining metal parts. Topics include safety, math, measurement, blueprint reading, layout, bench work, sawing, drilling, turning, and milling. Mathematics and English language arts are reinforced.

\* Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment, a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

## Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Metals Manufacturing Technology II

**Course Number:** IM42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 270 (block) 300 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IM41 Metals Manufacturing Technology I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NIMS Manual Milling Skills  
NIMS Job Planning, Benchmark, and Layout  
NIMS Measurement, Materials, and Safety

**Description:** This course provides advanced instruction in manufacturing and introduces computer-assisted drafting/manufacturing and numerical control processes. Topics include safety, environmental protection, quality control, metallurgy, materials, layout, assembly, sawing, turning, milling, grinding, computer numerical control, computer-aided manufacturing, welding, and maintenance. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\* Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment, a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

### **Work-Based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-Based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Aerospace Engineering

**Course Number:** TP25

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Pathway to Engineering (PTE) Foundation

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this specialization Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students design problems related to aerospace information systems, astronautics, rocketry, propulsion, the physics of space science, space life sciences, the biology of space science, principles of aeronautics, structures and materials, and systems engineering. Using 3-D design software, students work in teams utilizing hands-on activities, projects, and problems and are exposed to various situations encountered by aerospace engineers. Art, English, language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Civil Engineering and Architecture

**Course Number:** TP23

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Pathway to Engineering (PTE) Foundation

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this specialization Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students learn important aspects of building and site design and development. They apply math, science, and standard engineering practices to design both residential and commercial projects and document their work using 3-D architectural design software. Art and English language arts are also reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Computer Integrated Manufacturing

**Course Number:** TP22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Pathway to Engineering (PTE) Foundation

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this specialization Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students discover and explore manufacturing processes, product design, robotics, and automation, and then they apply what they have learned to design solutions for real-world manufacturing problems. Art, English language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



## PLTW Digital Electronics

**Course Number:** TP21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this foundation Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students explore the foundations of computing by engaging in circuit design processes to create combinational logic and sequential logic (memory) as electrical engineers do in industry. Art, English language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Engineering Design and Development

**Course Number:** TP31

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Pathway to Engineering (PTE) Foundation

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this capstone Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students identify a real-world challenge and then research, design, and test a solution, ultimately presenting their unique solutions to a panel of engineers.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Environmental Sustainability

**Course Number:** TP27

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** Pathway to Engineering (PTE) Foundation

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this specialization Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students investigate and design solutions in response to real-world challenges related to clean and abundant drinking water, food supply, and renewable energy. Art, English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Gateway to Technology

**Course Number:** TP01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Gateway to Technology (GTT) engages students in activities that not only build knowledge and skills in areas including computer science, engineering, and biomedical science, but also empower students to develop essential skills such as problem solving, critical and creative thinking, communication, collaboration, and perseverance. Course code TP01 is used for all Project lead the Way middle school units. PLTW Gateway's 10 units empower students to lead their own discovery. The hands-on program boosts classroom engagement and excitement, drives collaboration, and inspires "aha! moments" and deep comprehension. And as students engage in PLTW's activities in computer science, engineering, and biomedical science, they see range of paths and possibilities they can look forward to in high school and beyond.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Introduction to Engineering Design

**Course Number:** TP11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this foundation Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students are exposed to the design process, research and analysis, teamwork, communication methods, global and human impacts, engineering standards, and technical documentation. Students use 3D solid modeling design software to help them design solutions to solve proposed problems and learn how to document their work and communicate solutions to peer and members of the professional community. Art, English, language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## PLTW Principles of Engineering

**Course Number:** TP12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** OSHA 10-Hour Industry Certification

**Description:** In this foundation Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Pathway to Engineering (PTE) course, students survey engineering and are exposed to major concepts they will encounter in a postsecondary engineering course of study. Students employ engineering and scientific concepts in the solution of engineering design problems. They develop problem-solving skills and apply their knowledge of research and design to create solutions to various challenges, documenting their work and communicating solutions to peers and members of the professional community. Art, English language arts, mathematics and science are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous process and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Project Management I

**Course Number:** CS11

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Project Management II

**Course Number:** CS12

Please refer to the Business, Finance, and Marketing Education program area for the full course description.

## Public Safety I

**Course Number:** IP11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** National Incident Management System

**Description:** This course provides basic career information in public safety including corrections, emergency and fire management, security and protection, law enforcement, and legal services. FEMA certifications NIMS 100,200, 700, 800 are also a part of this course. Additionally students will develop a personal plan for a career in public safety. The course includes skills in each area, using resources from the community to help deliver instruction to the students. English language arts are reinforced.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Public Safety II

**Course Number:** IP12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IP11 Public Safety I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

**Description:** This course provides a deeper level of understanding of career information in public safety by focusing on the Community Emergency Response Team (C.E.R.T.) Certification. CERT is a Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) developed certification that incorporates all areas of public safety. Additionally, FEMA ICS300 Intermediate Incident Command System is covered in this course.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Advanced Aerospace Technology

**Course Number:** TV17

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Fundamentals of Aerospace Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course builds on the foundation of SREB AC Fundamentals of Aerospace Technology and engages students in applying the design process, using tools to collect and analyze data, exploring a deeper level of the science of aviation and discovering how quality control systems work in the aviation field. Students will work collaboratively in teams to design, build and test a wing; plot a course for a plane to take off and land; design, build and test a wing attachment system; test materials under stress; and design, build and test an electric-powered plane. Students will demonstrate their newly acquired knowledge and skills by presenting their innovative ideas, techniques and solutions to business and industry partners. Students will work collaboratively, manage projects, be creative and innovative, think critically, and solve problems as well as propose solutions to design problems. Further, they will learn to apply literacy, mathematics and science concepts and use technology to effectively solve real-world, challenging problems with business and industry partners. Through project-based learning, students will explore the future of the aerospace industry and learn to apply those habits of behavior and mind unique to the field.  
\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Advanced Technology for Design and Production

**Course Number:** TR11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course will engage students in the use of modern technologies in the design and improvement of products. Students will use three-dimensional CAD software in the creation and analysis process. Students will document designs using standards set by industry for design documentation. Students will implement methods of green production and just-in-time component supply which allow for the lowest cost and highest quality products. Students will design and troubleshoot data acquisition, programmable logic control, process monitoring, automation and robotic systems. Students will incorporate sensing and vision systems, utilizing cameras and sensors to control automated systems.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Aeronautics Engineering Applications

**Course Number:** TV18

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Advanced Aerospace Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based learning course is for students who have successfully completed SREB AC Fundamentals of Aerospace Technology and SREB AC Advanced Aerospace Technology. Students will learn about systems such as flight control, remote-control vehicles and the virtual world. Students will learn to fly using flight simulators. They will work collaboratively to propose a shift from a VOR navigation system to a GPS system and determine the cost savings. In addition, students will develop rotor blades for helicopters and design and program an unmanned flying vehicle. Students will work collaboratively, manage projects, be creative and innovative, think critically, and solve problems as well as propose solutions to design problems. Further, they will learn to apply literacy, mathematics and science concepts and use technology to effectively solve real-world, challenging problems with business and industry partners. Through project-based learning, students will explore the future of the aerospace industry and learn to apply those habits of behavior and mind unique to the field.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SREB AC Astronautics Engineering Applications

**Course Number:** TV19

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Aeronautics Engineering Applications

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer

**Description:** Students in this capstone course will focus on outer space and underwater applications. During the six projects, they will work collaboratively to design, build and test a laser communication system; develop a plan for space survivability in hostile environments; and utilize software to create a three-dimensional model of a satellite orbit and a team remote vehicle for underwater exploration. Students will work collaboratively, manage projects, be creative and innovative, think critically, and solve problems as well as propose solutions to design problems. Further, they will learn to apply literacy, mathematics and science concepts and use technology to effectively solve real-world, challenging problems with business and industry partners. Through project-based learning, students will explore the future of the aerospace industry and learn to apply those habits of behavior and mind unique to the field.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SREB AC IST: The Nature of Science and Technology

**Course Number:** TR15

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This is a contextual-based course that introduces students to the core fundamental concepts of science and technology through authentic projects. Through these projects, students will develop an understanding of the relationship between the physical, biological and social world. Students will gain an understanding of the differences between science and technology, and learn that technology is a process for applying science. Students will develop a deeper understanding of scientific inquiry and the engineering design process when solving real-world problems. Students will experience the interaction of science, technology, engineering, math and literacy through a problem-based learning environment. Finally, the process will require students to use mathematics to analyze costs, develop budgets and make precise measurements to successfully implement project goals.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC IST: Core Applications of Science and Technology

**Course Number:** TR16

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC IST: The Nature of Science and Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course uses the concepts learned from SREB AC IST: The Nature of Science and Technology to further develop students' problem-solving strategies and skills needed by the 21st-century workforce. Students will continue to explore emerging technologies and techniques in the context of addressing authentic projects. Key concepts introduced in this course include sustainability and environmental trends, systems thinking, and trend analysis and prediction. Through engagement, students will experience the necessary connection between literacy, mathematics and science in a variety of hands-on, real-world projects requiring them to apply academic and technical concepts and skills and technology to complete.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC IST: Impacts of Science and Technology

**Course Number:** TR17

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC IST: Core Applications of Science and Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course will examine the past, present and future impact of science and technology on culture, society and the environment. Students will explore how their predecessors worked to solve some problems that still exist today, and examine the potential of using modern technology to solve those problems. From these explorations, students will engage in a variety of hands-on design projects that will address tradeoffs, optimization, interconnectivity and the nature of complex systems.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC IST: Creativity and Innovations

**Course Number:** TR18

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC IST: Impacts of Science and Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NI Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD).

**Description:** This course will allow students to brainstorm, use invention, innovation, creativity, predictive analysis and use technology to solve real-world problems. Dimensions covered will include research and development, troubleshooting, experimentation, design failures, patents and trademarks, and design under constraints.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# SREB AC Introduction to Automated Materials Joining

**Course Number:** IM71

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based learning course introduces students to the fundamentals of automated materials joining. Students learn how to design, build and virtually test their designs using Solid Edge software. Using the engineering design process, students learn how to manage projects; research topics; plan for the building and testing of a prototype; analyze their results; make recommendations for improvement and communicate solutions to an authentic audience. Student teams create jigs, fixtures and an automated clamping system to fasten material. They program a robotic arm to control the spreading of adhesive, and design, build and test an automation system for joining the materials. Automated materials joining technology/industry standards and academic literacy, mathematics and science standards are applied to develop prototypes. Students learn how to collaborate within diverse teams, manage projects, think critically, document research, write reports and communicate results to authentic audiences. Further, students apply science, literacy, mathematics and technical skills to effectively solve challenging real-world problems with business and industry partners.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Applications in Automated Materials Joining

**Course Number:** IM72

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Introduction to Automated Materials Joining

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Building on the concepts learned in SREB AC Introduction to Automated Materials Joining, students engage in more complex materials science applications beginning with a reverse engineering project. Students disassemble and analyze a product to determine how they might improve its performance. Heat is applied to materials to change their molecular structure and LabVIEW is used to measure the changes. Different joints are explored and tested using filler metals. Students collaborate to create an automated quality control vision system to govern placement in an automated assembly system. They learn how to write quality engineering reports that communicate the process used and detail their findings. Students sharpen their skills by presenting to authentic audiences. Students learn how to collaborate within diverse teams, manage projects, think critically, document research, write reports and communicate results to authentic audiences. Further, students apply science, literacy, mathematics and technical skills to effectively solve challenging real-world problems with business and industry partners.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Advanced Concepts in Materials Joining

**Course Number:** IM73

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Applications in Automated Materials Joining

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students apply their knowledge and skills to produce new prototypes. They begin with programming a robot to create acceptable welds. They work with industry partners in a quality control lab where they examine the molecular changes in a tank that failed and test their recommendations to determine if they solved the problem. Students experiment with welding dissimilar metals utilized in battery applications. Working with a business partner, students automate a process to decrease assembly time and solve real-world problems through the application of Total Quality Management principles. Students focus on proposal writing as well as math and science standards integrated in the projects. Students learn how to collaborate within diverse teams, manage projects, think critically, document research, write reports and communicate results to authentic audiences. Further, students apply science, literacy, mathematics and technical skills to effectively solve challenging real-world problems with business and industry partners.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SREB AC Advanced Science and Engineered Systems

**Course Number:** TV24

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Electronics and Control Systems

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NI Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD) and International Fluid Power Society Certifications for Pneumatic and Hydraulics.

**Description:** Through well-developed projects in this advanced course, students will assume the roles of building technicians, design engineers, recreational engineers, electrical technicians and CEOs, while learning about real-world energy and power issues. Students will work with industry mentors to independently tackle real-world scenarios in the energy and power field. The projects in this course scaffold old to allow students more choice in determining the final product for each project. This course incorporates knowledge of multiple sources of energy, engineered systems, societal impact and “the business of energy” as students engage in projects involving maglev trains, advanced concepts in steam energy, carbon sequestration and coal, hydraulic fracturing, alternative forms of fuel in transportation and environmental compliance.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:			
Apprenticeship	No	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	No	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# SREB AC Clean Energy Applications

**Course Number:** TV12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Clean Energy Systems

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course builds on the foundation of SREB AC Clean Energy Systems and introduces nuclear power, steam generation, fuel cells, geothermal power, water power, AC/DC power generation, heat transfer and the laws of thermodynamics. In addition, students now use chemical and thermal energy principles to create, store and use energy efficiently to power a variety of mechanical and electrical devices. Students will engage in a variety of hands-on design projects to demonstrate principles using advanced technology hardware and software.\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Clean Energy Strategies

**Course Number:** TV13

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Clean Energy Applications

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students in this course utilize applicable skills from the foundational courses to tackle challenges associated with the implementation of clean energy technology. The hands-on projects encountered during this course will require students to address specific issues related to providing portable power in any situation, developing new energy storage systems, increasing the efficiency of the modern home, and designing more energy efficient buildings and homes.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Clean Energy Innovations

**Course Number:** TV14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Clean Energy Strategies

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NI Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD)

**Description:** The innovations course is the fourth and final course in the Clean Energy Technology Pathway Program. The course will provide students the opportunity to work independently with open-ended, problem-solving scenarios to create an original solution in the area of clean energy entrepreneurship or clean energy research and development. Students will collaborate with a mentor to conduct applied research around a defined research problem, develop solutions, collect and analyze relevant data, evaluate their solutions, and present their findings in public venues and competitions.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Design for the Production of Advanced Products

**Course Number:** TR14

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Mechatronic Systems for Advanced Production

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NI Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD).

**Description:** Students will create plant designs to process and automatically assemble materials into new products.

Students follow the process of developing and producing a new product from prototype to final product. They will accomplish this by creating a production flow plan that allows for the mass production of the product. Students will analyze and evaluate all aspects of the design and production processes with an emphasis on clean, lean and green production. Students will utilize data acquisition, quality control processes and Six Sigma methodology to control production.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Fundamentals of Aerospace Technology

**Course Number:** TV16

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This project-based learning course engages students who are curious about aviation and aerospace careers.

This course will introduce students to an engineering design process, tools to collect and analyze data, the science of aviation, materials and structures, and safety. Students will participate in real-world experiences such as designing, building and testing a pilot seat, kite, straw rocket and launcher, motor-powered rocket and a model glider. Students will work collaboratively, manage projects, be creative and innovative, think critically, and solve problems as well as propose solutions to design problems. Further, they will learn to apply literacy, mathematics and science concepts and use technology to effectively solve real-world, challenging problems with business and industry partners. Through project-based learning, students will explore the future of the aerospace industry and learn to apply those habits of behavior and mind unique to the field.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Clean Energy Systems

**Course Number:** TV11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course exposes students to three sources of renewable energy: wind, solar and biofuels. Working with solar, thermal, chemical and mechanical sources of clean energy teaches students how to apply physics, geography, chemistry, biology, geometry, algebra and engineering fundamentals. Students learn the most efficient and appropriate use of energy production as they explore the relevant relationships among work, power and energy. Students will engage in a wide variety of hands-on projects and lab activities that both test their knowledge and illustrate the interrelationships between the various forms of clean energy.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Electronics and Control Systems

**Course Number:** TV23

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Energy Transmission and Distribution

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this course, students will build on the knowledge and experience gained in the SREB AC Energy Transmission and Distribution course. Through projects, students will apply their knowledge to more advanced systems and learn how to program and use National Instrument's LabVIEW software and the myDAQ data acquisition device to work as engineers in making and analyzing countless scientific measurements. Students will study advanced topics in energy and power such as smart-home automation, plant-level process control, natural gas pipeline monitoring, energy storage and wind power. Each project presents students with a design problem that will require them to not only design and build a prototype, but also develop the software program that will test the prototype and gather measurable, quantifiable data.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Energy and Power Foundations

**Course Number:** TV21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course engages students in a variety of hands-on, authentic projects to learn about energy and power methods through the design and construction of motors, pumps, heat exchangers, hydraulics and pipeline systems. These are the technologies used in large power plant systems to run and maintain processes in energy generation plants. Through contextual projects, students will learn and apply physics, chemistry, fluid mechanics, thermodynamics, algebra and statistics in learning how these systems interact in the energy and power arena. Students will learn how engineers and technicians use these systems in the real world to optimize efficiency.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Energy Transmission and Distribution

**Course Number:** TV22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Energy and Power Foundations

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course focuses on energy transmission and consumer usage. Through projects, students will be introduced to AC and DC power, transformers, the electrical grid and Smart Grid, and consumer load on the electrical system. To complete projects, students will use Ohm's law, Joule's law of heating, root mean square, Pythagorean Theorem and trigonometric principles to understand how energy travels along power lines and is converted from direct current to alternating current to end up, ultimately, in homes and businesses. Students will gain an understanding of how power companies move power — stepping it up and down to meet the needs of the end-user — by designing working transformers, capacitors, inverters and a power supply.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Functional Areas in Logistics

**Course Number:** IK42

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Introduction to Logistics

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course compels students to explore deeper understandings of the concepts they discovered in the previous course as they navigate projects on warehouse design, inventory management, transportation optimization, information technology, emergency responsiveness and the supply chain for manufacturing. Students use their experiences in this course to discover ways that professionals minimize the outlay of resources while improving efficiency and ability in the global market.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Introduction to Logistics

**Course Number:** IK41

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course engages students in solving contextual problems related to the concepts of supply chains, warehouse location, contingency planning, insourcing and outsourcing, and expanding existing supply chains. These concepts form the basis of global logistics and supply chain management and help students understand how professionals examine options to maximize the use of resources across distribution networks.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>				
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No		<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes		<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No		<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No		<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes		<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Global Logistics Management

**Course Number:** IK43

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Functional Areas in Logistics

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This advanced course offers challenging projects that require students to look at the global implications of the industry in more earnest as they experiment with decisions over intermodal transportation, route selection, international shipping regulations, emergency preparedness, cultural awareness, business ethics and international trade restrictions related to a distribution strategy. Students develop their understanding of the industry in this course and truly build their awareness of the challenges of doing business in a world with multiple borders that must be traversed.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>				
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No		<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes		<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No		<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No		<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes		<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	



# SREB AC Logistics and Supply Chain Management

**Course Number:** IK44

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Global Logistics Management

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This advanced course allows students to see the implications of all the concepts they learned in the previous three courses as they consider environmental impact, selecting business partners in a global and domestic chain, information technology and decisions regarding e-commerce. Students explore the ongoing need to balance dependability and resource outlay in meeting customer demands around the world. Projects will expand students' decision-making skills as they tackle issues related to transportation, distribution networks and manufacturing.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Mechatronic Systems for Advanced Production

**Course Number:** TR12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Systems of Advanced Technology

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students will design cost-effective work cells incorporating automation and robotics to improve quality of final products. The advanced production in this course depends on the use and coordination of information, automation, network systems, vision and sensing systems. Students will design and create mechatronic systems and automated tooling to accomplish these advanced tasks. Students produce authentic documentation about their cyber-mechanical systems and the integration with data to control and monitor processes.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Projects in Automated Materials Joining

**Course Number:** IM74

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Advanced Concepts in Materials Joining

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** NI Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD) and International Fluid Power Society Certifications for Pneumatic and Hydraulics.

**Description:** This is a culminating course where students apply what they have learned to real-world scenarios. Teams work collaboratively to analyze problems, create solutions and focus on methods of automation analysis to solve the seven issues of waste. They create a conceptual model of an amusement park ride that uses welds that can withstand high impact loads. Students design, build and test a product for automated assembly and create and test an automated process to assemble the prototype. Two projects require students to write a white paper. Depending on state policy, students who successfully complete the course may be eligible for articulated or dual college credit. Students learn how to collaborate within diverse teams, manage projects, think critically, document research, write reports and communicate results to authentic audiences. Further, students apply science, literacy, mathematics and technical skills to effectively solve challenging real-world problems with business and industry partners.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# SREB AC Systems of Advanced Technology

**Course Number:** TR12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** SREB AC Advanced Technology for Design and Production

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Students Association (TSA) or SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** In this course, students will apply the technologies that are found in modern clean, production environments. Students study effective and energy efficient control of pumping, conveyors, piping, pneumatic and hydraulic control systems. Students apply total quality management to production design to assure quality. Students also focus on properties of materials and material testing, creating documentation to support designs, examining properties and justifying material selections based on properties. Students learn that old products become the new raw materials for new products.

\*Course enrollment limited to 20 to ensure safety in laboratory settings.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Technological Design

**Course Number:** TE12

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** TE11 Technology Engineering and Design

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course continues to apply the skills, concepts, and principles of design. The design fields of graphics, industrial design, and architecture receive major emphasis. Engineering content and professional practices are presented through practical application. Working in design teams, student apply technology, science, and mathematics concepts and skills to solve engineering and design problems. Students research, develop, test, and analyze engineering designs using criteria such as design effectiveness, public safety, human factors, and ethics. Art, English, Language Arts, Mathematics and science are required.

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## Technological Design and Innovation

**Course Number:** TE01

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** The middle school course focuses on applying the design process in the invention or innovation of a new product, process, or system. Through engaging activities and hands-on projects, students focus on understanding how criteria, constraints, and processes affect designs. Emphasis is placed on brainstorming, visualizing, modeling, testing, and refining designs. Students develop skills in researching information, communicating design information, and reporting results. Activities are structured to integrate physical and social sciences, mathematics, English language arts, and art. Courselets include:

TE012YA Exploring Technology

TE012YB Exploring Engineering and Design

### **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Technology Engineering and Design

**Course Number:** TE11

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This course focus on the nature and core concepts of technology, engineering, and design.

Through engaging activities and hands-on project-based activities, students are introduced to the following concepts: elements and principles of design, basic engineering, problem solving, and teaming. Students apply research and development skills and produce physical and virtual models. Activities are structured to integrate physical and social sciences, mathematics, English, language arts, and art.

\* Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment, a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Technological Systems

**Course Number:** TE02

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 45 hours per courselet

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** Technology Student Association (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** The middle school course focuses on students' understanding how technological systems work together to solve problems and capture opportunities. As technology becomes more integrated and systems become dependent upon each other, this course gives students a general background on the different types of systems, with specific concentration on the connections between these systems. Art, English Language Arts, Mathematics, and Science are reinforced.

## **Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:**

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	No	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Welding Technology I

**Course Number:** IM61

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** AWS SENSE - Thermal Cutting Process  
OSHA-10- Hour Industry Certification  
S/P2 - Welding Safety and Pollution Prevention

**Description:** This course covers basic industrial and construction welding practices, characteristics, and entry level skills. Topics include safety, tools and equipment, measurement, thermal cutting processes, base metal preparation and shielded metal arc welding (SMAW). Arts, English, Language Arts, Mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\* Per AWS, The trainee/instructor ratio for each course should be kept as low as possible. A reasonable figure would be fifteen (15) welding trainees to one (1) welding instructor. However, this ratio should never exceed the number of work stations in the laboratory. Twenty (20) welding personnel to one (1) instructor would be the maximum recommended acceptable ratio.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	No	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	No
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	No	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	No
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	No	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Welding Technology II

**Course Number:** IM62

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IM61 Welding Technology I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** AWS SENSE- Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)

**Description:** This course introduces advanced welding and cutting practices used in industry and construction and emphasizes hands-on experience. Topics include safety, plasma arc cutting(PAC), inspection, weld fit-up and testing, metal properties, and shielded metal (SMAW) arc welding. Arts, English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\* Per AWS, The trainee/instructor ratio for each course should be kept as low as possible. A reasonable figure would be fifteen (15) welding trainees to one (1) welding instructor. However, this ratio should never exceed the number of work stations in the laboratory. Twenty (20) welding personnel to one (1) instructor would be the maximum recommended acceptable ratio.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	Yes	<b>Service Learning</b>	Yes
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

# Welding Technology III

**Course Number:** IM63

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IM62 Welding Technology II

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** AWS SENSE- Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW) Short Circuit  
AWS SENSE- Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW) Spray  
AWS SENSE- Flux Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) Gas  
AWS SENSE- Flux Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) Self Shielded

**Description:** This course is designed to continue the development of advanced welding and cutting practices used in industry and construction and emphasizes hands-on experience. Further emphasis is placed on topics covered in Welding Technology II, and more, such as safety, weld fit-up and testing, metal properties, gas metal arc welding (GMAW), flux cored arc welding (FCAW), and gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW). Arts, English language arts, mathematics, and science are reinforced.

\* Per AWS, The trainee/instructor ratio for each course should be kept as low as possible. A reasonable figure would be fifteen (15) welding trainees to one (1) welding instructor. However, this ratio should never exceed the number of work stations in the laboratory. Twenty (20) welding personnel to one (1) instructor would be the maximum recommended acceptable ratio.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	Yes	Service Learning	Yes
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

# Woodworking I

**Course Number:** IM21

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Woodwork Career Alliance Sawblade Certificate  
OSHA 10-Hour Construction Industry Certification

**Description:** This course introduces career information, employment opportunities, and skills required for work in the woodworking and cabinetmaking industry. Topics include the woodworking industries, health, and safety design and layout, materials, hand tools, power tools, portable and stationary, preparation, construction and assembly, and finishing. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

## Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:

Apprenticeship	Yes	Job Shadow	Yes
Business and Industry Field Trip	Yes	Mentorship	Yes
Cooperative Education	Yes	School Based Enterprise	Yes
Entrepreneurial Experiences	No	Service Learning	No
Internship	Yes	**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.	

## Woodworking II

**Course Number:** IM22

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 20

**Hours of Instruction:** 135 (block) 150 (regular)

**Prerequisite:** IM21 Woodworking I

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** SkillsUSA

**Aligned Industry Credential:** Woodwork Career Alliance Sawblade Certificate  
OSHA 10-Hour Construction Industry Certification

**Description:** The course teaches the development of knowledge and advance skills in the woodworking and cabinetmaking industry. Emphasis is placed on advanced principles applied to the woodworking and cabinetmaking industry. Topics include advanced levels of the cabinetmaking industry, health and safety, design and layout, materials, hand tools, power tools, portable and stationary, preparation, construction and assembly, and finishing. English language arts and mathematics are reinforced.

\*Due to potentially hazardous processes and equipment a maximum enrollment of 20 is recommended.

<b>Work-based Learning Opportunities appropriate for this course include:</b>			
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Yes	<b>Job Shadow</b>	Yes
<b>Business and Industry Field Trip</b>	Yes	<b>Mentorship</b>	Yes
<b>Cooperative Education</b>	Yes	<b>School Based Enterprise</b>	Yes
<b>Entrepreneurial Experiences</b>	No	<b>Service Learning</b>	No
<b>Internship</b>	Yes	<b>**Work-based Learning descriptions can be found on page 3.</b>	

## CTE Advanced Studies

**Course Number:** CS95

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 25

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** This culminating course is for juniors and seniors who have earned two technical credits, one of which is a completer course, in one Career Cluster. The Advanced Studies course must augment the content of the completer course and prepare students for success in transitioning to postsecondary education and future careers. Students work under the guidance of a teacher with expertise in the content of the completer course in collaboration with community members, business representatives, and other school-based personnel. The four parts of the course include writing a research paper, producing a product, developing a portfolio, and delivering a presentation. Students demonstrate their abilities to use 21st century skills. Competitive events, community service, and leadership activities provide the opportunity to apply essential standards and workplace readiness skills through authentic experiences.

## CTE Apprenticeship

**Course Number:** CS96

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** Two technical credits in one Career Cluster

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Students who participate in apprenticeships or pre-apprenticeships through the North Carolina Department of Commerce can also earn CTE credit while they earn hours and experience toward an adult apprenticeship leading to a completed journeyman certificate.

## CTE Internship

**Course Number:** CS97

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** 0

**Hours of Instruction:** 1 credit

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** A CTE Internship allows for additional development of career and technical competencies within a general career field. Internships allow students to observe and participate in daily operations, develop direct contact with job personnel, ask questions about particular careers, and perform certain job tasks. This activity is exploratory and allows the student to get hands-on experience in a number of related activities. The teacher, student, and the business community jointly plan the organization, implementation, and evaluation of an internship, regardless of whether it is an unpaid or paid internship.



# CTE Career and College Promise

**Course Number:** Various

**Recommended Maximum Enrollment:** Varies

**Hours of Instruction:** Does not apply

**Prerequisite:** None

**Aligned Career Technical Student Organization:** An association for Marketing Education students (DECA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), National FFA Organization (FFA), Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Future Health Professionals (HOSA), SkillsUSA, and Technology Student Association, (TSA)

**Aligned Industry Credential:** None

**Description:** Career and College Promise provides a way for any North Carolina high school student in good academic standing who meets eligibility requirements to take community college courses while still in high school. Students can combine high school and postsecondary courses to earn a credential, certificate, or diploma in a technical field and meet requirements for CTE concentration. Credit may be transferrable to another North Carolina community college, to UNC System institutions, and to many of the state's independent colleges and universities. Students should work with their school counselor to determine what CTE pathways are available at their local community college or in what other ways they can access this program.

## LOCAL COURSE OPTIONS

If a local education agency recognizes needs that are not addressed by courses in the Essential Standards document, that local education agency can request authorization to offer a Local Course Option. A Local Course Option requires considerable advanced planning and preparation. Each local course must be approved before it is advertised and offered to students.

A Local Course Option should be used to:

- Provide for innovation, but not duplication of courses in the Essential Standards.
- Meet unique local needs.
- Work in partnership with local stakeholders.
- Offer career potential that is permanent and not transitory or temporary in nature.
- Assure employment opportunities for local students.
- Support the purposes of CTE.
- Promote high-skill, high-wage, high-demand, and emerging occupations.

***The request must be made and approved before the Local Course Option can be advertised and offered.*** Timelines, forms, and processes can be found in the Local Course Application folder on the secure CTE FTP site and on the Local Planning System.

## APPENDIX B. DEFINITIONS USED IN THIS DOCUMENT

**Career Clusters™** are groupings of occupations used as an organizing tool for curriculum design and instruction. The Career Cluster approach makes it easier for students to understand the relevance of their required courses and helps them select their elective courses more wisely.

**Career Pathway Major** is one that provides aligned specificity in a Career Pathway and can include either an Advanced Studies course, Work-based Learning course, or a course with aligned content.

**Career pathways** are sub-groupings of occupations within a Career Cluster used as an organizing tool for curriculum design and instruction. Occupations are grouped into pathways based on the set of common knowledge and skills required for career success.

**Certification** is industry recognition or confirmation of subject knowledge or the ability to perform specific tasks. The focus is on assessing the attainment of current experience, knowledge, and skill base.

**Foundational course prerequisite** provides fundamental knowledge and skills needed for student success in secondary and postsecondary education and careers in the Career Cluster.

**Concentrator** is a student who has successfully completed a Concentrator course in an approved Career Pathway.

**Concentrator course** is a second- or third-level course in the Career Pathway (CPPOS) that builds upon technical skills acquired in a prerequisite course.

**Credential** provides evidence of authority, status, rights, and entitlement to privileges. Typically, a credential is a paper document.

**Curriculum partnering opportunities** are developed by national organizations, foundations, consortia, industry, and other curriculum providers. Partnering opportunities are approved by the Division of Career and Technical Education. To be approvable, curriculum partnering opportunities must include a valid and reliable measure of technical attainment that meets the state timeline for federal reporting.

**Field test course** is complete with all components. The primary intent of the field test year is to collect reliability data on all assessment items before the items are divided into the classroom and secure assessment banks. A secondary intent of the field test year is to collect feedback from teachers about the blueprint weighting, unpacked content, and instructional activities and resources used in the course.

**License** is permission from a government authority to perform certain tasks.

**Maximum enrollment** indicates the maximum number of students who can be enrolled in a course based on legal and safety requirements.

**Pilot course** is used to test and evaluate student interest and feasibility of a new course before full-scale development and implementation of all course components. During the pilot course year, adjustments will be made to improve or enhance course materials. At some designated point, a decision will be made whether or not to continue or terminate the development of the course.

**Recommended maximum enrollment** indicates the recommended maximum number of students who should be enrolled in a course based on best educational practice.

