

# XYP

Today you will be exploring the program you applied for at the Carroll County Career and Tech Center. The goal of today is to help you better understand the benefits of this program as well as the rigor of the skills, academics (math and English) and work ethic that will be needed for this program.

## **I. Introduction:**

1. In a short paragraph write why you are interested in this program (if needed continue on the back):

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2. In a short paragraph write what you know about the program (if needed continue on the back):

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3. What skills, classes or experiences have you had that might help you in this class (if needed continue on the back)

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## II. Time with the instructor :

The instructor is going to help you explore some of the skills and behaviors that you will need to be successful in this class. The goal of this part of this part of XYP is to explore the expectations of the class and the instructor to give you a better understanding of the program.

Rate each of the following from your time with the instructor using the following scale. Write the number beside each area that you experienced during this time.

1- Hated	2- Disliked	3-Neutral	4- Liked	5-Enjoyed	6-Would like to do something like this every day
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Student  
Interest

	Working independently (without a lot of instructor guidance) with the directions given.
	Following a list of instructions.
	Having a deadline to complete a task.
	Being focused on a task.
	Using the tools and equipment for this program.
	Taking criticism and suggestions form the instructor.
	Having the quality of my work evaluated.
	Following the safety rules and practices of CCCTC.
	Being respectful to the teacher/ working as a team (if it applies in this exploration)
	Overall feeling about the time with the instructor.

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**How did your expectations of the program compare to this part of the exploration?**

<b>1- Not what I expected, did not like the program</b>
<b>2- Different than what I expected but I still would like to see more</b>
<b>3- About what I expected</b>
<b>4- More than I expected, I really enjoyed it</b>
<b>5- This is definitely what I want to do as a career</b>

## Academic Exploration:

In this section of the exploration you will see what will academically expected in this program. You will be given an assessment and shown the textbook, quizzes and common assignments in the class. The academic component of this program will also determine the success you will have in this program. The goal of this part of this part of XYP is to explore the

Rate each of the following from your experience of the program while exploring the academics. We will discuss the ratings as well at meeting later in the day.

1- Not something I would feel comfortable	2- Harder than what I am use to doing at school	3- I felt ok with the academic expectations	4- I am use to doing this type of work and will be successful	5- This was easy and I will have no problems doing the work
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Student  
Interest

	The textbook and reading assignments
	ID tools
	Reading assignments.
	The math assessment
	Written work in the classroom

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## Program Exploration (Post Shadowing Experience)

In this section of the exploration you will see what the actual program is like. Instructor may have you shadow a student or actually help with a project where safety guidelines allow.

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Student  
Interest

	Students are often asked to work independently OR dependently in each program Circle which one applies to this program :  a) Independently b) dependently c) both
	Impressions of the shop/classroom area
	The assignments that were completed
	Instruction you saw in the classroom
	Safety requirements
	Uniform requirements (where applicable)
	Interest in the program after observing it
	Difficulty of assignments

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## **Self Exploration:**

In this section you will talk to a CCCTC staff about your experience. Each part of your exploration will be reviewed along with your academic and attendance history.

In a short paragraph summarize your feeling about your experience today.

What activities did you enjoy.

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What activities did you discover that you might find challenging in this program?

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# XYP Instructor Observations

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_ Program \_\_\_\_\_

Comments on "Time with the Instructor" \_\_\_\_\_

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Comments on "Time in the Program"

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Overall Comments

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