

CHS Jump Start Pathways and Credentials

At Chalmette High School, our goal is to prepare all students for their post-secondary plans. Whether you plan to attend a 4-year university, community college, begin a career, or go into the military upon graduation, we offer courses to prepare students for success. Students who plan to attend a technical or community college or begin a career after high school may be good candidates for a Jump Start diploma. **CHS offers six Jump Start pathways: Business Management, Entertainment Technology, Health Sciences, Hospitality/Culinary, Information Technology, and Manufacturing/Construction.** Students pursuing a Jump Start Career Diploma must complete 9 courses related to their pathway. One of these nine credits must be career readiness courses. Students must also earn industry based credentials to graduate.

CHS Jump Start Pathways

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Pathway	Must Take to Earn a Credential	Other Courses in Pathway	Credentials
Business Management	Customer Service, BCA, Cyber Society, IBCA	Customer Service; CIW NTA CIW SDA; CIW IBA; GTE; Digital Media I/II; Marketing (with approval); Desktop Publishing	Regional - Customer Service AND 2 (OSHA, PPT, or MOS)
Entertainment Technology	CIW SDA or CIW NTA or Digital Media I	Digital Media I/II; TV Production I/II; Audio Engineering; Publications; Art I & II; Theater I & II; CIW NTA; CIW IBA; CIW SDA; GTE; Intro. to Engineering; Principles of Engineering; Desktop Publishing; Chemistry; Physics	Advanced - All 3 CIW or all 3 Adobe Basic – AVID ProTools CIW IBA, CIW SDA, CIW NTA, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, OR Adobe InDesign
Health Sciences	Food and Nutrition, BCA, IBCA, Cyber Society	Food & Nutrition; Intro to Health Occupations; Medical Terminology; Certified Nurse Assistant (with approval); Medical Assistant I & II (with approval)	Basic – Certified Nursing Assistant, CTS in Patient Care Regional – ServSafe AND 2 (OSHA, PPT, MOS, OR Customer Service)
Hospitality/ Culinary	Food and Nutrition, BCA, IBCA, Cyber Society	Food and Nutrition; ProStart I & II; Principles of Marketing (with approval); Cooperative Marketing Education (with approval); Digital Media; Chemistry; Foreign Language I	Basic – Prostart National Certificate AND ServSafe Regional – Customer Service OR ServSafe AND 2 (OSHA, PPT, MOS)
Information Technology	CIW SDA or CIW NTA or Digital Media I	CIW SDA; CIW NTA; Digital Media I/II, Intro. to Engineering; Principles of Engineering; Digital Media; Desktop Publishing; Carpentry; Electrical; Publications; Chemistry; Physics; TV Production; Art I & II; Theater I & II	Advanced - All 3 CIW, all 3 Adobe, OR Inventor Basic – AVID ProTools CIW IBA, CIW SDA, CIW NTA, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, OR Adobe InDesign
Manufacturing/ Carpentry	IBCA, GTE, Carpentry I/II, Cyber Society	GTE, Carpentry I/II, CAD I/ II, Environmental Science; Theater Design and Technology; Intro to Engineering; Principles of Engineering; Chemistry; Nunez- HVAC, Welding, Electrical (with approval)	Advanced – NCCER Level 2 in Electrical or HVAC, Welding 4G, CITF Level 2, OR Inventor Basic - SP2, NCCER Level 1 in Electrical or HVAC, Welding 2G, OR CITF Level 1 Regional – FEMA AND 2 (CITF CORE, Customer Service, OSHA, PPT, OR MOS)