

STANDARDS FOR CAREER READY PRACTICE

- Apply appropriate technical skills and academic knowledge.
- Communicate clearly, effectively, and with reason.
- Develop an education and career plan aligned with personal goals.
- Apply technology to enhance productivity.
- Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
- Practice personal health and understand financial literacy.
- Act as a responsible citizen in the workplace and the community.
- Model integrity, ethical leadership, and effective management.
- Work productively in teams while integrating cultural and global competence.
- Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
- Employ valid and reliable research strategies.
- Understand the environmental, social, and economic impacts of decisions.

PHILOSOPHY

Merced County ROP/Career & technical Education delivers innovative programs to high school and adult students in preparation for 21st century careers, higher education, and life-long learning.

PROGRAM GOALS

- Develop academic, technical, and interpersonal skills
- Secure employment
- Upgrade skills
- Enter advanced career-technical training
- Pursue college related course work

ROP OFFERS CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN THE FOLLOWING INDUSTRY SECTORS

- Arts Media and Entertainment
- Building and Construction Trades
- Business and Finance
- Education, Child Development, and Family Services
- Health Science and Medical Technology
- Hospitality, Tourism, and Recreation
- Manufacturing and Product Development
- Marketing, Sales, and Service
- Public Service
- Transportation

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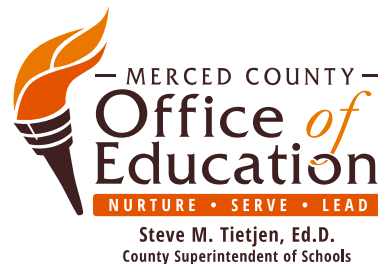
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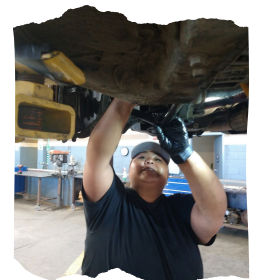
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Merced County High School ROP Career and Technical Education



ROP / CTE COURSES OFFERED

Advanced Business Management & Marketing
College Credit is available

Automotive Technology I/II
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Business Management
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Business & Marketing Essentials
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Business Office Professional I/II
College Credit is available

Career Planning in Business & Marketing

Certified Nursing Assistant

Constructions Technology I/II
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Criminal Justice I/II
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Culinary Arts I-II
College Credit is available

Digital Media Arts
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Foundations in Education I/II
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Health Careers
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Marketing Foundations I/II
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Medical Office Administration
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Medical Technologies I/II
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Money Management & Investing
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Professional Truck Driving
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Social Media Marketing
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Sports Medicine
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

Virtual Enterprise
College Credit is available
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit for a semester

Welding I/II
UC approved for "g" Elective Credit

HIGH SCHOOLS SERVED

Come Back Charter School

Court School

Delhi High School

Dos Palos High School

Gustine High School

Hilmar High School

Le Grand High School

Los Banos High School

Merced Scholars Charter School

Orestimba High School

Pacheco High School

Stone Ridge Christian

High School

Valley Community

Schools

CAREER INDUSTRY DAY

Merced County high school students have a opportunity to explore career pathways, hear from guest speakers, and connect with local industry professionals. For event details, students should contact their campus Career Technician or counselor.



PORTFOLIO DAY

ROP/CTE students experience one-on-one mock interviews with local professionals, receive feedback, and showcase their Employability Portfolios. Participation requires professional dress, a thank-you card, and a completed portfolio including a resume, cover letter, job application, career action plan, letter of recommendation, self-evaluation, and work sample.



AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

At this celebration outstanding ROP/CTE students who have successfully completed Portfolio Day are nominated by their instructors. Recipients receive certificates from ROP/CTE and local legislators, a medal, t-shirt, and a personalized photo in recognition of their achievements.



CAREER CENTERS

Students and staff have access to career information, class options, and resources aligned with student interests and abilities. They also provide guidance on postsecondary opportunities, scholarships, financial aid, and current workforce trends

COLLEGE & CAREER SERVICES TECHNICIANS

CTE Liaisons serve as the primary resource for Career and Technical Education on high school campuses, providing students with information about available ROP/CTE classes and keeping counselors and staff informed about course offerings and updates.