

Dear Career Connect Campus Families,

Welcome to the 2026-2027 school year!

You are receiving this letter because a counselor at your sending school signed you up for a CTE course. If you have any questions, contact your sending school counselor. We are excited to welcome both returning and new students to Career Connect Campus. As a countywide Career & Technical Education high school, our mission is to provide learners with transformative experiences, skills, relationships, and resources needed to support lifelong career development.

Through hands-on learning, industry partnerships, credential opportunities, and real-world experiences, students will continue building both the technical and professional skills needed for future success. We are committed to ensuring every student is known, valued, challenged, and supported throughout their journey with us.

Important Information

First Day of Programming

The first day of programming at Career Connect Campus is **Tuesday, September 1, 2026**.

Morning Session: 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Afternoon Session: 11:45 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Student drivers and bus hub riders should report to Career Connect Campus **before the 8:00 a.m. bell** on September 1.

During the first week, students will have the opportunity to meet their instructor, technical assistant, school counselors, and other support staff. They will review course expectations and schedules, become familiar with their lab environment, learn important campus procedures, and receive guidance on accessing key resources, including the PowerSchool Student and Parent Portal.

Required Student Forms

In the coming days, families will receive an email from PowerSchool with instructions for completing required student forms through PowerSchool eCollect. All forms must be completed and signed by a parent or guardian to help ensure a smooth start to the school year.

Required forms include:

Medical Form: Provides important information regarding allergies, medical alerts, and other health considerations that our instructors and administrative team should be aware of to support student safety.

Acceptable Use Policy Acknowledgement: Outlines KRESA's expectations regarding the use of technology, networks, devices, and internet resources.

Special Populations Information: Allows families to share information regarding IEP, 504, or English Learner (ESL) status that may not already be reflected in our records.

Student Transportation Form: Helps us identify student transportation arrangements, including bus riders and students who will be driving and require a parking pass.

Media Release Form: Provides permission preferences regarding student photographs, videos, and other media.

CTE Student/Parent Handbook Acknowledgement: This form will be released separately in the coming weeks and will acknowledge receipt of the handbook, including student expectations, the code of conduct, and program-specific guidelines.

Please note: The CTE Student/Parent Handbook Acknowledgement Form will be sent separately in the coming weeks.

Contact Information

Main Office: (269) 443-7500

Attendance Line: (269) 443-7501

Transportation/Bus Hub: (269) 250-9244

Thank you for choosing Career Connect Campus. We look forward to partnering with your family and helping your student make the most of the opportunities ahead. We are excited to welcome students on September 1 and begin another year of exploration, growth, and career-connected learning.

Warm regards