
P-TECH / Advisory Meeting

Time: Dec 3, 2024 10:00 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

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Agenda

Introductions

Enrollment Update – cohorts and TSTC complete list

2025 – 13

2026 – 12

2027 – 26

2028 - 19

Total TSTC enrollment this fall 62 / spring 67 (PTECH, CTE and ECHS)

Spring/Summer Updates

CCRSM State Convention – Presentation Ward, Gravitt and Acosta

CTE Summer Grant \$50,000 – Paid internship through Triple Win and Sturdisteel

TSTC Summer School

13 Welders – 1 PMT

Summer Bridge for incoming 9th graders

Tours – Nickell Metalsmiths, Sturdisteel, TSTC

New Blueprint and Outcome Based Measures last summer

- Changes focused more of career preparation
- Such as: CTE completion, dual credit hours, certifications earned

<https://www.texasccrsm.org/models/p-tech>

FAST Program – free tuition, etc... for low SES schools – dramatically reduced tuition costs for 2023/2024.

Upcoming

- JH – AVID visits Dec 10th ??
- Parent Involvement - Recruitment December 11th ??
- P-TECH/ECHS Student Application opens: Dec 16th ??
- Student Career Interest Surveys – LVI and LVJH
 - Looking at different Surveys...Eduthings??

Certifications

- Welding Certification tests in December and May

Additional Possibilities:

- Current Pathways – Precision Machining – Structural Welding, Plumbing
- Additional Pathways to consider...Electrical, HVAC, Industrial Systems

Work Based Learning

- Waco Chamber Tours – construction, machining, nursing, accounting, etc..
- TSTC job fair – Spring 2025
- Ideas: Additional contacts for WBL opportunities

Facility Needs

- Community passed \$93,000,000 bond includes: ECHS/P-TECH/CTE Building
- Welding lab – Culinary – Nursing
- Welding Equipment purchased through grant and being stored

Invitees

Dr. T.D. Rideaux, CCRSM Coach
Sharon Shields, Superintendent, LVISD
Dr. Charla Rudd, Chief Academic Officer
James Villa, LVHS Principal
Sal Acosta, Counselor ECHS/PTECH
Chris Ward, Dean of Vocational Studies
Jeanne Gravitt, Dean of Advanced Studies, LVECHS
Jon Alonso, TSTC Liaison/PATH
Christie Hollingsworth, Administrative Assistant for ECHS and PTECH
Sandra Gibson, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction
Clay Springer, Project Manager, Sturdisteel
John Nickell, Owner, Nickell Metalsmiths
George Johns, Manager, Nickell Metalsmiths
Berenice Segovia, Manager, Workforce Solutions Heart of Texas
Michael Gordon, Manager, Highwood Machine Tool, LLC
Tiffany Whitley, Senior Director, Waco Chamber of Commerce
Rachel Martinez, Director, Waco Chamber of Commerce
Carlena Lesso, Public Relations, Jack Of All Trades
Allie Bonner, Manager, Dual Credit TSTC
Sage Andrews, Dual Credit Advisor, TSTC
Cory Dickman, Program Director, Triple Win Waco

Notes:

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