
P-TECH / CTE Advisory Meeting

1:00 pm Wednesday, 2/21/2024

Zoom and in Person

Zoom Link

Topic: Spring 2024 P-Tech Advisory

Time: Feb 21, 2024 01:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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Agenda

Introductions

Enrollment Update – cohorts and TSTC complete list

2024 – 7 (4PMT)

2025 – 13 (2)

2026 – 20 (5)

2027 – 23 (8)

63 Total coded P-TECH

Total TSTC enrollment this fall 46 (PTECH, CTE and ECHS)

Spring Updates

Awarded Best Practices Subgrant \$30,000

- wall wraps in 300 hall
- wrap for Modoc Media trailer
- community, student, parent recruitment events
- Posters, brochures and flyers being designed by LVHS Graphic Design displayed on every campus
- PTECH Commercial – filmed and designed by LVHS AV dept.
- Wall prints to be displayed in the hallways, etc..
- IHE appreciation luncheon – 3/19
- Choose date for Industry Partner Dinner
 - Introduce P-TECH to potential partners

Competition

- Skills USA February 23rd at TSTC
 - 18 Students competing (Including 2 fabrication teams)
 - Competing in 4 events

TSTC Summer School

- Will begin interest Surveys in March

Summer Bridge for incoming 9th graders – Hoping to include:

- Tours – Nickell Metalsmiths, Highwood Machine Tool, TSTC
- Possible dates: Week of June 3-6

Work-Based Learning

- L3-Harris – 11 PMT Students on Dec. 11
- Possible?? Cleaver Brooks Dallas (Spring 2024) SR welders
- Waco Chamber of Commerce
 - Series of job shadow events that began in the fall with Holt Cat

- 3 Additional events currently scheduled for the spring (12 and 6 students)
 - Feb 1st – 12 Students / March 15th – 6 Students / April 5th – 5 Students
- Stacer Group – will assist with initiating additional WBL opportunities
- Summer CTE Grant application submitted
 - Possible Summer Internships – Triple Win/Sturdisteel– 12 students – fabrication

New Pathways 2024-2025

- Plumbing and HVAC – these tie into our current CTE carpentry and electrical POS

Bond Election

- Significant portion of the bond is dedicated to facility for ECHS/PTECH and CTE additions
- \$93,000,000 total broken into 3 separate bonds
- Thank you to John Nickell for his significant time and knowledge contributions!!

Trainings

- CCRSM Regional Convening – Feb 1, 2024
- Educate Texas External Visit – Feb 2, 2024
- Winter CTAT – Feb 5-7
- CCRSM State Convention Corpus Christi (June)
- Presentation Ward, Gravitt and Acosta, June 10-13

Questions and Suggestions

Invitees

Nelda Howton, CCRSM Coach

Sharon Shields, Superintendent, LVISD

Dr. Charla Rudd, Chief Academic Officer

James Villa, LVHS Principal

Sal Acosta, Counselor ECHS/PTECH

Chris Ward, PTECH Coordinator/2026 Cohort Assistant Principal

Jeanne Gravitt, Dean of Advanced Studies, LVECHS

Linda Escobar, TSTC Liaison/PATH

Christie Hollingsworth, Administrative Assistant for ECHS and PTECH

Sandra Gibson, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

Mari Keller, CTE Coordinator

Clay Springer, Project Manager, Sturdisteel

Jim Lambert, Sr. Vice President, American Bank

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, Director, Waco Chamber of Commerce

Carlena Lesso, Public Relations, Jack Of All Trades

Sherrie Gilmore, Transitional Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor,
Texas Workforce Solutions

Cory Dickman, Director of Triple Win

Notes:

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