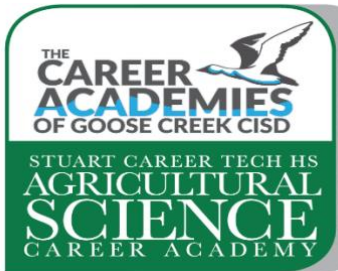


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Agenda Items

- I. Welcome & Introductions
 - a. Approval of Minutes
- II. Vision & Academy Overview
 - a. NSOP
 - b. Enrollment Data/Recruitment
 - c. Goals
- III. Academy Update
 - a. Teacher Reports
 - b. Student Reports
 - c. Administrative/Counseling Report
- IV. New Business
 - a. Goal Updates
 - b. Industry Partner Updates
 - c. Upcoming Events
- V. Closing/Adjournment

Other Information

Future Meeting Dates/Time:

- September 23, 2026
- November 11, 2026
- February 17, 2027
- May 12, 2027

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SCTHS Agriculture Science Academy
2025-2026

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Mission & Vision

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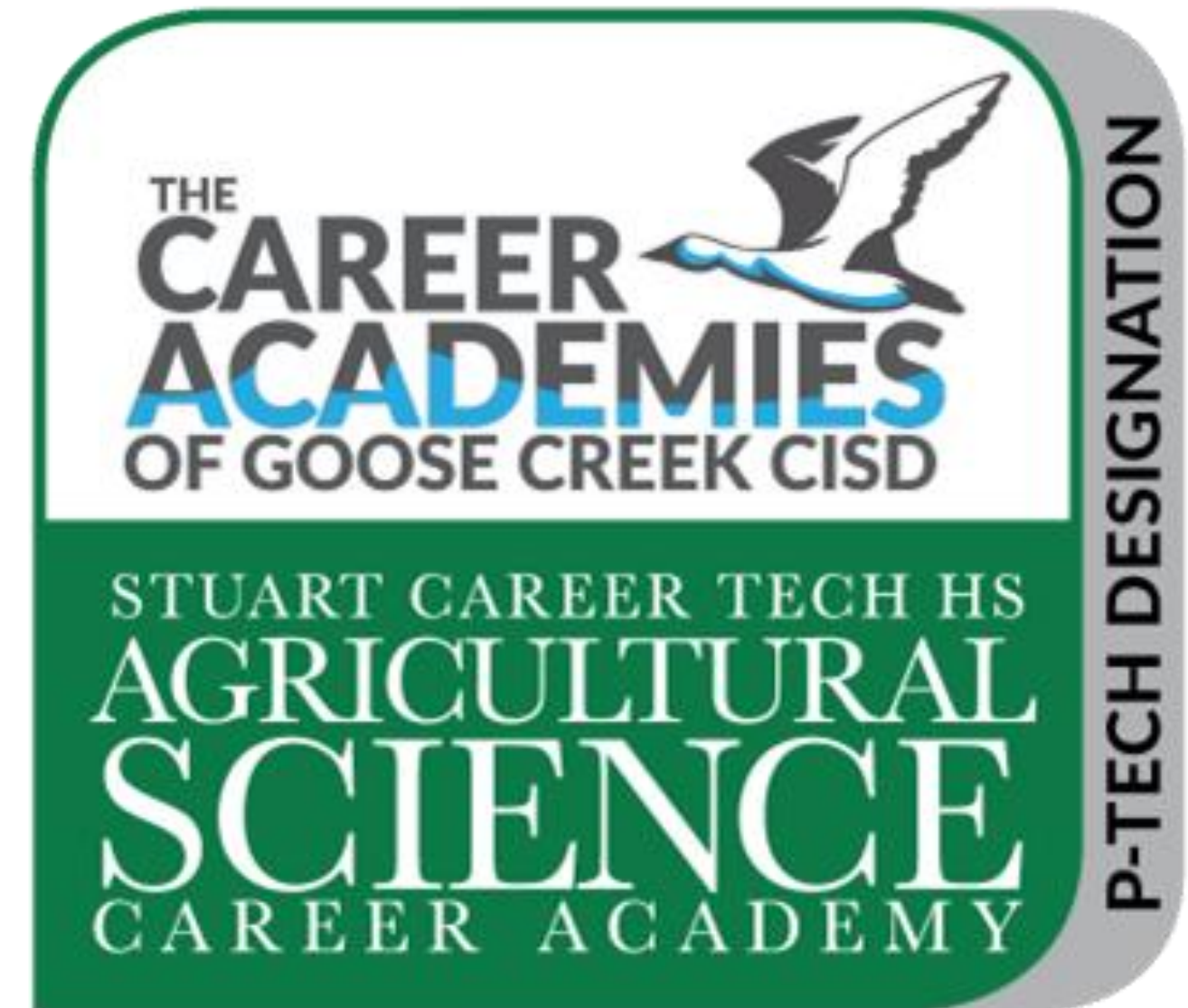
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ACADEMY MISSION:

The Agricultural Science Academy provides students with hands-on experiences, knowledge, and skills to prepare them for employment and post-secondary opportunities.

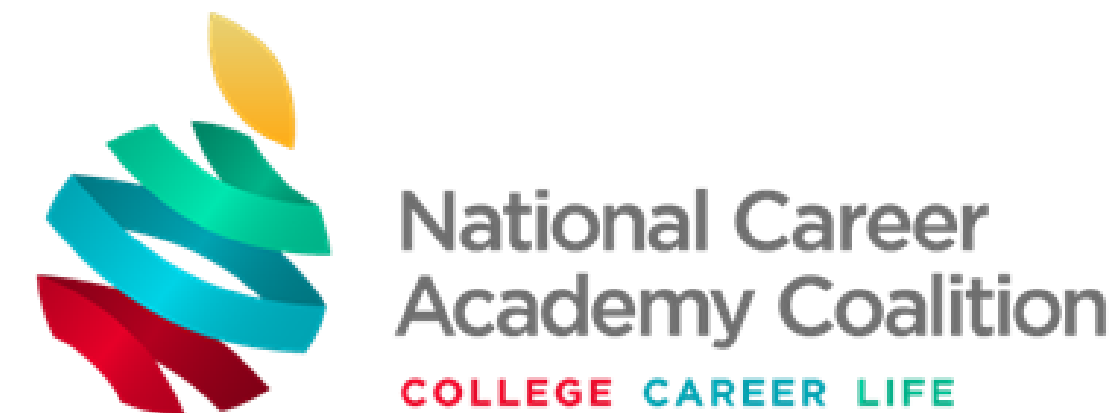
ACADEMY VISION:

We empower every student with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in a global agricultural industry.





National Standards of Practice



I. Defined Mission and Goals

The career academy has a written definition of its mission, goals, and benchmarks. These are developed by and available to the administrators, teachers, students, parents, advisory board, and others involved in the academy.

II. Academy Design

An academy has a well-defined design within the high school, reflecting its status as a small learning community.

III. Host Community and High School

Career academies exist in a variety of district and high school contexts, which are important determinants of an academy's success.

IV. Faculty and Staff

Appropriate staff selection, leadership, credentialing, and cooperation are critical to an academy's success.

V. Professional Development and Continuous Learning

Since an academy places teachers and other adults into roles not normally included in their previous training, providing adequate professional development time, leadership, and support is critical.

VI. Governance and Leadership

The academy has a governing structure that incorporates the explicit roles of all stakeholders and the leaders of the advisory board.

VII. Teaching and Learning

The teaching and learning within an academy meets or exceeds external standards and college entrance requirements while differing from a comprehensive high school by focusing learning around a theme.

VIII. Employer, Post Secondary Education, and Community Involvement

A career academy links high school to its host community and involves members of the employer, postsecondary education, and civic community in certain aspects of its operation.

IX. Student Assessment

Improvements in student performance are central to an academy's mission. It is important to gather data that reflect whether students are showing improvement and to report these accurately and fairly to maintain the academy's integrity.

X. Sustainability

No new academy functions perfectly. Even well established and highly functioning academies benefit from self-examination and refinement. Ensuring and improving the quality of a career academy requires engaging in a regular cycle of improvement.



AGENDA

01

Attendee Introductions

02

Review & Approve Minutes from February Meeting

03

Academy Educator Reports

04

Academy Student Reports

05

Administrative / Counseling Report

06

New Business – '25-'26 Academy Goal Review & '26-'27 Meeting Dates



Educator Reports



Alvaliz Jimenez



Donald Guillory



Kelly Mills



BLOOMING FLORISTS

01

Plant Science Department Updates

02

Greenhouse Committee

03

Titan Fest – Plant Sale Recap

04

Monarch Heroes



FFA CHAPTER

01

CDE Contests – 7 Active Teams – 2 State Qualifiers

02

Chapter FFA Banquet – Over 200 guests

03

Baytown Youth Fair – 22 Exhibitors

04

State FFA Convention - July

CDE TEAM RESULTS

MEATS – 2nd Area | 37th State

FLORAL – 4th Area | 3rd State

ENTOMOLOGY – 11th Area

VET SCIENCE – 29th Area

LIVESTOCK – 8th Area



INSTRUCTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

01

State Lone Star Degrees

02

District & Area FFA Conventions

03

2026-2027 AFNR Practicum Opportunities

04

Certified Veterinary Assistant Exam – 10 students

05

NBYAP Completion

06

Academy Recruitment





2026-2027 STUART FFA OFFICER TEAM

PRESIDENT – Ricky Harmon

VICE PRESIDENT – Evelyn Kipe

SECRETARY – Arianna Bloice

TREASURER – Iker Cazares

REPORTER – Maria Lohan

SENTINEL – Genesis Hernandez

STUDENT ADVISOR – Arianna Figueroa

PARLIAMENTARIAN – Kaitlyn Wieben

Academy Student Reports





Administrative / Counseling Report



Ms. Shonna Prentice - Principal
Mrs. Lisa Vavricka - Academic Dean
Mrs. Katherine Hull - Academy Counselor
Ms. Joi Green - Counselor
Ms. Ofelia Ferman - Lee College Dual Credit Advisor



New Business

01

Academy Goal Updates

- **Goal #1:** 100% of the Ag Science Academy Practicum Cohort will earn a TEA recognized Industry Based Certification by the end of the 25-26 SY.
 - All Seniors Earned Certification

Academy Goal Updates

- **Goal #2:** 85% of the Agricultural Science Academy students will become members of the SCTHS FFA Chapter by November 1, 2025.
 - Freshman: 76%
 - Sophomore: 56%
 - Juniors: 76%
 - Seniors: 61%

Academy Goal Updates

- **Goal #3:** 25% of SCTHS FFA members will participate in LDEs, CDEs, or SDEs by the end of the 25-26 school year.
 - LDEs: 22 participants
 - CDEs: 7 teams, 26 students attended Area FFA contest
 - SDEs: 3 students attempted speech competitions.

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Upcoming Events

- State FFA Convention July 6-10, 2026
- Chapter FFA Officer Retreat July 27-29, 2026
- 2026-2027 Advisory Board Meetings
 - September 23, 2026
 - November 11, 2026
 - February 17, 2027
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