

CHARTING SUCCESS TOGETHER

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Best Practices Webinars (BPW)

The Orange County Department of Education (OCDE) provides statewide leadership and support to advance high-quality educational programs that prepare students for college, career, and life success. Through the STACS initiative, OCDE supports California charter schools

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This CTE Best Practices Webinar (BPW) series is designed to address the unique needs, structures, and opportunities of charter schools across the state.

The Statewide Technical Assistance for Charter Schools (STACS) subgrant's purpose is to provide technical assistance to schools on best practices for increasing academic achievement in several areas. This series is for **Career & Technical Education.**

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Topics Covered

- CTE foundations
- High-quality CTE pathways
- CTE funding
- Industry partnerships and work-based learning
- Career counseling and student support systems
- Data and continuous improvement practices

BPW #1
CTE Foundations for Charter Schools
Thursday, Apr 9, 2026, 1:00-3:00 pm

BPW #2
SIS Coding & Pathway Documentation
Thursday, Jun 11, 2026, 1:00-2:30 pm

BPW #3
Funding Strategies: CTEIG & K–12 Strong Workforce
Thursday, Aug 20, 2026, 1:00-3:00 pm

BPW #4
Building Industry Partnerships & Advisory Committees
Thursday, Sep 24, 2026, 1:00-2:30 pm

BPW #5
Work-Based Learning Implementation
Thursday, Nov 5, 2026, 1:00-2:00 pm

BPW #6
Career Counseling & Student Support Systems
Thursday, Feb 4, 2027, 1:00-2:00 pm

BPW #7
Industry Certifications & Standards Alignment
Thursday, Mar 4, 2027, 1:00-2:00 pm

BPW #8
Data Systems & Continuous Improvement
Thursday, Jun 3, 2027, 1:00-2:00 pm

BPW #9
Sustainability & Network Expansion
Thursday, Sep 9, 2027, 1:00-2:00 pm