

Changing the Face of Career and Technical Education

Making decisions regarding your future doesn't have to be overwhelming. Whether it is going to college, learning a trade, or beginning a career right out of high school, Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs can provide you with real world, hands-on experience!

CTE combines both college preparation and on-the-job workforce skills into one customized program. Your school counselor can help you discover your career interests and help you achieve your long term career goals.

Prepares Students for HIGH PAYING, IN-DEMAND JOBS in Northwest Indiana.

Benefits of CTE for Students

- Gain a head start on a college education or long-term career
- Earn money or college credits while participating in an internship
- Qualify for college scholarships based on CTE enrollment
- After graduation, have the potential to receive an industry certification and be better prepared for college or a career
- 4.7 million new Career and Technical Education workers will be needed by 2018 in the United States





"CTE brought Math, English and my other courses into a different perspective. That re-approach made it easier for me to understand. It made me a better student, and a better machinist."

- Quentin Coulter, Machine Technologist

"Being a part of the CTE program was the best thing I could have done for myself in high school. It really makes a difference. A few months after graduating I got my job as a certified nursing assistant."

– Paige Collins, Home Health Aide





"Being a part of the culinary program has brought me to where I am today, getting offers from everywhere from high-end resorts to Walt Disney. Career and Technical Education really helped me find my passion in life."

- Cornelius Jemison, Chef de Cuisine

The Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) industries are booming! Currently, there are more jobs than people skilled enough to fill them. Through Career and Technical Education, students will have the opportunity to learn a variety of skills beyond the classroom in a STEM industry or other industries, including:

- Agriculture
- Business and Marketing
- Criminal Justice
- Culinary Arts
- Education
- Engineering and Technology
- Health Sciences
- Information Technology (IT)
- Manufacturing
- Trade and Industrial



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