

Questions

Subject Areas Covered by CTE

- Agricultural Education
- Business Education
- Family and Consumer Science Education
- Health Science Education
- Information Technology Education
- Marketing Education
- Skilled and Technical Sciences Education
- Technology and Engineering Education

CTE Career Pathways

CTE has over 60 Career Pathways within eight Areas of Study. A Pathway is a sequence of courses within a student's area of interest. A Pathway connects from high school to college, a specific degree and/or career.

Is CTE only for students that are not College-Bound?

- No. Career and Technical Education is essential for all students, providing them with a foundation of academic knowledge and essential technical skills. CTE courses and programs introduce students to career options and assist them in making informed education choices.

How is CTE Funded?

- CTE funding is based on a regular Weighted Pupil Unit (WPU).
- CTE funding is also supplemented with a federal appropriation through the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act.

Does CTE Work?

- Yes, Students who take two or more CTE courses are less likely to drop out of high school.
- High School CTE programs prepare students for the many high paying, high-tech jobs requiring less than a bachelor's degree.
- Students concentrating in CTE have test scores equal to those who are "College Prep" students.

Web Page for CTE information:
<http://appsharepoint.appomattox.k12.va.us/tp/cte>



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Appomattox County 2010-2011

Advisory Council Meeting October 28, 2010



Career and Technical Education (CTE) creates Pathways to success for every student by providing him or her with the technical skills and academic knowledge needed to prepare for future employment and/or a successful transition to post secondary education.

Goal for Tonight

Tonight's staff meeting will be very informal and we encourage all guests and staff to provide input and discussion on all topics. Our goal this year is to provide meaningful meetings that will enable our staff and administrators to increase the awareness of our great programs while providing the best Career and Technical Education for our students. With the CTE Committee's help and guidance, we hope to create the best CTE program in the state. We ask that all the advisory council members play an active role in our program and guide us from a community aspect.

Schedule

5:00 p.m.

- Welcome
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Prayer offered by Reverend Wes Williams (School Board Chairman)

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

- Dinner

6:00 p.m.

- School Board/ Administrators will depart for the SOL (Standards of Learning) recognition and Regularly Scheduled School Board Meeting.
- CTE members and Guests will report to Room 302, Mrs. Wilhoit's room.

6:15PM

- CTE meeting

Agenda

Introductions of Departments

This is a chance for each department to give a brief introduction of their programs and explain things they would like to implement.

Promoting our Program Ideas

- Active Bulletin Boards
- Introductions of classes to non-CTE classes
- New teacher orientation
- Reintroduce existing teachers to programs

How Do We Get Our Students Involved In the Community. (Committee members suggestions)

Class sizes (we have provided the guidance department regulations of class sizes)

New Copier in Ag Department

Certifications/Testing

Suggestions from Advisory Committee of new offerings and improvements that we can make to improve our programs.

Discussion of Funds

- List of each teacher's equipment requests provided.
- New Inventory Implementations

CTE Web Site

<http://appsharepoint.appomattox.k12.va.us/tp/cte>
(handouts of your log-ins are provided)
Have all advisory council access web page.

Community Members and Representations

Mr. John Spencer

Assistant County Administrator

Ms. Cynthia Smith/

Mr. Justin Young

Appomattox Health Care Center

Dr. Walter Krug

CVCC Director

Mr. Bobby Waddell

Appomattox County School Board

Ms. Barbara Bragg

CVCC

Mr. Peter Adgiebloski

CMC Rebar

Mr. Gary Booth

Southern Air

Mr. Todd Scout

Campbell County Cooperative