



CTE: Career and Technical Education



Eastern Alamance High School

EXPECT SUCCESS!

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Say good-bye to the course Teen Living and **Welcome**

the new and revised course **Principles of Family & Human Service.**

Students learn core functions of the human services field; individual, family, and community systems; and life literacy skills for human development. Emphasis is placed on professional skills, human ecology, diversity, analyzing community issues, and life management skills. Activities engage students in exploring various helping professions, while building essential life skills they can apply in their own lives to achieve optimal wellbeing.

Be sure to listen for upcoming CTE announcements in celebration of CTE month!!!



February is CTE Month!!!!

"Opportunities for Career Success" is the theme this year! This theme was created to give you the chance to tell stories of leadership and excellence from your local CTE programs and raise awareness of the crucial role that CTE plays in readying you for careers and our nation for economic success.

So what can you do?

Share your story! Find another student and share your experience in a CTE class!

Share your story! Meet with your CTE teacher and express your appreciation for skills learned and experiences embraced!

Share your story! During registration, talk with your Guidance Counselor and/or CDC about how CTE courses has influenced your college selection or career interest.

Share your story! Be an ambassador at your workplace by communicating effectively and demonstrating skills learned in CTE courses!

Share your story! Talk to your parents about the significant role CTE can play in your college and career readiness!

“Filling the nest” with credentials in CTE at EAHS !!!

Fall Results

Some CTE courses provide the opportunity to achieve a credential in the class. An education- and work-related credential can be defined as a verification of an individual's qualification or competence issued by a third party with the relevant authority to issue such credentials (U.S. Department of Labor, 2010). The term credential encompasses educational certificates, degrees, certifications, and government-issued licenses.

Credential	Students earned
ServSafe (Foods 2)	4
NCCER-Core & Sustainable	11
NCCER-Carpentry 1	13
NCCER- Carpentry 2	24
NCCER-Electrical Trades 1	11
NCCER-Electrical Trades 2	9
EverFi (Personal Finance)	25
Microsoft Word	15
Microsoft PowerPoint	15
Microsoft Excel	11
Microsoft Access	7



Registration time! What courses should I take?

At Eastern, we want every course to serve a purpose, including electives. As a matter of fact there are a certain number of electives *required* to graduate. *So why not choose electives that prepare you for college and career readiness?* CTE courses offer an avenue to explore potential careers as well as work ethic preparation and basic knowledge for college. The **first step** in choosing CTE courses is to identify career interest. This can be done through our Student program, Naviance, accessible on the Eastern Webpage. **Next**, identify a career cluster. There are 16 National Career Clusters and they can be found on the following website: <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/cte/>. Within the cluster, a pathway can be selected. Courses are listed to the right of the pathway which should guide course selection.

Sound complicated? Website confusing? Look like a foreign language?

If so, see Mrs., Johnson, the Career Development Coordinator in A1 or talk with a CTE teacher (Mr. Anderson (joining us soon!), Dr. Bell, Mr. Brumble, Mr. Clapp, Mrs. Holshouser, Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Mercs, Mr. Scarlett, Mr. Smith and Mr. Stewart).



Did you know.....

Nationwide, Career Technical Education (CTE) programs are changing, evolving and innovating to better serve the country's needs. CTE is preparing students of all ages to help drive America's success and vitality. Further, it is creating an educational environment that *integrates core academics with real-world relevance*.

CTE is leading this change, transforming expectations and making a difference for students, for secondary and postsecondary schools, for businesses and industry—for America.

<http://careertech.org/>



CTE Internship=Work Based Learning

If you are a rising junior or senior, consider registering for the CTE Internship. This course allows you learn on the job! It is a great opportunity to put **learned knowledge from CTE courses to practice, earn a credit toward graduation, leave school early and make workable connections** with the local workforce. See Mrs. Johnson in A1 if you are interested .

Always something going on in Carpentry and Electrical!!!



Why CTE? *Because.....*

- ⇒ It ensures that the United States leads in global competitiveness.
- ⇒ It partners with employers to design and provide high quality, dynamic programs.
- ⇒ It is delivered through comprehensive programs aligned to The National Career Clusters Framework.
- ⇒ It is a results-driven system that demonstrates a positive return on investment.

<http://careertech.org/cte-vision>



Upcoming events for CTE students and teachers.....

- Sergeant Geck is planning to have a table set up in the cafeteria during all four lunches 2/9
- Open houses at local businesses for the CAP Apprenticeship: 2/6, 2/13, 2/20 and 2/27.
- Face to Face at Eastern 2/15
- CTE teachers will be visiting Universal Forest Products Inc as part of professional Development 2/16.
- Students in the BauHow Housing Project with Mr. Brumble will be going on a field trip to North Carolina State University 3/8
- 8th grade Career Fair at Woodlawn 3/11