

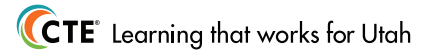
# Career and Technical Education

## Washington School District

Southwest Region

## 2021-2022 AT-A-GLANCE

Career and Technical Education provides all students access to high-quality, rigorous career-focused programs that result in attainment of credentials with labor market value.



# 11,073

Students enrolled in CTE courses

# 96.4%

Graduation rate for students who are CTE concentrators

# 99.4%

Graduation rate for students who are CTE completers

Compared to the Washington School District graduation rate of

# 93%



# 96.4%

of CTE concentrators graduate in 4 years.

Asian	100%
Black	100%
Caucasian	97%
Native American	94.7%
Students from low-income families	94%
Pacific Islander	92.6%
Hispanic	92.5%
Students w/ disabilities	88.8%

# 40%\*

of students concentrated in a CTE Career Pathway. A concentrator is a student who has completed specific requirements in a single CTE program of study.

# 11%\*

of students completed a CTE Career Pathway. A completer is a student who has completed specific course requirements and earned 3.0 credits in a single CTE program of study.

\* Perkins V strengthens the requirements for a student to become a concentrator and completer. Percentages have decreased over prior years as a result of the new Perkins V definitions.



# 66.8%

of students who concentrated in a CTE Pathway placed in postsecondary education, advanced training, military service, or employment.

(October 1-December 31, 2020-2021)



## CREDENTIALS OF VALUE

PORTABLE. STACKABLE. TRANSFERABLE. THIRD-PARTY. DRIVEN BY EMPLOYERS.

# 7,284

CTE Skill Certifications earned



Skill Certifications are aligned with standards and objectives set by the state of Utah. Certifications are earned based on students' knowledge and performance.

# 3,210

Third-Party\*\* certifications earned

### TOP CERTIFICATIONS:

Food Handlers Permit  
 Adobe: Illustrator  
 ProStart@ 2  
 Adobe: Visual Communication (Photoshop)  
 Emergency Medical Responder  
 TestOut PC Pro



\*\* business, trade association, or other industry group.

## Top Pathways

Students completing a CTE Career Pathway are recognized by the state of Utah and their high school by receiving a CTE Secondary Pathway Completer Recognition Award.

### CTE Career Pathways with the Highest Completer Rates

- Business Information Management
- Food Science, Dietetics & Nutrition
- Graphic Design & Communication
- Health Science
- Auto Mechanics & Repairs
- Plant Science
- Welding & Machining
- Manufacturing & Production
- Broadcasting & Digital Media

### Work-Based Learning (WBL)

is an instructional strategy that prepares students for success in careers through direct involvement with business/ industry and community professionals.



### Work-Based Learning

#### Benefits to students participating in WBL:

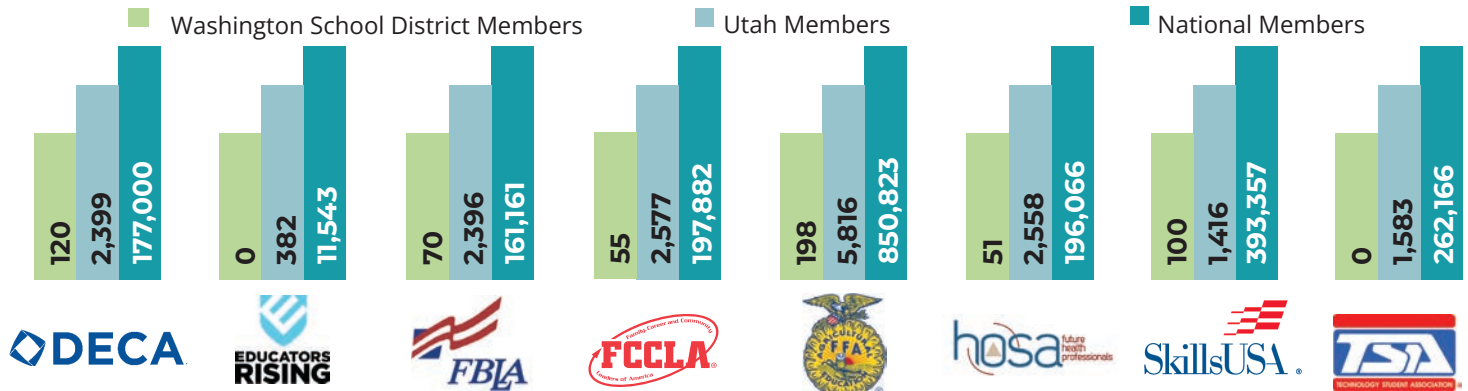
- Awareness of career options and skills required.
- Development of technical knowledge and skills.
- Practical application of academic, technical knowledge, and skills.
- Demonstration of workplace skills.

**Utah WBL K-12 includes** guest speakers, career fairs, job shadows, field studies, school-based enterprises, internships, and apprenticeships.



# 594

students are members of a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO).



Students who participate in school organizations in 10th grade have higher grade point averages and are more likely to be enrolled in college at 21 years of age than other students (ctsos.org).

# 2,692

 students participated in

## College & Career Awareness

College and Career Awareness is a middle school course designed to increase awareness of college and career pathways. Students explore high school, college, and career options based on individual **interests**, **abilities**, and **skills**. Students investigate high-skill and/or in-demand jobs in the Utah labor market, while developing workplace skills.

Utah CTE classes are open to all qualified students without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age.

# 5,198

CTE Concurrent Enrollment (CE) credits earned

Students have opportunities to earn CE credits in CTE courses. CE provides prepared high school students with a challenging and rigorous college-level experience. Students in the program receive both college and high school credit.

