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February is Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) Month

JONESBORO - February is Career, Technical, & Agricultural Education (CTAE) Month! Each week, the Clayton County Public Schools CTAE Department will feature five (5) CTAE pathways! This week's featured pathways are:

- Audio/Video Technology and Film
- Computer Science
- Culinary Arts
- Flight Operations
- Barbering & Cosmetology

Pathways, or pathway courses, offer students the opportunity to gain knowledge and skills in a specific career area, preparing them for future success! *The information below/attached will provide a snapshot of the pathway courses in the program, possible careers and salaries!*

CTAE Month is a celebration of the achievements and accomplishments of CTAE within Clayton County Public Schools. Middle schools and high schools have scheduled career days, guest speakers, announcements, presentations, events, visioning trips and other activities to advocate and increase awareness of CTAE programs.

It's important to note that 96% of CTAE concentrator students graduate high school! CTAE is good for students, good for businesses, and good for communities.

Audio-Video Technology & Film Pathway

① Audio-Video Technology and Film I
② Audio-Video Technology and Film II
③ Audio-Video Technology and Film III

Courses ①-②-③-Pathway Completer

Attain Industry Recognized Credentials

Enroll & Earn College Credit

Gain Real-World Experiences

POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Director/Producer	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$79,000
Writer	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$69,000
AV Technician	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$48,800

Salaries are for general information only. The figures represent averages from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Ziprecruiter or salary.com.

Computer Science Pathway

① Introduction to Digital Technology
② Computer Science Principles
③ AP Computer Science

Courses ①-②-③-Pathway Completer

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POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Technology Innovation Officer	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$162,300
Process Efficiency (Management Analyst)	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$93,000
Computer/Information Systems Manager	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$159,000

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Culinary Arts Pathway

① Introduction to Culinary Arts
② Culinary Arts I
③ Culinary Arts II

Courses ①+②+③=Pathway Completer

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POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Dietitians and Nutritionists	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$61,500
Restaurant Chef & Owner	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$82,951
Convention Caterer	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$82,261

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Flight Operations Pathway & Unmanned Aircraft Systems

① Fundamentals of Aerospace
② Flight Operations I
③ Flight Operations II or Unmanned Aircraft Systems

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POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Flight Operations Specialist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$58,360
Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) Pilot (from Industry)	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$69,107
Aircraft Navigation Operator	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$57,239

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Barbering & Cosmetology Pathways

Barbering Pathway
① Introduction to Personal Care
② Barbering II
③ Barbering III

Cosmetology Pathway
① Introduction to Personal Care
② Cosmetology Services II
③ Cosmetology Services III

Courses ①+②+③=Pathway Completer



BARBERING - POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Barber	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$35,700
Manager	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$42,433
Barber Shop Owner	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$54,900

COSMETOLOGY - POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Personal Care Stylist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$35,600
Performance & Theatrical Make-Up Artist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$124,000
Celebrity Stylist & Make-Up Artist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION	\$85,930

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If you would like more information on these pathways, please use the QR code below and complete the questionnaire!



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About Clayton County Public Schools: Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is fully accredited by Cognia. The district offers a focused world-class program based on a challenging curriculum which is taught from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Serving over 50,000 students, Clayton County Public Schools is ranked among the 100 largest school districts in the U.S. and is the sixth-largest school system in Georgia.

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