



EDUCATION & TRAINING

If you want to have a lifelong impact on others, then you will want to take a close look at the Education and Training Career Cluster. This family of classes and practical experiences develops the art of teaching, planning and administration in schools, colleges, technical institutes and businesses. Education is one of the basic rights of children in America, and states always need qualified teachers. This cluster is organized into three career pathways: Administration & Administrative Support, Professional Support Services, and Teaching & Training.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSES OFFERED

EXPLORATORY

- Family Health
- Child Development & Education
- Education & Training Cooperative Worksite Learning

PREPARATORY

- Careers in Education
- American Sign Language

WORKBASE LEARNING

Work Experience Opportunities

CTE students in many cases can pursue what is called a "work-based learning" opportunity or an internship involving a job outside of school. "Work-based learning" experiences are always paid and earn high school credit. Internships are typically paid but do not earn academic credit. Individual schools and CTE teachers work with local employers to arrange these opportunities for their students, so your local CTE or career office is the best source of information for what your own school offers.

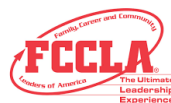
Washington State Family, Career and Community Leaders of America

Travel with friends to events and competitions; practice and test your skills in local, state and national competition; and learn how to lead. These are the benefits to the students served by FCCLA. Their career interests are in education, food, hospitality, interior decorating, and textiles (sewing, fashion). FCCLA focuses on the roles of family member, wage earner and community leader.

Members develop skills for life including:

- Character development
- Creative and critical thinking
- Interpersonal communication

More information is contained on the [Student Leadership Organizations](#).



ALIGNED TO INDUSTRY

OCCUPATIONS	MEDIAN WAGE	ANNUAL OPENINGS	% Growth
Child Care Worker	\$33,898	4850	21.5%
Teacher Assistant/ParaEducator	\$39,461	10090	18.3%
Pre-School Teacher	\$34,801	5072	29.8%
Secondary Teachers	\$78,220	3393	16.4%
Administrator	\$125,2343	1388	18.7%
ASL Interpreter	\$55,270	280	28.5%

POST SECONDARY OPTIONS

High school/Certificate	Cert/License	Associates Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Masters/Doctoral	Schools w/ programs
Child Care Basics	Initial ECE Certification				Bates, Clark, LCC, CBC, GRC, GHC, ECC, RTC, Bellevue, BBCC, TCC, Highline, Centralia, LWlofT, NSC, SFCC
First Aid/CPR	Short ECE Certification				
Precision Exams	ECE Cert				
Food Handlers	Certified Interpreters				
		Para-educator	Early Learning Coach K-12 Educator Social Worker ASL Interpreter		Clark, LCC, WSUV, UW, EWU, CWU, GCU, U of Phoenix, Heritage U, PLU, SU, WOSU, MHCC
				ECE College Professor School Social Worker	WSUV, PSU, UW, Seattle U, Walla Walla U, EWU

Additional industry-based certification information is available from the OSPI website.



EXAMPLE COURSE PLAN • 4 YEAR COLLEGE / UNIVERSITY

Subject/Credit	HS Credit earned in MS	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
English/4		Pre-AP Freshman English	Pre-AP Sophomore English	AP Language	AP Literature
Math/3	Algebra	Geometry	Algebra 2	Pre-Calculus	AP Calculus
Social Studies/3			AP World History	AP US History	AP Government
Lab Science/3		AP Environmental Science	Biology	Chemistry	
CTE/1				Child Development & Ed	
PE & Health/2		Family Health Foundations of PE			Team Sports Weight Training
Art/1		Concert Choir	Treble Choir		
PPR or Electives/7		ASL 1	ASL 2	ASL 3	Careers in Ed ASL 4



EXAMPLE COURSE PLAN • 2 YEAR COLLEGE / TECH

Subject/Credit	HS Credit earned in MS	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
English/4		Pre-AP Freshman English	Pre-AP Sophomore English	AP Language	AP Literature
Math/3		Algebra	Geometry	Algebra 2	Personal Finance
Social Studies/3			World History	US History	CWP Civics
Lab Science/3		AP Environmental Science	Biology	Chemistry	
CTE/1				Child Development & Ed	
PE & Health/2		Family Health Foundations of PE	Team Sports Weight Training		
Art/1		Acting			Panther Players/Advanced Acting
PPR or Electives/7		ASL 1	ASL 2	ASL 3	ASL 4 Careers in Ed

NOTE: These are just two of many options for course planning. Need help; see your counselor or career specialist today.