

SCCOE CTE Team Monthly Newsletter

January Edition

January 2022 Newsletter

The Santa Clara County Office of Education CTE Team is dedicated to providing important CTE and College and Career updates to our community through our monthly SCCOE CTE Team Newsletter. We look forward to building and improving communication with the goal of creating equitable access to high quality CTE pathways and College and Career transitions for all our students throughout Santa Clara County.



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A Note From the CTE Coordinator

Happy New Year to all our CTE colleagues, teachers, students, and community! We hope you had a fantastic start to the new year. With the surge of Omicron, we also recognize the incredible work you all do despite the challenges of this ongoing pandemic. We hope that this edition will help support your ongoing support and work with all things CTE.



CTE Teacher and Connector Community of Practice

ICT Sector Week was a Success!!

Thank you to all who participated in our successful ICT Sector week. With over 400 registrations, we know that your support and encouragement helped students participate in this great event. We are excited in the planning and partnership with Earn & Learn for our Health Sector week scheduled for May 2022. Stay tuned for updated information.

CTE Teacher and Connector Community of Practice

Happy New Year, CTE teachers and Connectors!

Thanks to all who attended and made December's **Information and Communication Technologies** sector week such a success! Recordings of those sessions will be sent out soon.

We look forward to seeing you at the January 10th **CTE Teacher and Connector Community of Practice!** We have so much to share and talk about. The CoP meeting is from 3:30-4:30 PM

At this meeting you will:

- Connect with colleagues from across the County and share challenges and best practices.
- Get acquainted with the free services of Earn & Learn and PilotCity that are available to help you provide innovative and life-changing career exploration and work-based learning experiences to your students.
- Help shape events and opportunities to impact more students.
- Have a chance to share your support needs, so the Santa Clara County Office of Education can provide you with the best services possible.

Click here for the CTE CoP Zoom Link

Community of Practice Open to Santa Clara County CTE teachers and Connectors

Collaborator of the Month

Spotlight on LinkedField for a few reasons: 1 they represent a digital age project management firm within the construction sector; 2 they brought a creative voice and perspective to our ICT sector week event, with a cross-sector angle; and 3 they are looking to a future in construction when unpopular and physically taxing work is performed using tech tools that reorient rather than replace workers. Thanks to Kevin Cheng, Co-Founder and CEO, for his generous participation during ICT Week and his modeling the entrepreneurial spirit and skill set. <https://www.linkedfield.com/>



Work Based Learning Resources

Please explore these links to get a sense of the programs and tools available to you through two of our key partners:

[Work-Based Learning Toolset](#)

[PilotCity](#) Using projects, connected to real world workplace challenges, to earn internships!

Additional tools to support your WBL practice:

[WBL Continuum](#)

[The Earn & Learn Toolset](#)

[Sample Connector Job Description](#)

[High-Quality CTE - 11 Elements](#)

[Model Standards, Sector and Pathway Docs](#)

[Labor Market Research and Community College Crosswalks](#)

[California Career Zone](#)

[O*Net Online](#)

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Coffee Chat January 11, 2022 10AM-11AM

All counselors, career and college specialists, CTE administrators and faculty invited to participate. This month we will have two interactive presentations: 1. Green careers and Sustainability in the Ag, Food and Land Management sectors. 2. Health careers in the Bay Area available to high school grads, one year of college, two years of college and 4 years of college. Look forward to seeing you. Bring your own coffee :)

Click on the tab below to join!

Coffee Chat Zoom Link

Supporting your middle school student with Career Exploration— A workshop for Parents. February 26, 2022, 6:30-7:30 PM



This is a great opportunity for parents to see how they can help their students explore career interests. We will introduce parents to the concepts of middle school career exploration including passions, strengths and values. We will walk them through Road Trip Nation as an early exploration tool. Middle School admin and counselors are also welcome to join us.

Click on this link to register for the workshop



The banner features the Cañada College logo on the left. The main text reads: "ONLINE EVENT REGISTER TODAY: blackbrownsummit.eventbrite.com" with a red video camera icon. Below this is the title "Black & Brown Career Excellence Summit". The central image shows a diverse group of young adults standing together. On the left, the schedule is listed: "Thursday, February 24, 2022 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m." and "Friday, February 25, 2022 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.", accompanied by a small icon of a computer monitor with four people. A text box at the bottom right states: "Participants will engage with employers, learn about pathways to internships, and be introduced to jobs that are available now."

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to the first
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Learning and Leading for Equity

On Saturday, January 22, the SCCOE is offering an online Collaborative Convening focused on **Learning and Leading for Equity**. Use [THIS LINK](#) to learn more!

Don't miss out on this exciting collaborative event from the Santa Clara County Office of Education!



Educating for Careers

Returning to Instruction in a New World

Don't Miss the Early Bird Registration!

[The Educating for Careers Conference](#) is an annual three-day professional development event surrounding career technical education (CTE). A variety of delivery systems, strategies, and Industry Sectors throughout the CTE system are represented in the more than 200 sessions offered over the course of this three-day conference. Technical assistance is also provided by several of the delivery systems through a variety of methods during the conference.

Even though education continues to face challenges across the nation, professional development continues to be an important strategy. All stakeholders understand the importance of continuing to improve classroom instruction and that student achievement is critical for our success as a nation. Therefore, the overarching goal of this conference is to offer high-quality, cost-effective professional development for all stakeholders with broad general breakout session themes such as: Assessment & Accountability; California Partnership Academies Model; Career Pathways/Industry Sectors; Curriculum & Instructional Strategies; Employer & Community Partnerships; Mentor & Internship Programs; Middle School Connections; Perkins Policy & Programs; Secondary-Postsecondary Connections; and Work-Based Learning

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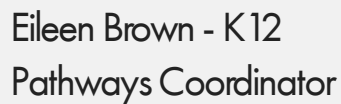


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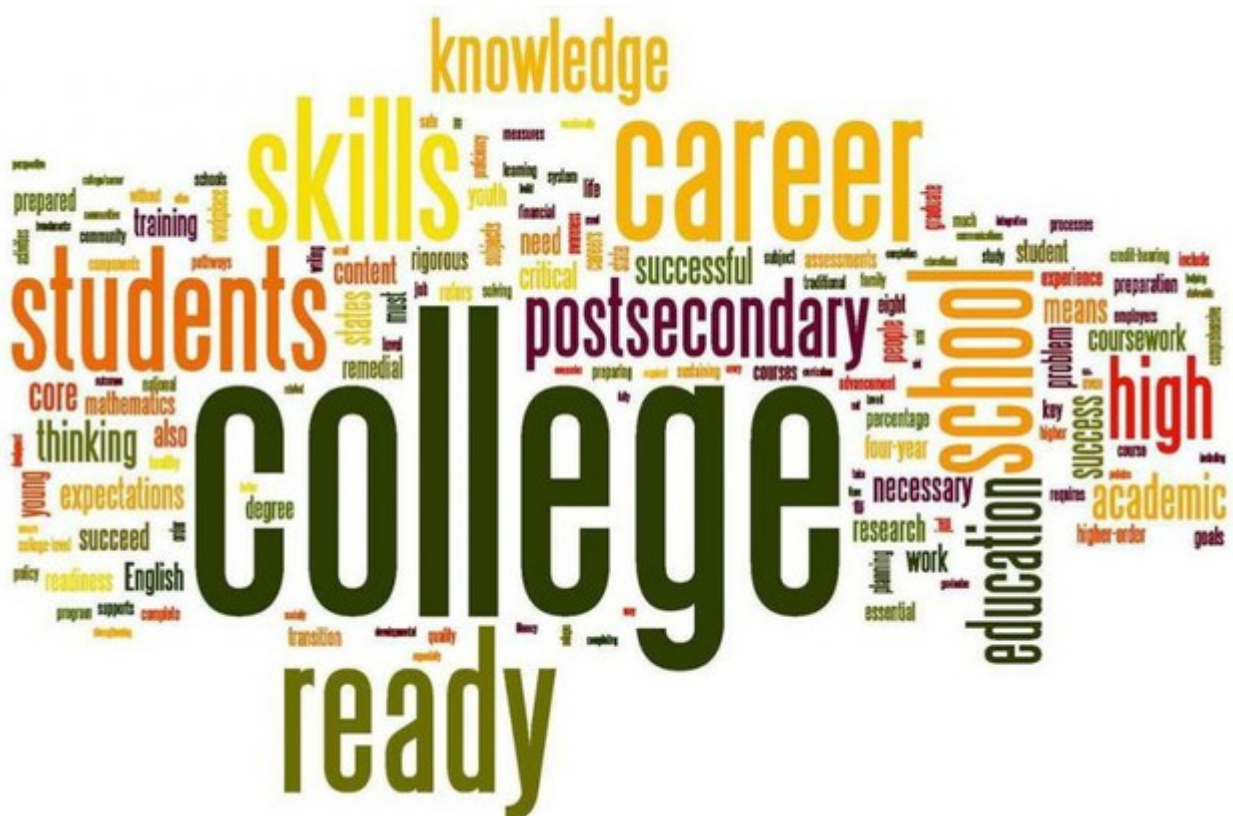
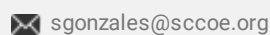


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