Welcome Class of 2024!

Welcome to the Class of 2024 from the Center for Career & Technical Education (CTE).

To learn more about yourself, your options, and CTE, we invite you and your parents to attend our Career Awareness Night (date TBD).

Though you may have attended a similar program in December 2019, it is worth attending again as you continue to explore your options.

Why Choose CTE?

Pinkerton CTE has more dual and concurrent course offerings than any other institution in N.H. and one of the largest selections of alternative Technology and Math-focused courses.

81% of our 2016 Pinkerton CTE graduate survey respondents felt their CTE experience prepared them to succeed in their current educational studies.

89% of parents think students should receive more education about career choices while in high school.

About half of all CTE learners are enrolled in programs in leading fields such as Healthcare, STEM, and Information Technology.

91% of 2017 CTE graduate survey respondents said they planned to pursue colleges related to their CTE courses of study.

When can I register for CTE Programs?

Your opportunity to register for CTE programs will be in January 2021. Since enrollment is very limited, students need to request courses through Aspen as well as the CTE registration form that will be distributed during Period A. For more information students are encouraged to stop by the CTE office in the Low building or visit our website today! (www.pinkertonacademy.org/cte)
Think Non-Traditional!

A non-traditional occupation is an occupation in which 75% or more of the persons in that field are of the same gender.

The best reasons for considering non-traditional career choices are simple and direct:

- Increased pay and wider choice of career options
- Non-traditional occupations for women will earn 150% more over a lifetime of work than a traditional occupation for women
- Students are encouraged regardless of gender to follow their dreams and utilize their interests and skills

Career Awareness Night

CTE holds a program fair for all students during lunches to learn more about course opportunities to enhance their career choices.

Traditionally on that same evening we have our **Career Awareness Night** for parents and students in the Stockbridge Theatre. Students can engage in activities during the program fair portion of the evening from 5:30-6:15. Following the fair, staff and upper class students will describe high school and career planning choices and resources during the Career Awareness Presentation for parents and students from 6:30-7:15.

*Due to the unknown scheduling of this school year, the date of this event is TBD at this time.*

Career Cluster System

The Center for Career & Technical Education has adopted the Career Clusters model developed through the National Career Clusters initiative. This chart depicts the Career Focused programs Pinkerton CTE offers. Besides the Career Focused offerings, CTE has a large selection of Discovery Electives from which to choose.

Career clusters identify pathways from secondary school to two and four year colleges, graduate school and the workplace, so students can learn in school what they can do in the future.

For more information about the clusters, visit our website at: [www.pinkertonacademy.org/cte](http://www.pinkertonacademy.org/cte)

Annual CTE Events:

**September:**
- Open House
- Construction Career Days

**November:**
- Tech Women / Tech Girls

**December:**
- CTE Fair
- Career Awareness Night

**March:**
- Girls in Technology Day

* * Due to COVID-19 and planning, timelines are all subject to change * *

Be sure to like and follow us on these accounts to stay up-to-date with upcoming events throughout the year!!

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