

Centers of Excellence

A MESSAGE TO PARENTS

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Your student will have the chance to explore and be ready for success in college or in the workplace after completion of a two-year degree or career certificate.

Open the door to your student's future.

The Center of Excellence programs offered by your student's high school allow them to complete high school graduation requirements while earning college credit or the skills needed for certifications or entry-level positions in the workforce.

High school is the time your student will figure out who they are and what they want to do with their life after high school. It's important they take the right courses to prepare them for their education and career goals. The choices they make now open doors to their future. You can help them make the best choice with a Center of Excellence program.

As a student at a Career Education Consortium high school, your student has the opportunity to attend a **Center of Excellence career-preparatory program** at Herndon Career Center or Summit Technology Academy to build academic and occupation-specific skills.



PROGRAMS

Most of the following programs offer college credit or preparation for industry certifications. Your student will have the chance to explore and be ready for success in college or in the workplace after completion of a two- or four-year degree or career certificate. We've arranged the programs according to the Missouri Connections career pathways to help in discussion and exploration.

Art & Communications

Advertising and Display Art or Digital Media Technology

Industrial & Engineering Technology

Automotive Technology, Auto Collision & Repair, Cyber Security, Digital Electronics/Computer Intergrated Manufacturing (PLTW), Construction Technology, Engineering Design & Development (PLTW), Welding/Metal Fabrication, Diesel, Industrial & Agricultural Mechanics or Internship in STEM Careers

Health Sciences

Medical Intervention-Biomedical Innovation (PLTW), Foundations of Nursing, Pre-Professional Nursing or Pre-Allied Health Academy

Human Services

Culinary Arts, Cosmetology, Early Childhood Education, Pre-Professional Education Cadet or Law Enforcement-Police Science

Business Management & Technology

Summit International Studies Academy, Software Development or Network Engineering I & II

After a Center of Excellence program, your student can transfer to one of MCC's degree or certificate programs to continue their education. Our programs blend classroom instruction with hands-on labs to build skills needed in the workplace. You can view MCC's Career and Technical Education programs at chooseyourcareerpath.com.

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GET STARTED

Take some time to talk with your student about the programs offered. Watch the videos and use the other information and resources in this site to help your student make this decision.

You can contact your student's counseling office to find out if they are qualified for one of these programs