



Education Program Guide

Education is a career field that includes education of both private and public education students for grades K-12. Areas of expertise include mathematics, language arts, science, social studies, fine arts, and all areas of Career, Technical and Agriculture Education. The Muscogee County School District and Columbus State University share a partnership, which includes an agreement by MCSD to offer employment to all Education graduates from CSU.



Start In High School. Follow *Your* Perfect Path.

High Schools

By participating in high school CTAE programs, students can create opportunities to continue their studies in college, pursue an entry-level job, or serve in a related field in the military. (See back for a full list of programs.)

FCCLA

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) is the Career & Technical Student Organization (CTSO) that gives students an opportunity to participate in career-related competitions across the state and nation, and gain leadership experience, such as three hours college credit to Georgia colleges.

Certifications

After completing a CTAE pathway, students prepare for certification exams, at CTAE expense, that may qualify them for entry-level jobs and/or college credit.

Work-Based Learning

Students have the opportunity to be released early from school to work in positions related to their CTAE pathways.

Direct-to-Work

Rigorous high school programs prepare students for early childhood education careers upon graduation.



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Sample Entry-Level Positions

Public Elementary, Middle or High School Teacher	\$40,367
Private Elementary, Middle or High School Teacher	\$21,512
Paraprofessional	\$28,000

Data source for the above information: www.salary.com

Desired Aptitudes & Skills

- Creativity
- Resilience and adaptability
- Technical proficiency
- Organizational skills
- Communication

MCSO Education Programs

Teaching As A Profession: In this program, students prepare a portfolio of their developed teaching skills and lesson plans that have been presented to students in elementary and/or middle grades. Upon successful completion of the program, students may earn three hours of college credit in the area of Education at Columbus State University. (*Hardaway, Jordan, Kendrick, Northside, Shaw*)



For more information, contact your school counselor, CTAE Supervisor, or visit the Muscogee County CTAE website by scanning the QR code on this document.



Non-discrimination statement

The MCSO CTAE Department does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex (including pregnancy and related conditions), religion, national origin, age, military status, disability, or any other legally protected status in its educational programs and activities, and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups as appropriate. Lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation. Equity coordinators are available to address allegations of discrimination. For additional information or referral to the appropriate system coordinator, contact Victoria Thomas, CTAE Director, at 2960 Macon Road, Columbus, Georgia 31906; 706-748-2094.