



Human Services Program Guide

The Human Services program prepares individuals for employment activities related to family and human needs such as nutrition and food science, counseling and mental health services, family and community services, personal care, and consumer services.



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 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.

Certifications

After completing a CTAE pathway, students prepare for Servesafe, NOCTI, SkillsUSA, and state licensure 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 human services careers upon graduation.



Sample Entry-Level Positions

Hairdressers, Hairstylists, & Barbers	\$27,713
Estheticians; Skin Care Specialists	\$30,710
Nail Care Technicians	\$28,159
Massage Therapists	\$34,429
Food Service Managers	\$43,400
Dietitians-Nutritionists	\$49,000
Food Scientists & Technologists	\$48,000

Data source for the above information: GDL Labor Market Explorer

Desired Aptitudes & Skills

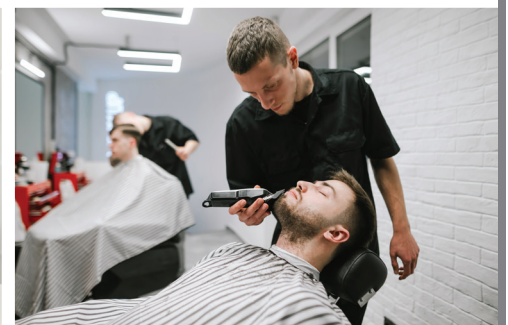
- Building Interpersonal Relationships
- Thinking Creatively
- Problem Solving
- Communication
- Performing Physical Tasks

MCSO Human Services Programs

Nutrition and Food Science: This program is centered on healthy food and lifestyle choices. Students will investigate the interrelationship of food, nutrition and wellness to promote good health. It provides basic knowledge of human growth and development as well as skills necessary for lifelong development, health and safety, CPR/first aid and nutrition. This course also provides information and activities for guiding behavior and meeting the needs of special age groups. *(Carver, Northside)*

Personal Care Services-Barbering: This program introduces applications within professions related to barbering services, such as cutting, trimming, shampooing, and styling hair, trimming beards, or giving shaves. *(Kendrick)*

Personal Care Services-Cosmetology: This program introduces applications within professions related to beauty services, such as shampooing, cutting, coloring, and styling hair, and massaging and treating scalp. May apply makeup, dress wigs, perform hair removal, and provide nail and skin care services. *(Kendrick, Spencer)*



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



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