***The Nassau County School District*** 

***Career and Technical Education***

***Your Future Starts Here – Unlock Your Potential***

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It’s Career & Technical Education Month and we are celebrating opportunities offered to students as they become FUTURE READY!

Do you want your student to learn about **real-world, hands-on career** experiences? With **22 career programs** across various campuses to choose from, there are a variety of pathways leading to high-wage potential, many of which are now designated as Space Florida Space Academies.

Students participate in electrical pre-apprenticeships, learn Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) skills, use code to design web pages and learn cybersecurity, discover sustainable farming techniques, understand how to manage their own business in Entrepreneurship, and more!

And our students are excelling. Aviation students earned their pilot licenses and business students competed, again, in both FBLA State and National Competitions. More than 80% of our Entrepreneurial students and 100% of our Certified Nursing Assistant students achieved credentials. Aerospace Technologies also boasted a 100% pass rate for the private pilot license. Overall, **CTE students in Nassau County earned 1,061 industry certifications within high-demand careers last year.**

No matter the career, students are prepared for immediate employment, apprenticeships, or other post-secondary options as they develop confidence, leadership, and career skills.

Our celebration of CTE Month continues throughout February. CTE Showcases will be offered at each high school and include available career pathways. Learn about these opportunities and more by following us on <https://www.facebook.com/NassauCareerEd>or our website at [www.nassaucte.com.](http://www.nassaucte.com/)

Unlock Your Potential,

Tammy Johnson

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