# **Work-Based Learning** Experiences for Students







#### KANSAS WORK-BASED LEARNING DEFINITION

Work-Based Learning (WBL) includes a continuum of awareness, exploration, and preparation that combines an individual's career goals, structured learning, and authentic work experiences implemented through a sustained partnership with Kansas business/industry. Work-Based Learning activities with industry or community professionals culminate in a validation and measurement of acquired knowledge, skills and possible employment.











# CAREED STUDENTS CONNECT THEIR INTERESTS, SKILLS AND GOALS WITH CAREER POSSIBILITIES.

Career fair

Field trip

Tour

(business/industry/community)

Youth registered apprenticeship

Simulated work-based experience

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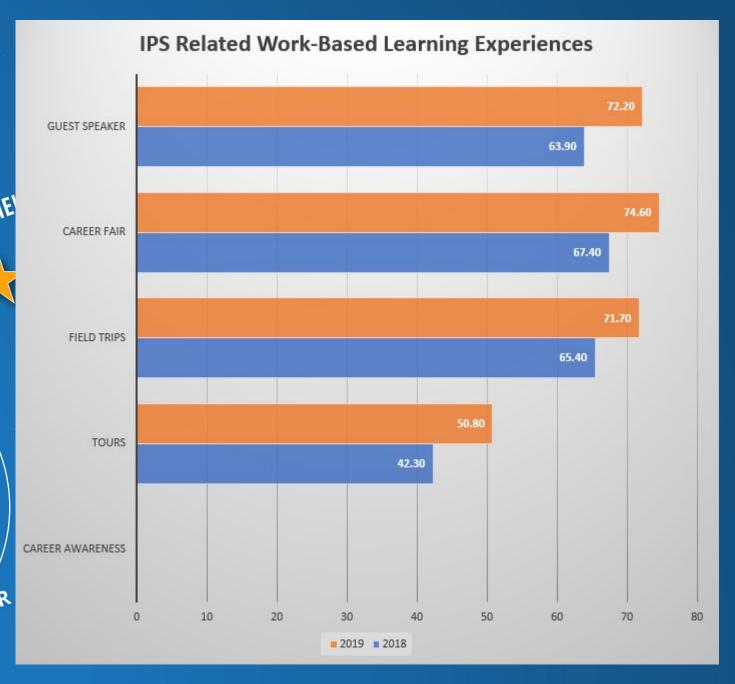
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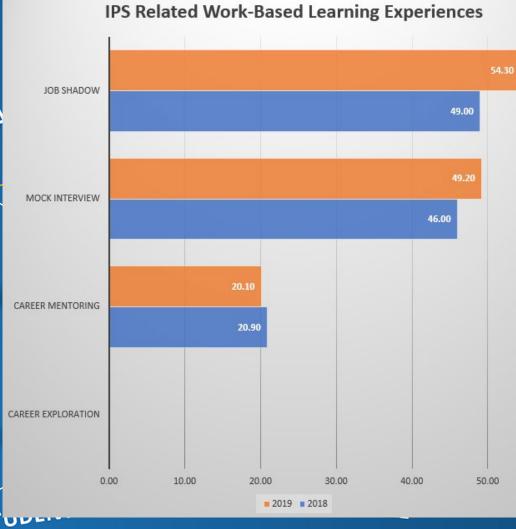


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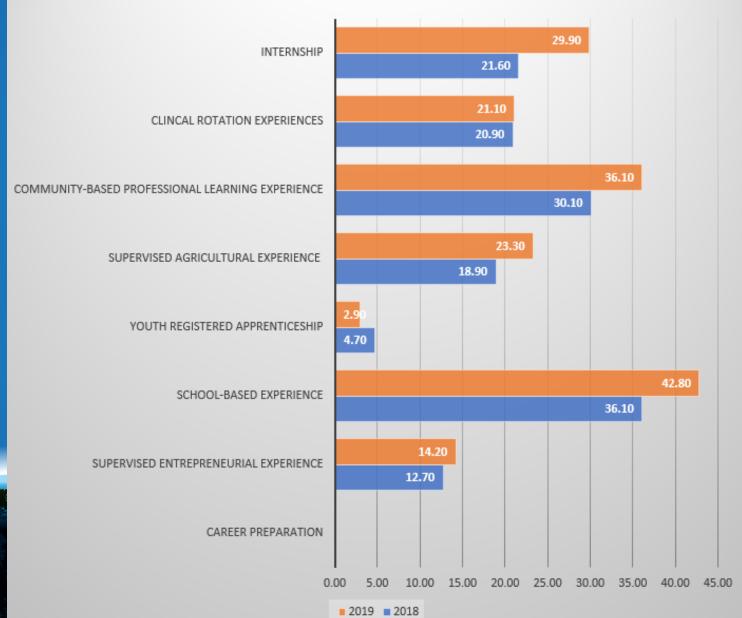
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#### IPS Related Work-Based Learning Experiences



ND GOALS WITH CAREER POSSIBILITIES.

## CAREER PREPARATION

Internship/placement (business/industry/community)

Youth registered apprenticeship

Simulated work-based experience (school district)

Entrepreneurship/ownership

Service learning

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# Youth Employment Project





Jeffrey Parker, a 19-year-old recent Douglass High School graduate, replaces a tool on a trim and droll machine at Spirit. He was one of about 20 high school kids working at Spirit for a summer job. Spirit sees this as an opportunity to get youth interested in pursuing aircraft production jobs after graduating from high school. **Jaime Green** - File photo

#### **EDITORIALS**

Developing skilled workers is crucial for Kansas economy

# Workforce Alliance of South Central Kansas

# YEP Pre-Employment Workshops:

- Workplace etiquette
- Customer service
- Resume and interview skills
- Financial literacy



# **Defining Success**









# MEASURING AND REFLECTING STUDENT

Work-based Experience Portfolio and Employability Skills Rubric

# Work-Based Learning Experience Portfolio

#### Recommended Components

- 1. Table of contents
- 2. Career development materials
- 3. IPS required components (included in Kansas Education Systems Accreditation (KESA)
- 4. WBL experience work samples
- 5. Writing/research samples
- 6. Project
- Assessments and certifications



EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS	NOT	VERY LI	KE ME	→ LIK	E M E	
Effective Relationships	Interpersonal Skills					
	Teamwork	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Customer service	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Personal Qualities					
	Initiative	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Adaptability	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Professionalism	1	2	3	4	(5)
Workplace Skills	Resource Management					
	Manages time, money, resources and personnel.	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Information Use					
	<ul> <li>Locates, organizes, analyzes, uses and communicates information.</li> </ul>	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Communication					
	Verbal communication	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Listening	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Comprehends written material.	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Conveys information in writing.	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Systems Thinking					
	Understands, uses, monitors and improves systems.	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Technology Use					
	Understands and uses technology.	1	2	3	4	(5)
Applied Knowledge	Applied Academic Skills					
	Academic application	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Critical Thinking					
	Problem solving	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Creative thinking	1	2	3	4	(5)
	Goal setting	1	2	3	4	(5)
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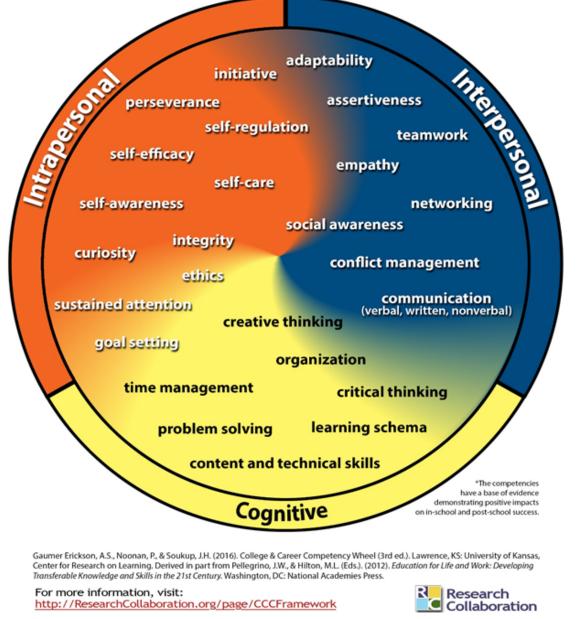
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#### Employability Skills Rubric

SKILL	. CRITERIA	LEVEL 0: NO EXPOSURE	LEVEL 1: EMERGING	LEVEL 2: DEVELOPING	LEVEL 3: PROFICIENT	LEVEL 4: EXEMPLARY	
EFFECTIVE RELATIONSHIPS							
Skills	Teamwork	team.  Follows team ir norms.  Gives feedback to teammates.  Fustomer service  No exposure  Interacts politely with customers.  Results of the service of th		<ul> <li>Respects individual differences.</li> <li>Responds well to feedback.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li> and</li> <li>Solicits ideas and feedback from teammates.</li> </ul>	and     Exercises     leadership     within a team.     Resolves     conflicts.	
Interpersonal Skills	Customer service			and • Responds to the needs of customers.	esponds to • Seeks out • Prov ne needs of resources alte		
	Initiative	No exposure	<ul> <li>Completes assigned tasks on time or communicates any potential delays to supervisor.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li> and</li> <li>Asks questions to complete tasks.</li> </ul>	and • Plans out tasks.	<ul> <li>Moves onto the next task without being told.</li> <li>Seeks leadership opportunities.</li> </ul>	
Personal Qualities	Adaptability	No exposure	<ul> <li>Demonstrates a willingness to learn and listen to directions.</li> </ul>	and • Asks for help.	<ul><li> and</li><li>Accepts constructive criticism.</li><li>Compromises</li></ul>	Seeks out guidance, feedback and information.      Adapts to new methods.	
	Professionalism	No exposure	<ul> <li>Follows rules and safety procedures.</li> <li>Dresses appropriately.</li> <li>Is respectful to others.</li> </ul>	Properly credits others.     Maintains a positive attitude.	<ul> <li>understands         own strengths         and weaknesses.</li> <li>Advocates for         oneself.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li> and</li> <li>Admits mistakes.</li> <li>Takes ownership for professional growth.</li> <li>Takes actions to build skills.</li> </ul>	







# **Employability Skills Framework Crosswalk**

	Applied Knowledge		Effective Relationships		Workplace Skills				
Resource	Applied Academic Skills	Critical Thinking	Interpersonal Skills	Personal Qualities	Resource Management	Information Use	Communication	Systems Thinking	Technology Use
Kansans Can Competency Framework	х	x	х	х	x	x	x	х	x
Kansans Can Competency Framework	Content/Technical Communication Problem Solving Critical Thinking Creative Thinking	Critical Thinking Creative Thinking Problem Solving Learning Schema Organization Goal Setting Sustained Attention Assertiveness Self-Regulation	Teamwork Empathy Conflict Management Networking Social Awareness Assertiveness Teamwork	Ethics Adaptability Self-Regulation Integrity Initiative Self-Efficacy Perseverance Self-Awareness Self-Care Curiosity Sustained Attention Teamwork Empathy	Time Management Self-Regulation Problem Solving Organization Assertiveness	Critical Thinking Learning Schema Organization Communication	Communication Assertiveness Social Awareness	Teamwork Social Awareness Self-Regulation Adaptability	Content/Technical
(SECD) Social Emotional and Character Development Standards	Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving Self-Management	Self-Awareness Problem Solving Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving	Core Principles Interpersonal Skills Self-Management Social Awareness Self-Awareness	Core Principles Self-Awareness Social Awareness Interpersonal Skills Self-Management	Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving Self-Management	Social Awareness Self-Management Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving	Social Awareness Interpersonal Skills Self-Awareness	Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving	Core Principles Responsible Decision Making & Problem Solving



Kansas Work-Based Learning: Personalized Learning Plan

**GUIDANCE DOCUMENT** 



Type of WBL Continuum Experience	SECTION 1 All, including educators	SECTION 2 Work Site Supervisor/ Adult Mentor	SECTION 3 Student	SECTION 4 Supplemental Documents
Job shadow	✓	Employability     Skills Assessment     (p. 15)	Employability     Skills Self-     Assessment (p. 19)     Reflection Sheet     (p. 20)	Work log (p. 27).  Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25).  Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Internship	✓	✓	✓	Work log (p. 27).  Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25).  Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Youth-registered apprenticeship	✓	✓	✓	Work log (p. 27).  Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25).  Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Simulated WBL experience	✓	✓	✓	Work log (p. 27).  Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25).  Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Entrepreneurship	✓	✓	✓	Work log (p. 27). Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25). Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Service learning	✓	✓	✓	Work log (p. 27). Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25). Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).
Transition (IEP) (Include Type of WBL experience)	✓	• Job shadow (Employability Skills Assessment, p. 15) All other types.	• Job shadow (Employability Skills Self- Assessment, p. 19) All other types.	Work log (p. 27).  Employer may require safety training (Safety Training Log, p. 25).  Liability agreement is a local district choice (p. 26).





## Work Site Supervisor/Adult Mentor: Employability Skills Assessment

tudent name:		School: ,		
areer pathway/cluster (if applicable):		Grade: .		
lease select and discuss the skills being a nd in a second review near the end of leasuring and Reflecting Student Learni	the WBL exper			
0=No Exposure 1=Emerging	2=Deve	loping	3=Proficient	4=Exemplary
EFFECTIVE RELATIONSHIPS	REVIEW 1	REVIEW 2	COMMENTS	
Interpersonal skills				
Teamwork				
Customer service				
Personal qualities				
Initiative				
Adaptability				
Professionalism				
WORKPLACE SKILLS	REVIEW 1	REVIEW 2	COMMENTS	
Resource management				
Manages time, money and personnel.				
Information use				
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APPLIED KNOWLEDGE	REVIEW 1	REVIEW 2	COMMENTS	
Applied academic skills				
Academic application				
Critical thinking				
Problem-solving				
Creative thinking				
Goal setting				

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#### Work Site Supervisor/Adult Mentor:

#### **Technical Skills Feedback**

tudent name:	School:
areer pathway/cluster (if applicable):	Grade:

Please evaluate the measurable learning outcomes and rate at least eight competencies from the links below that the student, work site supervisor/adult mentor and school coordinator will utilize to develop measurable learning outcomes for this WBL experience.

- Agriculture: Food and Natural Resources https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=449
- Architecture and Construction https://www.ksde.arg/Default.aspx?tabid=450
- Arts A/V, Technology and Communications https://www.ksde.arg/Default.aspx?tabid=715
- Business, Management and Administration https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=453
- Education and Training
   https://www.ksde.org/Default.ospx?tabid=708

- Engineering
   https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Career-Standards-and-Assessment-Services/
- Finance https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=454
- Government and Public Administration https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=470
- Health and Bio Sciences https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=471

Content-Area-A-E/Engineering

- Hospitality and Tourism https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=716
- Human Services https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=468

- Information Technology https://www.ksde.org/Defoult.aspx?tabid=473
- Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspr?tabid=474
- Manufacturing https://www.ksde.org/Defoult.aspx?tabid=478
- Marketing https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=455
- Transportation, Distribution and Logistics https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Career-Standards-and-Assessment-Services/ Cantent-Area-M-Z/Transportation-Distribution-and-Logistics-CTE-Career-Cluster

A minimum of eight measurable learning outcomes should be listed that reflect pathway technical skills and competencies.



#### KANSAS WORK-BASED LEARNING

Age Restrictions: Students over the age of 16 can engage in work-based learning, and businesses should follow child labor laws around hours worked and hazardous occupations when designing these opportunities.

Safety: Workplace safety is very important in Kansas. The Kansas Department of Labor has many resources available to businesses and schools. For more information, visit https://www.dol.ks.gov/Safety/Default.aspx

Liability Issues: Workers compensation insurance shall be provided by the business at which the student-learner works and is paid. Workers compensation is handled by the Kansas Department of Labor. For information, visit https://www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/Default.aspx or call (785) 296-4000. Your insurance provider may have answers particular to your company.

General liability insurance should be provided by the business, whether the student learner is paid or unpaid. General liability issues should be addressed by the school and business prior to beginning a work-based learning experience.

Wage and Hour: State and federal laws cover the work-based learner experience. Visit https://www.dol.gov/whd/cl/youthemployment-faq.htm or https://www.dol.ks.gov/Laws/Default.aspx

What jobs can students do? Youth workers that are 16 or 17 years old are prohibited from performing certain hazardous occupations<sup>1</sup>. Of the seventeen hazardous occupations, seven are allowed for apprentices and student-learners under certain conditions.

HAZARDOUS OCCUPATIONS PROHIBITED FOR WORKERS UNDER 18					
No Student-Learner Exemption (other exemptions may apply)	Student-Learner Exemption				
Manufacturing and storing explosives     Driving a motor vehicle and being an outside helper on a motor vehicle     Coal mining     Forest fire fighting and fire prevention, timber tract management, forestry services, logging, and saw mill occupations     Exposure to radioactive substances     Power-driven hoisting apparatus     Mining, other than coal mining     Power-driven bakery machines     Manufacturing brick, tile and related products     Wrecking, demolition and shipbreaking operations	<ul> <li>Power-driven woodworking machines</li> <li>Power-driven metal-forming, punching and shearing machines</li> <li>Balers, compactors and paper-products machines</li> <li>Power-driven circular saws, band saws, guillotine shears, chain saws, reciprocating saws, wood chippers and abrasive cutting discs</li> <li>Roofing operations and all work on or about a roof</li> <li>Excavation operations</li> <li>Meat and poultry packing or processing (including the use of power-driven meat slicing machines)</li> </ul>				





Learn about high demand, high wage occupations near you, as well as opening forecasts, wages and more.



Find high school and college courses plus other opportunities to gain knowledge and experience in high demand occupations.













## **Kansas Career Navigator**

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**DETAILS** ~

#### KANSAS WORKS

The Kansas Career Navigator is an intuitive dashboard intended to provide a user with viable options pertaining to education and training programs, employment opportunities, accessibility to workforce training providers, performance information and labor market information. Furthermore, a user can weigh options by using this resource to access high demand, high wage occupation opportunities by county or local area selection.





# Measure Career Readiness with ACT WorkKeys



#### HARD SKILLS

These are the skills that employers say are critical for career success and on-the-job training:



#### **APPLIED MATH**

Critical thinking, mathematical reasoning, and problem-solving techniques in workplace situations. High levels of this skill include:

#### **IDENTIFYING**

errors in calculation

#### CONVERTING

systems of measurement

#### CALCULATING

areas and volumes



### GRAPHIC

Reading and comprehending graphical materials to solve work-related problems. High levels of this skill include:

#### INTERPRETING

trends, relationships, and patterns

#### COMPARING

information and trends among data sets

#### **USING DATA**

to make decisions



#### WORKPLACE DOCUMENTS

Reading and comprehending written information to make decisions and solve problems. High levels of this skill include:

#### INFERRING

meanings of words and phrases from contexts

#### DECIPHERING

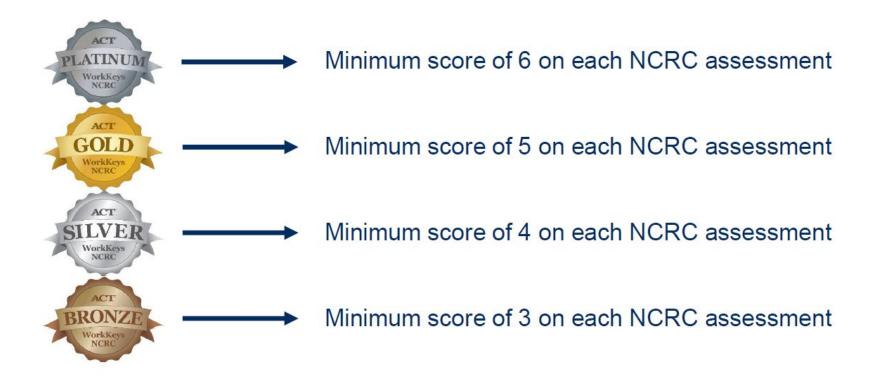
the meaning of acronyms, jargon, or technical content

#### **APPLYING**

information and instructions to a new situation



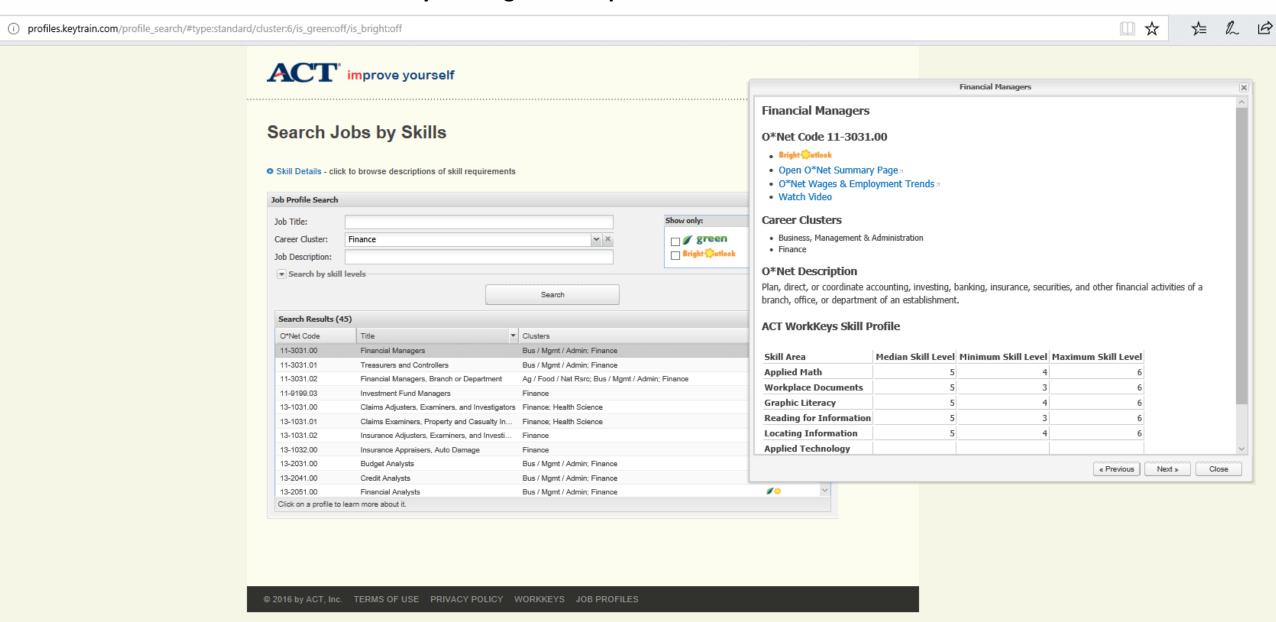
#### **ACT WorkKeys NCRC Levels**







#### **ACT WorkKeys: Using the Occupational Profile Database**



Kansas ACT Site: https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/state-and-district-solutions/kansas.html

Kansas The ACT WorkKeys on Paper WorkKeys Online

#### Interpretation

Interpret score reports and test data

#### **Access Score Reports**

- Online Reports Portal User Guide (PDF)
- Score Reports Available in Online Reports Portal (PDF)

#### **Understand Score Reports**

- · Score Report Schedule for ACT WorkKeys (coming soon)
- Sample Individual Summary ScoreReport (PDF)
- Sample ACT WorkKeys Roster Score Report (PDF)
- ACT WorkKeys Scale Score Interpretation Guide (PDF)
- Score Level Interpretation Applied Math
- Score Level Interpretation Graphic Literacy
- Score Level Interpretation Workplace Documents

#### **Student Resources**

- How to Use Your WorkKeys Results (PDF)
- How the WorkKeys Assessments Can Work For You (PDF)
- Using the Occupational Profile Database (Video)

#### **Tips for Success**

The test coordinator can log in to Validus and use the Reports Portal
to access ACT WorkKeys score reports. The ACT WorkKeys Online
Reports Portal User Guide provides instructions for this feature. Score
Reports Available in Online Reports Portal provides a list and
description of all available reports.

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- Examinees who achieve a minimum score of three (3) or higher on each subject test may be eligible to receive an ACT<sup>®</sup> WorkKeys<sup>®</sup>
   NCRC<sup>®</sup>
- Examinees who earn an ACT WorkKeys NCRC can access test scores as well as view, print, and share their certificate by either creating an account or accessing an existing account at myworkkeys.com.



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	Job 1		Job 2		Job 3	
Occupation Title	Computer User Support Specialist					
O*NET-SOC Code	15-1151.00					
Median Income \$\$\$	\$50,	\$50,210				
Job Growth + or - %	+10% t	o 14%				
WorkKeys <sup>®</sup> Skill Infor- mation	Median Work- Keys Skill Level	My WorkKeys Skill Level	Median WorkKeys Skill Level	My WorkKeys Skill Level	Median Work- Keys Skill Level	My WorkKeys Skill Level
Applied Mathematics	4	4				
Workplace Documents	4	3				
Graphic Literacy	4	6				

ACT WorkKeys: Using the Occupational Profile Database (Lesson)



# School Redesign Principles

Student Success Skills	Community Partnerships
There is an integrated approach to develop student social-emotional growth	Partnerships are based on mutually beneficial relationships and collaboration
Personalized Learning	Real World Application
Teachers support students to have choice over their time, place, pace and path	Project-based learning, internships, and civic engagement makes learning relevant

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## Registered Apprenticeship





# What is Registered Apprenticeship (RA)?

- ➤ An employer-driven, "earn while you learn" model that combines on-the-job learning with related technical instruction.
- ➤ A written plan designed to move an apprentice from a low or no skill entry-level position to full occupational proficiency.



#### **RA WORKS FOR:**

Individual Companies – Small & Large,
Corporations, Associations, Labor Unions,
Non-profit Organizations,
Community & Technical Colleges,
Government: City, State & Federal



- ➤ Registered Apprenticeship programs can range between 1-6 years.
- ➤ The length of an apprenticeship program depends on the target occupation, and program model chosen.
- ➤ Registered Apprenticeship programs must have a minimum of 144 hours of related technical instruction (classroom instruction) for every 2000 hours of on-the-job training.



- Business Involvement Employers assist program development, and decide who will become apprentices.
- Structured On-the-Job Training (OJT) -Apprentices receive hands on training from an experienced mentor at the job site.
- Related Technical Instruction (RTI) Technical and academic competencies that apply to the job. (RTI can conducted by education partners and/or the business itself).



- ➤ Rewards for Skill Gains Apprentices receive wages when they begin work, and receive pay increases as they meet benchmarks for skill attainment.
- ➤ Nationally recognized Credential Upon program completion every apprentice receives a nationally recognized credential that signifies occupational proficiency to employers.



### **ADDITIONAL BENEFITS INCLUDE:**

- Customized training
- > Increased knowledge
- Enhanced employee retention
- > A safer workplace
- > A systematic approach to training





Over 1300 DOL approved target occupations.



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IT . Telecommunications
Transportation









- ➤ RA Eligibility: Apprentices must be fully employed. NOTE: Apprentices can be new hires as well as incumbent workers.
- Available funding: Sponsors can be reimbursed for a portion of the RTI (Related Technical Instruction) per apprentice.
- ➤ RA works with WIOA OJT: A WIOA eligible participant can transition into RA.



## YOUTH REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP

Youth Registered Apprenticeship is a work-based learning opportunity that provides students:

- ➤ Both academic and workplace skills that can lead to post-secondary education opportunities and careers.
- Youth apprentices receive paid on-the-job training along with job-related technical instruction that also supports meeting high school graduation requirements.



# YOUTH REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM MODEL DESIGN

- ➤ Qualified Candidates Education partner advises students/parents of opportunity and identifies qualified candidates.
  - ➤ Participate in career exploration <a href="http://kscareernav.gov">http://kscareernav.gov</a>
  - > Youth Apprenticeship Application
  - > Cover letter
  - > Resume
- Recommendation from teacher, coach, school counselor, or employer



# YOUTH REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM MODEL DESIGN

- Students work for an employer part-time between 5 to 18 hours each week.
- ➤ On-the-Job-Learning is pathway focused and based on agreement between employer and student.
- ➤ Students may also participate in full-time paid summer on-the-job training programs.



#### **CHASTITY TROXEL**

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# Let's talk about Apprenticeships:

https://ksapprenticeship.org https://kscareernav.gov

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## **Presentation Resources:**

http://bit.ly/KSWBLYRA



https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1e4QrYMHYfbr9s62ftalfv73bSF5625gn

