

Consortium: Southwest Metro	S-R POS 1--Field: Engineering, Manufacturing, & Technology	S-R POS 2--Field: Health Science Technology	S-R POS 3--Field: Human Services	S-R POS 4--Field: Human Services	S-R POS 5--Field: Business, Management, & Administration	S-R POS 6--Field: Arts, Communications, & Information Systems	S-R POS 7--Field: Agriculture, Food, & Natural Resources
Career Cluster	STEM	Health Science	Education and Training	Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security	Hospitality and Tourism	Information Technology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources
Career Pathway	Engineering and Technology	Therapeutic Services	Teaching/Training	Law Enforcement Services	Travel and Tourism	Network Systems	Food Products and Processing Systems
Postsecondary CTE Program	Engineering Foundations	Nursing, Nursing Assistant, Exercise Science Transfer, Dental Hygiene, Dietetic Tech, Nutrition studies	Elementary Education Transfer Pathway and Special Education Transfer Pathway, Bachelor's in Education	Law Enforcement, Criminal Justice	Hospitality	Computer Technology	Food Science
High Schools & Table C Programs	Eastern Carver County (Chaska, Chanhassen), Shakopee, Waconia (171710) Bloomington (Jefferson, Kennedy) (171502) Westonka (171000)	Shakopee (070300) Shakopee, SW Metro Dist 288 (serving Belle Plaine, Eastern Carver County, Jordan, Minnetonka, Shakopee, Waconia) (070300)	Bloomington Kennedy and Jefferson, Shakopee (090101) SW Metro Dist 288 serving Belle Plaine, Eastern Carver County, Jordan, Minnetonka, Shakopee, Waconia (090201)	SW Metro Dist 288 serving Belle Plaine, Jordan, Minnetonka, Shakopee, Tri City United, Waconia (090401)	Belle Plaine, Bloomington Kennedy, Jefferson, Eastern Carver County, Jordan, New Prague, Prior Lake- Savage, Richfield, Shakopee, Waconia, Watertown-Mayer (090101)	Bloomington Jefferson and Kennedy, Richfield (140710) Eastern Carver County (Chaska, Chanhassen), Shakopee, SW Metro Dist 288 (Belle Plaine, Jordan, Waconia) (171512)	Bloomington, Prior Lake (090101)
Postsecondary Programs	Normandale CC	Normandale CC	Normandale CC, Minnesota State University--Mankato; partnership with Southwest MN State Univ	Normandale CC	Normandale CC	Normandale CC	Normandale CC
Recognized Secondary Credentials:							
TSA	Precision Exams, PLTW End of Course Exam			NOCTI Minnesota	Precision Exams	Precision Exams	Precision Exams, CASE
Work-based Learning	Internship	Clinicals	Practicum	Explorer Post	Internships	Tech Help Desk	
Licensure Certification		CNA TMA Home Health Aide				A+ Certification Test Out, PC Pro Certification	
Industry Recognized Credential					ServSafe - Food Handler and Food Manager, Prostart I, Prostart II	A+ Certification Network Pro Certification	ServSafe
Recognized Postsecondary Credentials:							
Academic Awards	AS, AAS	AS Nursing, AS Dental Hygiene, Health Science Broadfield Community Health	AS Elementary or Special Ed; BS Education	AS TP Criminal Justice, AS TP Law Enforcement	AAS Business Marketing & Management, AS Business Transfer Pathway, AAS Hospitality Management	AS Computer Science Transfer Pathway, AAS Computer Technology	AAS Dietetic Technology, AS Food Science
Work-based Learning		Clinicals	Field Experience/Practicum, Internships, Clinicals		Internships	Internships	Clinicals
Licensure Certification	Vacuum Maintenance Technician, Vacuum Technology	Community Health Navigator, Nursing Assistant		Law Enforcement	Business x4, Hospitality x5		ServSafe Food Handler
Industry Recognized Credential	Certified Production Tech through Manufacturing Skills and Standards Council			POST Board			

STATE-RECOGNIZED PROGRAMS OF STUDY

There are seven minimum criteria that must be met for identification as a State-Recognized Program of Study:

1. Course standards accurately align to the academic, technical, and employability skills learners must master for entry and success in a given career pathway.
2. Program of Study incorporates active involvement from an integrated network of partners.
3. Secondary program(s) meets MDE program approval requirements and incorporate courses that lead to postsecondary credits/credentials.
4. Postsecondary academic program meets Minnesota State board policy and Higher Learning Commission requirements.
5. Materials, Equipment and Resources used in the program reflect current workplace, industry, and/or occupational standards.
6. Incorporates authentic work experiences at the secondary and/or postsecondary level that are valued by industry.
7. Program of Study development, improvement and advocacy are supported by findings from a comprehensive local needs assessment.



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RESOURCE LINKS:

[MN Dept. of Ed--CTE](#)

[Minnesota State--CTE](#)

[MN Dept. of Ed--Program Approval](#)

[Minnesota State--CareerWise](#)

[Maps of Approved Secondary Programs](#)

[Minnesota State--Consortia Resources](#)