



## CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Career Technical Education programs teach students real-world knowledge and skills as well as provide opportunities for dual enrollment, industry recognized credentials and meaningful work-based work experiences.



89%

CTE High School Students Graduated

Remained enrolled or transferred to another post-secondary institution

75%



98%

CTE post-secondary students met performance goals for technical skills

### *Academic & Technical Skills*

- Align with National Curriculum Standards
- Integrate Into Classroom Instruction
- Validated by Industry
- Assess Classroom Learning

### *Employability Skills*

- Support 21st Century Skills
- Prepare Future Leaders
- Emerging Technology

### *Student, Community & Business Management*

- Creating Small Learning Communities
- Making a Difference in the Community
- Mentoring Tomorrow's Workforce

### *Education Attainment*

- Reaching Goals
- Supporting a Program of Study/Work
- Enriching Career Opportunities
- Engaging All Students

### **For More Information**

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## **NEW MEXICO CTSOs**

Career and Technical Student Organizations engage student members in career and technical activities as an integral part of the career and technical education instruction programs to meet the needs of a well-trained workforce for the 21st century.



CTSOs are professional associations for students that extend career-readiness learning through leadership experiences, business and community partnerships, innovative programs, and career-focused competitions at the local, state, and national levels.



NEW MEXICO

**BPA** is the leading CTSO for students pursuing careers in business management, office administration, information technology, and other related fields. Members hone their leadership, citizenship, academic and technical skills through professional activities and competitive events.

**FCCLA** is the only CTSO that has family, career, and community as its central focus. FCCLA provides students the opportunity to expand their leadership potential and develop skills for balancing work and family life by addressing youth, personal, work, and societal issues through Family and Consumer Sciences education.



**DECA** prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management in high schools and colleges around the globe. DECA's comprehensive learning program integrates classroom instruction, applies learning, connects business, and promotes competition.

**HOSA** serves as the pipeline for the health care industry by helping health science students acquire technical, leadership, and teaming skills required of future health professionals. HOSA provides a unique program of leadership development, motivation, and recognition exclusively for secondary, postsecondary, adult, and collegiate students enrolled in health science education.



**SkillsUSA** develops leadership skills and workplace competencies needed in a constantly changing world. Skills USA is a partnership of students, teacher, and industry working together. It emphasizes total quality at work-high ethical standards, superior work skills, life-long education, and pride in the dignity of work.

**TSA** is devoted exclusively to the needs of students interested in technology (pursuing STEM careers) and is supported by educators, parents, and business leaders who believe in the need for a technologically literate society. TSA meets the criteria for STEM education goals through exciting programs that include technology activities, competitions, leadership, and teamwork for students.

