**JEFFREY MOORE** is recognized as one of the best Career and Technical Education (CTE) teachers in the state of Utah.

## DECEMBER 2023 CTE TEACHER OF THE MONTH

**SCHOOL:** Roy Junior High | Weber School District

**TEACHER:** Education and Training Career Cluster K-12: Teaching as a Profession Career Pathway

## **CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION:**

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The K-12: Teaching as a Profession Career Pathway prepares students to explore various careers in education and develop employability skills to become a successful professional in the education field.

## **GET TO KNOW JEFFREY MOORE**

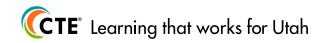
**BACKGROUND:** It's no secret that Jeff hated school, and he brings that perspective to his teaching. In his classes, students can have fun while learning, but he ensures that students are learning while they do.

**EDUCATION:** Jeffrey earned a Master of Arts in Organizational Management and a Master of Arts in Secondary Education from the University of Phoenix. He started teaching at the young age of 41. He holds endorsements in Social Studies Composite, Business and Marketing, Exploring CS, and K-12 Teaching as a Profession.

**TEACHER:** Jeffrey teaches College and Career Awareness, Exploring Computer Science, Teaching as a Profession 1, Student Government and Yearbook. He also teaches for Weber Adult Education. As a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) Educators Rising advisor, Jeffrey has one of the largest Educators Rising chapters in Utah.

**STUDENT SUCCESS:** As all teachers do, he loves seeing the AHA!moments when a student really gets a concept. As much as Jeff loves teaching and working with kids, he's never quite sure of his total impact with his Junior High kids. And he's okay with that. Because occasionally, a student comes back to visit years later and tells him the influence he had when he taught them. Those moments are total gold!

**CLASSROOM:** "Jeff Moore is the ideal teacher to teach students about the education field. Once you walk into the door of Jeff's classroom you know that he cares and wants the best for each of his students, Jeff is well deserving of this award," said Ashley Higgs, CTE Education Specialist, Utah State Board of Education.



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"Jeff goes all in for his students! He executes incredible learning experiences for his Educators Rising chapter members. As a Jr. High teacher, he goes above and beyond to get kids excited about education. He makes Educators Rising inclusive where kids find a place to belong. He runs a well-oiled CTSO of 25-30 kids who feed into the high schools, which helps support the high school CTSOs and is a great support to the whole Education Pathway Team!" said Jen Lee, Orion Jr. High School Educators Rising advisor.

"Jeff Moore went into education for all of the right reasons and is focused on building young people above all else. He loves what he does and connects with students at all academic levels. Jeff represents all that is good about education and teaching."

> Rod Belnap CTE Director, Weber School District

> > "Working with Jeff Moore is a great experience. Jeff has a natural way of relating to students and teachers that naturally builds great relationships and rapport. He is willing to share his talents and mentor both students and teachers. Jeff's energy and enthusiasm are his strongest promotion and recruiting tool for Educators Rising. Jeff has been instrumental in building the Education Pathway program at Roy Jr. High and throughout Weber School District."

> > > Becky Sagers, Weber School District Educators Rising State Advisor

