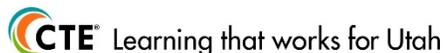


Utah Career and Technical Education Career Pathway

2019-2020 School Year



CTSO Information
 Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSO) align with the national Career Clusters® and the Utah CTE Career Pathways.

DECA is the CTSSO for students in the Marketing and Sales Career Pathway. DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management.

Workforce Trends
 In Utah, the average annual employment growth rate projected for market research analysts and marketing specialists is 6 percent through the year 2026.

The Utah Department of Workforce Services lists the median salary for a public relations specialist as \$52,360.

Career Cluster: Business, Finance & Marketing

Career Pathway: Marketing & Sales

CORE CODE	FOUNDATION COURSES (required)	CREDITS	
<i>Choose two of the following courses:</i>			
37.01.00.00.001	Digital Marketing	.50	1.00 credit
37.01.00.00.165	Marketing 1	.50	
37.01.00.00.190	Marketing 2	.50	
ELECTIVE COURSES			
32.02.00.00.140	Business Management	.50	2.00 credits
37.01.00.00.025	Customer Service	.50	
32.02.00.00.200	Economics	.50	
32.02.00.00.070	Exploring Business and Marketing	.50	
34.01.00.00.145	Fashion Design Merchandising	.50	
37.01.00.00.150	Leadership Principles 1	.50	
37.01.00.00.155	Leadership Principles 2	.50	
37.01.00.00.220	Real Estate	.50	
37.01.00.00.240	Retailing	.50	
37.01.00.00.260	Sports and Entertainment Marketing	.50	
41.00.00.00.050	CTE Internship	.50	
41.00.00.00.030	Workplace Skills	.50	
		3.00 credits for completion	

Foundation courses taken beyond the required credits can be used as elective credit.

Career and Technical Education provides all students access to high-quality, rigorous career-focused programs that result in attainment of credentials with labor market value.

Marketing & Sales is:
 > High-wage
 > In-demand

Sample Occupations Requiring:
High School Diploma
 > Advertising Sales Agent
Certificate
 > N/A
Assoc. or Technical Degree
 > N/A
Baccalaureate Degree
 > Art Director
 > Career and Technical Education Teacher
 > Editor
 > Graphic Designer
 > Marketing Manager
 > Market Research Analyst
 > Marketing Specialist
 > Public Relations Specialist
 > Sales Manager

Graduate or Prof. Degree
 > Marketing Director
 > Statistician
 > Survey Researcher

Student Testimonial
 "The business and marketing courses I have taken in high school have really influenced me in the direction I would like to go for my future education and career. These classes have prepared me for my future career and have also given me life skills that will help me achieve my goals and dreams."
 Rory James Pollard

HIGH SCHOOL TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING

There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.

12th Grade	1-Year Certificate	2-Year Associate or Technical Degree	4-Year Bachelor's Degree	More Graduate or Prof. Degree
Certificates are awarded upon the successful completion of a brief course of study, usually one year or less. Upon completion of a course of study, a certificate does not require any further action to retain. In high school a variety of certificates can be earned.		An academic degree is an award for the completion of a program or course of study over multiple years at postsecondary education institutions. In 2016-2017, 74 percent of secondary students who concentrated in a CTE Career Pathway placed in postsecondary education, advanced training, military service or employment (October 1-December 31).		

Utah Business and Industry Facts
 In 2017, CNBC ranked Provo, Ogden, and Salt Lake City as one of the top twenty best places to start a business. Each metro area was hailed as a small-business hot spot.
 According to the Utah Business magazine, the top three public relations firms in Utah are: Fusion 360, Penna Powers, and Method Communications.

UtahFutures: College and Career Planning
 Visit UtahFutures.org to explore occupations, search salary projections, access labor market information, investigate training options, and to create a plan.

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CTE Credentials of Value
 In 2017-2018, 112,867 CTE Skill Certifications were awarded to secondary students and 19,189 third-party certifications were earned by secondary students.

In 2017-2018, the graduation rate for students who concentrated in a CTE Career Pathway was 95 percent, compared to Utah's statewide graduation rate of 87 percent.