

Summary of Follow-Up Information Provided by Virginia's Career and Technical Education Program Completers

Giles County Tech. Center - Giles County Public Schools

Report for Completers of Cosmetology

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Introduction

These data are provided to assist Career and Technical Education professionals in planning and improving Secondary Career and Technical Education programs and to inform the public of the outcomes of those programs. Characteristics of the data important to appropriate interpretation and use are:

1. Each question must be viewed individually; respondents were not required to answer all questions. Who responded to each question and the number of respondents to each question may be different.
2. For some questions, respondents could mark more than one response option.
3. When the number of respondents is low, the data should be interpreted with caution.
4. The sum of the reported percentages may not always equal 100% due to rounding.
5. A small number of individuals were known to be deceased and were not included in any statistics.
6. Where comparison figures are available, "Local" will refer to the subpopulation for this report; "State" will refer either to the similar state subpopulation or to the overall state figures as appropriate.

SURVEY HIGHLIGHTS

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2008 Follow-Up of the 2007 Career and Technical Education Completers

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- 100.00% of 6 completers responded to the 2008 Follow-Up Survey. (n=6)
 - 100.00% of the 6 respondents have transitioned from high school to employment, the military, or further education. (n=6)
 - 50.00% of the 6 respondents who are employed are working full-time at one job. (n=3)
 - 80.00% of the 5 respondents who indicated that they were employed and that their job is related to the CTE program they completed in high school are satisfied with their job. (n=4)
 - 66.67% of the 3 respondents who are working full-time at one job stated that their work is related to the CTE program completed while in high school. (n=2)
 - 66.67% of the 3 respondents who are working full-time at one job state that they use at least some of what they learned in their CTE courses for their job. (n=2)
 - 100.00% of the 2 respondents who are working full-time at one job and indicated that their job is related to the CTE program they completed while in high school are satisfied with their job. (n=2)
 - 100.00% of the 2 respondents who are working full-time and indicated that their job is related to the CTE program they completed while in high school are satisfied with the potential for advancement at their job. (n=2)
 - 0.00% of the 2 respondents who are working full-time and indicated that their job is related to the CTE program they completed while in high school are earning \$9.00 per hour or more. (n=0)
 - 66.67% of the 6 respondents have received formal education or training since high school. (n=4)
 - No respondents completed non-traditional programs.
 - No respondents indicated that they were unemployed.

Response Rate

	Local		State	
Males	0.00%	0 of 0	66.67%	10 of 15
Females	100.00%	6 of 6	72.81%	680 of 934
Special Populations	100.00%	2 of 2	66.84%	252 of 377
Overall Response Rate	100.00%	6 of 6	72.71%	690 of 949

A. Which best describes you? Select the best description of your current education/career status.

	Local		State	
Employed and in school	50.00%	3 of 6	25.51%	176 of 690
ONLY employed	50.00%	3 of 6	35.80%	247 of 690
ONLY in school	0.00%	0 of 6	25.80%	178 of 690
Homemaker	0.00%	0 of 6	4.35%	30 of 690
Homemaker and in school	0.00%	0 of 6	0.58%	4 of 690
Military	0.00%	0 of 6	2.03%	14 of 690
Unemployed and not in school	0.00%	0 of 6	5.94%	41 of 690

B. If you are not currently in school, have you received any training or other education since high school?

	Local		State	
Yes	16.67%	1 of 6	17.54%	121 of 690
No	33.33%	2 of 6	42.46%	293 of 690
Currently in school	50.00%	3 of 6	40.00%	276 of 690

Section 1 All Respondents

1.1 Overall, how satisfied were you with the preparation you received in high school for employment and/or further education?

	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	46.28%	317 of 685
Satisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	50.95%	349 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.58%	4 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.44%	3 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	1.75%	12 of 685

1.2 In the following areas, rate how satisfied you are with the preparation you received in high school for employment and/or further education.

Reading Skills	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	41.75%	286 of 685
Satisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	53.87%	369 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.88%	6 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.21%	22 of 685
Math Skills	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	50.00%	3 of 6	36.20%	248 of 685
Satisfied	50.00%	3 of 6	57.96%	397 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	2.04%	14 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.44%	3 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.36%	23 of 685
Writing Skills	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	38.39%	263 of 685
Satisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	56.20%	385 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	1.61%	11 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.44%	3 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.36%	23 of 685
Speaking and Listening Skills	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	42.34%	290 of 685
Satisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	52.99%	363 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.88%	6 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.50%	24 of 685
Computer Literacy Skills	Local		State	
Very Satisfied	66.67%	4 of 6	41.90%	287 of 685
Satisfied	33.33%	2 of 6	54.16%	371 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.73%	5 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.15%	1 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.07%	21 of 685

Reasoning, Problem-solving, Decision-making Skills	Local		State	
	Very Satisfied	50.00%	3 of 6	40.29%
Satisfied	50.00%	3 of 6	55.18%	378 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	1.17%	8 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.15%	1 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.21%	22 of 685

Technical Skills of CTE Program	Local		State	
	Very Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	41.75%
Satisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	53.87%	369 of 685
Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.88%	6 of 685
Very Dissatisfied	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	3.21%	22 of 685

1.3 Did you receive an industry, occupational or professional certification or license as a result of completing the CTE program?

	Local		State	
Yes	66.67%	4 of 6	63.07%	432 of 685
No	33.33%	2 of 6	35.47%	243 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	1.46%	10 of 685

1.4 Are you currently working to obtain an industry, occupational or professional certification or license?

	Local		State	
Yes	0.00%	0 of 6	14.60%	100 of 685
No	100.00%	6 of 6	72.41%	496 of 685
No Response	0.00%	0 of 6	12.99%	89 of 685

Section 2 Employment

2.1 Which best describes your current employment?

	Local		State	
Full-time job (at least 30 hrs. per week in one job)	50.00%	3 of 6	45.11%	189 of 419
Part-time job (less than 30 hrs. per week)	50.00%	3 of 6	49.40%	207 of 419
Full-time and part-time job	0.00%	0 of 6	1.91%	8 of 419
Two or more part-time jobs	0.00%	0 of 6	2.39%	10 of 419

2.2 To what extent is your work related to the CTE program you completed in high school?

	Local		State	
Closely related	33.33%	2 of 6	49.64%	208 of 419
Somewhat related	50.00%	3 of 6	10.50%	44 of 419
Not related	16.67%	1 of 6	37.71%	158 of 419

2.3 How much of what you learned in your CTE courses are you using for your job?

	Local		State	
Most	33.33%	2 of 6	49.64%	208 of 419
Some	50.00%	3 of 6	15.27%	64 of 419
Little	16.67%	1 of 6	11.69%	49 of 419
None	0.00%	0 of 6	21.00%	88 of 419

2.4 Overall, how satisfied are you with your job?

	Local		State	
Satisfied	83.33%	5 of 6	87.11%	365 of 419
Dissatisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	9.31%	39 of 419

2.5 Please rate the following aspects of your job.

Benefit package (Health insurance, Paid vacation, Retirement plan)	Local		State	
	Satisfied	66.67%	4 of 6	42.72%
Dissatisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	11.93%	50 of 419
No opinion	16.67%	1 of 6	38.66%	162 of 419
Potential for advancement	Local		State	
	Satisfied	66.67%	4 of 6	55.13%
Dissatisfied	16.67%	1 of 6	8.35%	35 of 419
No opinion	16.67%	1 of 6	27.92%	117 of 419

2.6 How much does your job pay before taxes?

	Local		State	
Less than \$6.00/hr	16.67%	1 of 6	5.01%	21 of 419
\$6.00 to \$8.99/hr	66.67%	4 of 6	43.44%	182 of 419
\$9.00 to \$12.00/hr	16.67%	1 of 6	28.16%	118 of 419
More than \$12.00/hr	0.00%	0 of 6	15.04%	63 of 419

Section 3 Continuing Education

3.1 Check all the types of education you have participated in since high school.

Previously enrolled full-time	Local		State	
Community College	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Four-year University	16.67%	1 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690
Technical School/College	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Registered Apprenticeship	0.00%	0 of 6	0.00%	0 of 690
Occupational/Technical Training through a local school system	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Business/Industry Training through your employer	0.00%	0 of 6	0.72%	5 of 690
Other	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690
Previously enrolled part-time	Local		State	
Community College	0.00%	0 of 6	0.87%	6 of 690
Four-year University	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Technical School/College	0.00%	0 of 6	0.00%	0 of 690
Registered Apprenticeship	0.00%	0 of 6	0.00%	0 of 690
Occupational/Technical Training through a local school system	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690
Business/Industry Training through your employer	0.00%	0 of 6	3.33%	23 of 690
Other	0.00%	0 of 6	0.87%	6 of 690
Currently enrolled full-time	Local		State	
Community College	33.33%	2 of 6	15.65%	108 of 690
Four-year University	0.00%	0 of 6	17.10%	118 of 690
Technical School/College	0.00%	0 of 6	3.19%	22 of 690
Registered Apprenticeship	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Occupational/Technical Training through a local school system	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690
Business/Industry Training through your employer	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690
Other	0.00%	0 of 6	0.29%	2 of 690

Currently enrolled part-time	Local		State	
Community College	16.67%	1 of 6	11.74%	81 of 690
Four-year University	0.00%	0 of 6	1.88%	13 of 690
Technical School/College	0.00%	0 of 6	1.74%	12 of 690
Registered Apprenticeship	0.00%	0 of 6	0.14%	1 of 690
Occupational/Technical Training through a local school system	0.00%	0 of 6	0.43%	3 of 690
Business/Industry Training through your employer	0.00%	0 of 6	1.30%	9 of 690
Other	0.00%	0 of 6	0.43%	3 of 690

3.2 To what extent is your area of study related to the CTE program you completed in high school?

	Local		State	
Closely related	0.00%	0 of 3	18.31%	65 of 355
Somewhat related	66.67%	2 of 3	32.96%	117 of 355
Not related	33.33%	1 of 3	43.38%	154 of 355

3.3 Please check all the courses in which you have enrolled in since high school.

Developmental	Local		State	
Mathematics	33.33%	2 of 6	7.10%	49 of 690
English/Language Arts/Speech	0.00%	0 of 6	4.78%	33 of 690
Entry Level	Local		State	
Mathematics	16.67%	1 of 6	29.42%	203 of 690
English/Language Arts/Speech	50.00%	3 of 6	32.90%	227 of 690
Science	16.67%	1 of 6	26.38%	182 of 690
Advanced	Local		State	
Mathematics	0.00%	0 of 6	6.52%	45 of 690
English/Language Arts/Speech	0.00%	0 of 6	7.10%	49 of 690
Science	16.67%	1 of 6	5.51%	38 of 690

Section 4 Unemployment

4.1 Which best describes your situation?

	Local		State	
Unemployed now but have been employed since high school	0.00%	0 of 0	68.29%	28 of 41
Unemployed since high school	0.00%	0 of 0	24.39%	10 of 41

4.2 Which best describes why you are currently unemployed?

	Local		State	
Waiting to enter the military	0.00%	0 of 0	2.44%	1 of 41
No jobs available in my community	0.00%	0 of 0	24.39%	10 of 41
No jobs available related to my CTE program	0.00%	0 of 0	2.44%	1 of 41
Lack the academic skills to get a job	0.00%	0 of 0	2.44%	1 of 41
Lack the technical skills to get a job	0.00%	0 of 0	2.44%	1 of 41
Do not desire employment	0.00%	0 of 0	51.22%	21 of 41