#### WHAT WE DO.....

The instructors as Giles County Technology Center not only prepare students for skilled jobs and further their education, but also help students land that all important first job in the technical field. Through contacts in husiness and industries the instructors provide students with job leads, serve as a reference and assist in filling out applications and arranging interviews. We realize the most difficult task in landing that first job is getting one's foot in the door. We help students get through the



### HOW IT WORKS....

- ⇒ Each Program (excluding Nursing) are 2 year programs
- $\Rightarrow$  Juniors and Seniors only
- ⇒ Must have...
- \* Good attendance
- On track to graduate
- \* Good discipline record



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## WHAT WE OFFER.....

#### Automotive Service Technology

\*Program is ASE certified in 6 of 8 areas.

#### **Building Trades**

\*Option to take NCCER Core Curriculum, Carpentry 1, Electrical 1, Plumbing 1, Masonry 1 Certification Exams.

#### **Computer Systems Technology**

\*Dual Enrollment program with New River Community College.

- 12 Credits

#### **Drafting/Pre-Engineering**

\*Dual Enrollment program with New River Community College.

- 8 Credits

Students will take the American Design Drafting Association Certification

#### Cosmetology

\*Students are required to take the state Board of Cosmetology exam at the end of the program.



#### **Licensed Practical Nursing**

\*18 month program for seniors only. Students are required to take Nursing Assistant to be admitted into the Practical Nursing program. A pre-entrance test is given prior to admission, This test measure reading comprehension and math skills. An acceptable pre-set score must be met to enter into the Practical Nursing program.

#### Machine Technology

\*Dual Enrollment program with New River Community College.

- 9 Credits

Students will take industry certification exams from the National Institute for Metalworking
Skills Level 1.

#### Welding

\*Students will pass a 10 hour OSHA safety training course. Students will take certification exam at the end of course.

#### **Nursing Assistant**

\*1 year only program in either 11th or 12th grade.

Dual Enrollment program with New River Community College.

- 4 Credits



## DID YOU KNOUL ..

of all America during the next ten years will not require a four year college degree but will require technical skills training. For those students that want to enter directly into the work force upon graduation from high school, technical education provides the skills to obtain entry-level jobs in a wide range of careers. These jobs that are available with business and industries within the New River Valley.

