Education and Training CTE Program

| Education and Training | |
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| Course Code: TBD | 1 Credit |
| Prerequisite: None | Course Fee: \$20 |

Education and Training is a one-credit course. This course is the prerequisite for all pathways included in the Education and Training cluster. The course is designed for students who are interested in pursuing careers in education. Course content includes the organizational structure of education, careers, the role of the teacher, characteristics of effective teachers, communication skills, the teaching and learning processes, learning styles, research, characteristics of positive classroom environments, human growth and development, curriculum development, student characteristics, teaching techniques, learning activities, educational initiatives, technology, and careers. Observational experiences are a required component of this course.

| Teaching I | |
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| Course Code: TBD | 1 Credit |
| Prerequisite: Education and Training | Course Fee: \$20 |

Teaching I content includes information to help students implement the teaching and learning processes. Major topics are funding sources, budget preparations, legal aspects, research, teaching and learning theories, curriculum development, positive learning environments, creative teaching techniques, appropriate learning activities, instructional resources, community resources and services, scope and sequence charts, course outlines, lesson plans, testing, grading, developing partnerships, technology, and careers. School-based laboratory experiences are essential for students to develop skills in teaching. Students will complete a philosophy of education and take the Alabama Educator Certification Testing Program: Principles of Teaching and Learning (K-6), (5-9), or (7-12). Student requirements: Education and Training teacher approval, no out of school suspensions and excessive absences, and student must provide private transportation to the placement site(s).

| Teaching II | |
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| Course Code: TBD | 1 Credit |
| Prerequisite: Teaching I | Course Fee: \$20 |

Teaching II content provides students with advanced knowledge and skills used in the education field. Concepts of legal aspects of education, instructional resources, motivation, types of assessments, constructing texts, positive learning environments, lesson planning and teaching for various areas and grades, reading level of instructional materials, classroom management

strategies, partnerships, public relations, professional associations, technology, and careers are included in the course. Students will complete a philosophy of education and take the Alabama Educator Certification Testing Program: Core Academic Skills Exam. Observational experiences are a required component of this course. **Student requirements: Education and Training teacher approval, no out of school suspensions and excessive absences, and student must provide private transportation to the placement site(s).**

| Education and Training Internship | |
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| Course Code: TBD | 1 Credit |
| Prerequisite: Senior students who have completed Teaching II | Course Fee: None |

Education and Training Internship content provides students with hands-on experience, advanced knowledge and skills used in the education field. Instructional program is compiled of classroom teaching and professional traits. Students will complete a professional portfolio consisting of lesson plans, student work examples, and more. Observational experiences are a required component of this course. Students must complete an application and be accepted to the Internship. Internship placement requires Education and Training teacher approval, no out of school suspensions and excessive absences; and student must provide private transportation to the placement site(s).