CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

CTE 4th Annual Career Night

Goose Creek CISD Career and Technical Education (CTE) Department will host the 4th Annual Career Night on Tuesday, January 27, 2015, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Robert E. Lee High School Commons. The event is open to all students, parents and community members in the district and will provide information about the educational requirements for jobs in the area. Transportation will be provided to Lee High School at 5:30 p.m. for students and parents from Ross S. Sterling High School and Goose Creek Memorial High School, and buses will return to the schools at 8:00 p.m.

Representatives from high school and post-secondary programs will join others from business and industry to help guide students to successful careers in the pathways of their choice. Career and Technical Education, Counseling, and College and Career Readiness staff will be on providing workshops and informational sessions on GCCISD Career Academies, IMPACT Early College High School, Avid, Dual Credit, Financial Aid, Scholarships and Apply Texas. This year, Career Night will be especially helpful to 8th grade students, who will design new graduation plans in accordance with House Bill 5 requirements. "This year's Career Night will focus on how our GCCISD career pathways relate to the new graduation requirements," said Tameka Mills, Goose Creek CISD's coordinator of Career and Technical Education. "We will have participants grouped together by not only career clusters but also graduation endorsements areas to allow students and parents to focus on their area of interest."

Goose Creek CISD is inviting members of the regional business community to participate in the district's 4th Annual Career Night, an effort to provide students with an opportunity to understand the educational requirements for jobs in our area.



David Clayton (right), teacher at Robert E. Lee High School, discusses the Arts, AVV Technology and Communications Career Cluster with a prospective student at last year's Career Night. The 4th Annual Career Night will be January 27, 2015. Community members, business and industry representatives, students and district employees may volunteer by registering at http://www.gccisd.net/cte.

"It is important that we not only have business community representation from those career areas that are normally associated with Career and Technical Education, but also occupational areas that are a part of Arts and Humanities as well," said Mills. "We want to ensure that our students have the opportunity to meet with companies' representatives from all 16 federally defined career clusters."

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