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Agenda

- **Objectives**
- Profile of the South Carolina
 Graduate
- High Quality Programs
- Contact Information



Objectives

Present a brief description of high-quality Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs in South Carolina.

- Explain the importance of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate.
- Describe the elements of a high-quality program.
- Provide opportunities for questions and answers.
- Provide contact information.



College, Career, and Military Readiness

Profile of the South Carolina Graduate



World Class Knowledge

- Rigorous standards in language arts and math for career and college readiness
- Multiple languages, science, technology, engineering, mathematics (STEM), arts and social sciences

World Class Skills

- Creativity and innovation
- Critical thinking and problem solving
- Collaboration and teamwork
- Communication, information, media and technology
- Knowing how to learn

Life and Career Characteristics

- Integrity
- Self-direction
- Global perspective
- Perseverance
- Work ethic
- Interpersonal skills

Approved by SCASA Superintendents Roundtable and SC Chamber of Commerce SC Education Oversight Committee, SC State Board of Education, SC Department of Education, SC General Assembly, SC Council on Competitiveness, TransformSC, & SC Arts in Basic Curriculum Steering Committee



WHAT IS A HIGH-QUALITY PROGRAM?



High Quality Elements of a CTE Program

- Certified Teacher
- Structured State-Approved Programs
- Rigorous Industry Recognized Standards
- Business/Industry Partnerships
- Work-Based Learning Experiences
- Industry Recognized Certifications/Licenses/Credentials
- Postsecondary Education and Training
- Advisory Committees



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