PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE for all students

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Raising Cane’s River Center
JUMP START 101
ONE HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

TOPS University
Academic Courses
EOC Tests

Jump Start TOPS Tech
Academic Courses
EOC Tests
9 Jump Start Courses
Credential(s)
A series of courses and credential(s) that are required to prepare a student for specific high-wage, high-demand career.

Currently: 47 pathways
STATEWIDE PATHWAYS

• Associated with highest paying wages
• Most difficult to earn
• Credential recognized nationally
• Provides most accountability points to school (150-Advanced/110-Basic)

*Examples*: Certified Nurse Assistant, Welder, Mobile Crane Operator
INTEGRATED PATHWAYS

- Student may earn statewide credential OR a core credential & two complementary credentials

- Not as many accountability points for school

*Examples:* Health Science Patient Care and Management, Agriculture Tech
REGIONAL PATHWAYS

• Designed for specific regions of the state

• Student must earn both regional credential and 2 complementary credentials

• No extra accountability points for school (100 - Regional)

Examples: Business Management, Welder’s Helper, Workplace Safety
JUMP START COURSES

• Universal
• Career Readiness
• Pathway Specific
• Internship
• Virtual Workplace Experience
• Cooperative Course
• Pre-apprenticeship Course
JUMP START CREDENTIALS

- Statewide Advanced
- Statewide Basic
- Regional
- Complementary

Example: WorkKeys Silver
JUMP START SCHEDULING

1. Offer universal Jump Start courses as early as 7th grade
2. Embed Jump Start credentials into existing courses
3. Be creative
4. Be flexible
5. Use summers, afternoons/evenings, weekends...
JUMP START FUNDING

- Career Development Funds (CDF)
- Carl Perkins
- Education Excellence Fund (EEF)
- Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)
- Grants
- Supplemental Course Academy (SCA)
- Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (ESSA)
- Local Vocational
SPECIAL NEEDS STUDENTS

- Any pathway can be modified
- 833 students
- Study Skills can be up to 4 Jump Start credits
- Work with student’s IEP team
- Some credential exams provide accommodations
- Don’t underestimate students
TEACHER TRAINING

- Identify credentialed faculty
- Train teachers who are willing
- Train multiple teachers (if possible)
- Identify training sites, costs, etc.
- Choose funding source for training
- Be aware of recertification requirements (credential fact sheet)
- Online training sites (teachers & students)
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