

Jefferson Davis County Career and Technical Education Center
Information for Prentiss Christian School



There are currently five programs offered at the CTE Center:

- **Welding**
- **Construction/Carpentry**
- **Health Science**
 - *Prerequisites*
 - C or higher in last English course taken
 - C or higher in last math course taken
 - C or higher in Biology (or last science course taken as approved by instructor)
 - Minor or no discipline history as students will spend some time in an off-campus clinical setting
- **Teacher Academy**
 - *Prerequisites*
 - C or higher in last English course taken
 - C or higher in last math course taken
 - Minor or no discipline history as students will spend some time in an off-campus clinical setting
- **Engineering**
 - *Prerequisites*
 - C or higher in pre-Algebra or Algebra (last course taken)

CTE courses are set up as follows:

- Students who complete the 1st year earn 2 Carnegie units.
- Students who complete the 2nd year in the same program earn 2 more Carnegie units and are considered completers.
 - Students are chosen for 2nd year based on CPAS (end-of-year state assessments) performance, behavior as a 1st year student, and teacher recommendation.
 - Students who complete 2nd year and have a 3.0-3.49 GPA receive a half-tuition technical scholarship, and those that have a 3.5 or higher receive a full-tuition technical scholarship to Pearl River Community College.
- There are two groups of 1st year students and one group of 2nd year students for each program:
 - **A block** (1st year students) TBA
 - **B block** (2nd year students) TBA
 - **C block** (1st year students) TBA
- Each class is capped at 15 students (shop classes are kept around 10-12 when possible).

Throughout the year, there are multiple opportunities for students to be exposed to college, military, and industry recruiters. PRCC does a big day each fall where they come in and talk to students. Military recruiters are there almost weekly. Students are also taken on several visits to colleges and industries.

Attending the CTE Center is a viable option for our students. Prentiss Christian is committed to making attendance possible for those students who see the CTE Center as a pathway to their chosen career or profession. If you are interested in this educational option, please contact the school office.

Thank you.

Danny Quick

Headmaster

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