



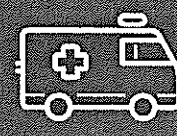
Academics + Skills = College & Career Success



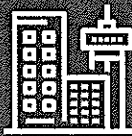
Culinary Arts



Early Childhood Education



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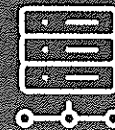


Hospitality Management

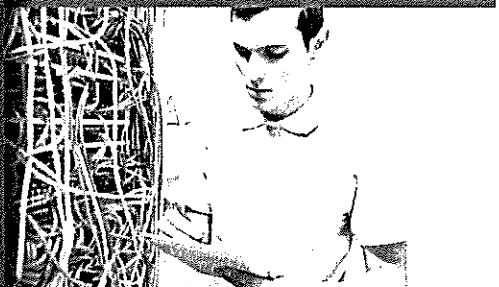
About NWCCA

The North Wake College and Career Academy (NWCCA) is a collaborative endeavor between the Wake County Public School System and Wake Technical Community College. Students at NWCCA will be able to complete studies in one of the five CTE programs as part of their high school graduation credits.

Through an academic foundation, paired with career-informed courses and work-based learning experiences, graduates of NWCCA will be prepared to continue on to a four-year university, or apply their earned credits towards an AAS degree, certificate or diploma program at Wake Technical Community College.



**Information Technology
Technical Support**



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College and Career Offerings @ NWCCA

Culinary Arts

The Culinary Arts program prepares students to assume positions as culinary professionals in a variety of food service settings, including full-service restaurants, hotels, resorts, clubs, catering operations, contract food services, and health facilities.

Career Pathways:

Restaurant Cook, Caterer, Sous Chef, Executive Chef, and Food Services Manager.

Early Childhood Education

Students in the Early Childhood Education program will learn to work with young children in a variety of settings, including day care centers, preschools, and child development centers. The program includes coursework in child development, child psychology, and child education. Students will also gain hands-on experience in a child development center.

Career Pathways:

Child Development Associate (CDA), Child Development Worker, Child Development Assistant, Child Development Aide, Child Development Teacher, Child Development Supervisor, Child Development Director, Child Development Administrator, Child Development Consultant, Child Development Specialist, Child Development Coordinator, Child Development Manager, Child Development Executive, Child Development Entrepreneur, Child Development Investor, Child Development Entrepreneur, Child Development Investor.

Emergency Medical Science

The Emergency Medical Science program provides high-quality, hands-on instruction in emergency medical care to prepare Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) and paramedics to meet regional demand. Students learn through intensive, scenario-based instruction and the use of state-of-the-art simulation equipment.

Career Pathways:

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), and Paramedics.

Hospitality Management

The Hospitality Management program prepares students for professional positions in hotels, resorts, inns, restaurants, clubs, and other institutions. The curriculum allows students to build and apply the administrative and practical skills essential for success in the hospitality industry.

Career Pathways:

Entry-level Managerial Positions in Front Office, Reservations, Housekeeping, Purchasing, Dining Room, and Marketing.

CTE Instruction @ NWCCA

Wake Tech Community College instructors will deliver the instruction in within the five areas of CTE studies at NWCCA, and Wake County Schools teachers will ensure that the academic content is taught through a college and career lens. Project-based learning along with a flexible schedule creates integration between high school and college.

IT - Technical Support

The IT Technical Support program prepares students for employment with organizations that use computers to process, manage, and communicate information. It provides hands-on experience that allows students to implement, support, and customize industry-standard computer information technology.

Career Pathways:

Help Desk Technician, Hardware Support Technician, Networking Support Technician.

Top 12 Reasons You Want Your Student @ NWCCA



College & Career Focused Classes



98% Graduation Rate from WCPSS academies



Classes Cohorted with Like-Minded Peers



Improve College Applications & Resume



College & Career Courses Taught by College Instructors



Industry Certifications & Work Credentials



Real-World Learning Experiences



Support from Businesses, Colleges & Universities



Honors & AP courses



Summer Internship Opportunities



Careers Exploration: Job Shadowing & Career Fairs



Free college credits while still in high school

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FACT SHEET

BASICS

- Comprehensive (Core Academics and CTE)
- Grades 9-11
- Capacity is 400 students
- Location: 931 Durham Road, Wake Forest, NC 27587
- Wake Tech Community College Calendar
- Transportation: Express bussing
- Athletics – Wakefield High School
- For August 2017 we are recruiting rising 9, 10 and 11
- Students must apply to one of the five specific programs
- Students must have met promotion requirements
- World Language (Spanish)

UNIQUE PROGRAMS



Culinary Arts



Early Childhood Education



Emergency Medical Services



Hospitality Management



Information Technology - Tech Support

Courses in the program area are taught by WTCC faculty

Students earn college credit in the five program areas

All programs provide a pathway to an AAS degree, certificate, or diploma program at Wake Tech.

FACT SHEET

VISION FOR THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

- Project Based Learning
- Deliberate collaboration protocol between WTCC/ WCPSS teachers to make sure that the academic program is taught through a CTE lens
- Honors and AP classes
- Pathway of Work Based Learning experiences (Job Shadowing, Internships, Co-ops)
- Integration of soft and employability skills into all courses

STUDENT PROFILE

- Passion for the program
- Understand value of core academics as part of program
- Criteria – Grades (Last 2 report cards); EOG/ C scores; student engagement/ behavior (Principal and Teacher recommendations); open to working in teams

APPLICATION PROCESS

- November 7 through December 16, 2016 – Early College Application period is open (students must apply online within this time period)
- Must complete an application for a specific program(s)
 1. If applicable, indication of 1st Generation College Status
 2. Essay
 3. Provide Email Addresses for 3 Recommendations (1 Administrative/ Counselor, 1 Math, 1 ELA)
 4. Report Cards; Transcript; EOG/C scores
 5. If selecting more than one program, must rank first choice, second choice, and third choice. Applicant may select up to three program areas.
 6. Must meet the technical standards for the program
 7. The application will be available on the school website.

**More
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