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MEMORANDUM

TO: District Career and Technical Education Directors
District Technical Center Directors

FROM: Kevin O'Farrell, Ph.D.

DATE: August 21, 2024

SUBJECT: 2024-25 Student Success in Career and Technical Education Incentive Fund

The 2024 General Appropriation Act (GAA) ([Chapter 2024-231, Laws of Florida](#)), Specific Appropriation 124 from the General Revenue, allocated nonrecurring funds for Student Success in Career and Technical Education. A total of \$2.5 million was allocated to successful CTE programs based on the following criteria: Successful Program Outcomes, Employment/Continuing Education and Wage Value.

The CTE Audit Report for the years 2017-18 to 2019-20 was used to evaluate CTE programs based on these criteria. For Employment/Continuing Education and Wage Value, the District Postsecondary Vocational Programs Report for the year 2021-22 data from the Florida Education and Training Placement Information Program (FETPIP) are posted on the following link: <https://www.fldoe.org/accountability/fl-edu-training-placement-info-program/>.

The allocations by institutions were provided in the specific appropriations in each sector's funding area in the GAA. Attached is the District summary that shows the amounts calculated by the legislature for each school district.

Expenditures must abide by the state cost guidelines for the allowable use of funds. The following are non-allowable uses of state funds: indirect costs, fixed capital outlay, renovation or remodeling. Agencies will be expected to report on the impact of these funds at the end of the fiscal year. Agencies will be provided with a direct transfer of funds in four increments each quarter, allowing for the efficient use of these resources to benefit programs.

Should you have questions about this program, please contact Tara Goodman, Vice Chancellor, at Tara.Goodman@fldoe.org, or Dr. Claudia Campagnola at Claudia.Campagnola@fldoe.org, or call our office at 850-245-9001.

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Attachment

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