# West Forsyth High School Pathway Night

November 2, 2023



# **Our Pathways**

Career Tech
Fine Arts
World Language
Advanced Placement

## **Career Tech Pathways**

#### Why Take Career Tech Courses?

- Theory and Application
- College preparation and genuine college and career direction
- Students make friends and participate in CTSO (Career Tech Student Organizations) together
- Scholarship Opportunities
- Recognitions
  - National Technical Honors Society
  - Pathway Completion Medallions





## Career Tech Pathways at West

- Audio Video Technology and Film
- Computer Science
- Cosmetology
- Culinary Arts
- Engineering and Technology
- Fashion Marketing
- Healthcare Allied Health and Medicine
- Marketing Management
- Nutrition and Food Science
- Sports and Entertainment Marketing
- Teaching as a Profession
- Web Development





# Audio Video Technology and Film

- Audio Video Technology and Film I
- Audio Video Technology and Film II
- Audio Video Technology and Film III



# Computer Science

- Introduction to Software Technology
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science A



# Cosmetology

- Introduction to Personal Care Services
- Cosmetology Services II
- Cosmetology Services III



# **Culinary Arts**

- Introduction to Culinary Arts
- Culinary Arts I
- Culinary Arts II



# **Engineering and Technology**

- Foundations of Engineering and Technology
- Engineering Concepts
- Engineering Applications



# **Fashion Marketing**

- Marketing Principles
- Fashion, Merchandising, Retail
- Advanced Fashion, Merchandising, Retail



#### Healthcare - Allied Health and Medicine

- Introduction to Healthcare Science
- Essentials of Healthcare
- Allied Health and Medicine



# Marketing Management

- Marketing Principles
- Marketing and Entrepreneurship
- Marketing Management



## **Nutrition and Food Science**

- Food, Nutrition, and Wellness
- Food for Life
- Food Science



# Sport and Entertainment Marketing

- Marketing Principles
- Introduction to Sports and Entertainment Marketing
- Advanced Sports and Entertainment Marketing



## Teaching as a Profession

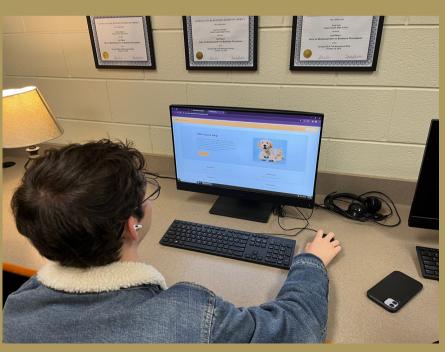
- Examining the Teaching Profession
- Contemporary Issues in Education
- Teaching as a Profession Practicum



# Web Development

- Introduction to Software Technology
- AP Computer Science Principles
- Web Development





# Why Take Fine Arts Courses?

- Performance based courses develop skills like resilience, grit, and a growth mindset to help them master their craft, do well academically, and succeed in life after high school.
- Students make friends and participate in collaborative competitions, shows and events.
- Scholarship Opportunities
- National Honors Societies
- Pathway Completion Medallions
- Georgia Fine Arts Seal

# Fine Arts Pathways

- Chorus
- Instrumental Music
- Music Technology
- Theatre
- Visual Arts



## Chorus

- Beginning
- Intermediate

- Advanced
- Ensemble



#### Instrumental Music

- Band
- Orchestra
- Percussion
- Guard



# **Music Technology**

- Beginning
- Intermediate
- Advanced



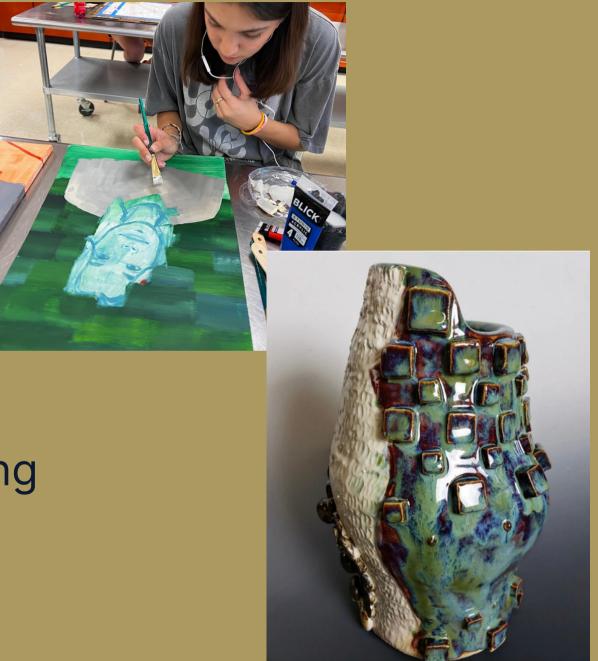
## **Theatre**

- Acting
- Advanced Drama
- Musical Theatre
- Technical Theatre



#### **Visual Arts**

- Visual Arts
- Sculpture
- Photography
- AP Art & Design: 2D
- AP Art & Design: Drawing
- AP Art & Design: 3D



# Why Take World Language Courses?

- Improves analytical and problem solving skills
- Increases creativity, vocabulary, memory, and listening skills
- Improves skills and grades in math and English and on the SAT/ACT.
- Provides a more profound understanding of one's own culture
- Leads to an appreciation of cultural diversity
- Provides a competitive edge in a global society
- Recognitions
- National Spanish and Latin Honor Societies



# WFHS World Languages

Spanish I

Spanish II

Spanish III

Spanish IV

AP Spanish Language

Latin I

Latin II

Latin III

Latin IV

**AP Latin** 















# Work-Based Learning



#### Internship

Structured real-world experiences that connect a student's career goal and classroom learning in a productive work environment.

#### Mentorship

A career mentorship, or job shadowing experience with a community mentor designed around the individual student's interest in a specific field or career



# Why Take AP Courses?

- <u>Get into the college of your choice</u>: AP Courses enhance a student's academic transcript, offering better opportunities for college admissions.
- <u>Develop skills that lead to success in college</u>: AP Courses require higher level critical thinking skills.
- Save money: Many colleges award credit for passing scores on AP exams.
- <u>Finish college sooner</u>: Students who receive course credit for AP exam scores may finish college earlier or may be able to take additional college courses.

#### WFHS Advanced Placement Courses

#### Math

- AP Precalculus
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Statistics

#### Language Arts

- AP English Language
- AP English Literature

#### Science

- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science
- AP Physics 1
- AP Physics 2
- AP Physics C: Mechanics

#### **Social Studies**

- AP Human Geography
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Psychology
- AP US History
- AP US Government
- AP World History

#### Fine Arts

• AP Studio Art (2D or 3D)

#### World Languages

- AP Latin
- AP Spanish Language

# Pathway Completion Recognition

- Advanced Academic
- Fine Arts
- World Language
- CTAE

# Pathway Completion Recognition

• Seal on Diploma

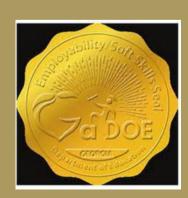


• FCS Pathway Medallion



# Pathway Completion Recognition

- Students can earn multiple seals for their diploma
- Students can qualify for multiple medallions
  - Only one Medallion Issued
  - Other medallion qualifications indicated by pin on medallion
  - Only one area of advanced academic recognition





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