

Career & Technical Education for *All*



Food Processing

Kelliher FFA and Cattle Company students practice hands-on cutting, handling, packaging, and sanitation aspects of food processing.



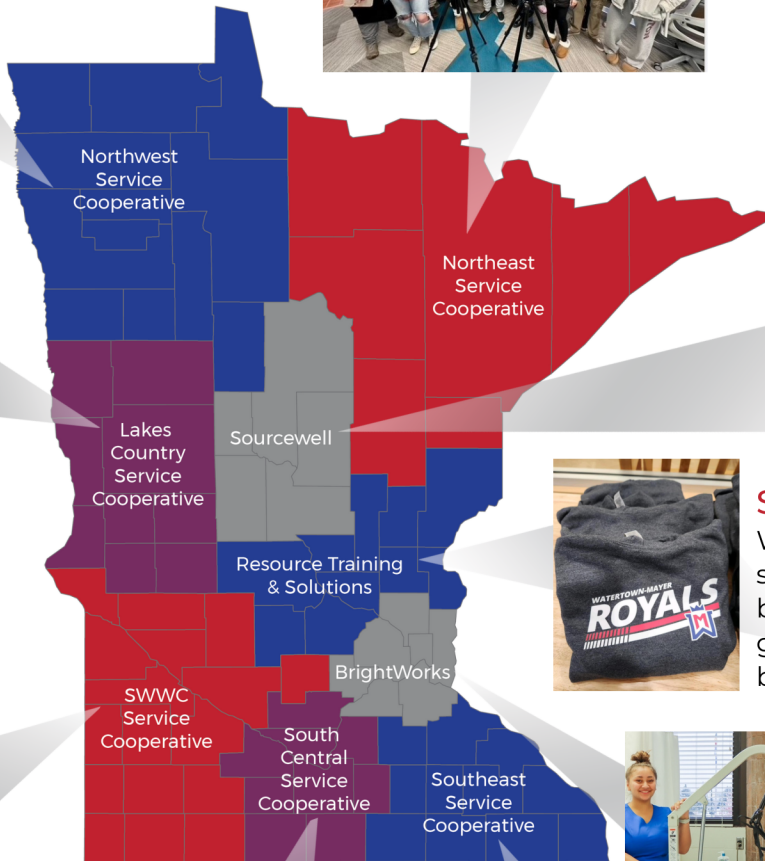
Videography

Chisholm High School students build technical skills at state-of-the-art digital lab at the MN Discovery Center.



CTE Teacher Licensure/Induction

Over 300 teachers across Minnesota receive support through licensure preparation, induction, and mentoring.



Healthcare Careers

Essentia Health provides first-hand career experiences for students. "I got to experience spinal surgery and see how nurses interact with patients!" (Pequot Lakes Student)



Student-Run Business

Watertown-Mayer develops a student-run screen-printing business supported by a local graphic designer, area businesses, and booster club.



Business Partnerships

LYFT Pathway partnerships with businesses such as Kibble Equipment in Wabasso provide students with real-world skills and employment opportunities.



Intermediate School Districts

Launch funding for innovative CTE programming that removes barriers for students.



Construction/Manufacturing

Gibbon-Fairfax-Winthrop Thunderbird Manufacturing students put their construction and welding skills to use building cabins for local county parks.



SE Welding Competition

123 students from 21 schools participate in the first Southeast MN Welding Competition. Rochester Community & Technical College gains four students for their PSEO Welding program through the competition.

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The Minnesota Service Cooperatives are AGILE in creating IMPACT on regional, district, and individual student levels. Together, we are leveraging statewide and regional approaches to ensure robust CTE experiences that lead to successful futures for all students.

IMPACT HIGHLIGHTS • JULY 2022–DECEMBER 2023

CAREER-CONNECTED LEARNING FOR STUDENTS

- Over 50,000 students participated in advanced career-connected learning
- Over 300 students received one or more industry credentials or certifications
- Over 200 students received dual credit in a Pathway Course
- Over 800 students participated in a work-based learning experience



EDUCATOR and SCHOOL SUPPORT

- Over 300 teachers served statewide through licensure, induction, and mentoring
- Over 40 teachers received industry certifications
- Over \$1.7 million invested in innovative CTE projects in our schools
- Over 400 school districts developed new or enhanced existing CTE programs for students
- Over 30 career/workforce practitioners participated in the Career-Connected Learning Community of Practice
- Over 50 schools provided nearly \$1 million to upgrade CTE equipment/technology



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

- Over 1,500 business, industry, and community partners directly engaged in CTE programming
- Over \$1 Million of partnership funds leveraged to support CTE in schools
- FutureForward™ received a 2023 MN Tekne Award for innovative approach to connecting business and post-secondary partners with students and educators



CTE INVESTMENTS PLANNED FOR 2024–2025

- Nearly \$5 million to school districts, including \$2 million to Intermediate School Districts for new or enhanced CTE programming or equipment
- Over \$1 million in supporting career coordination and work-based learning for students
- Over \$1.3 million to support teacher licensure, induction, and professional development
- Nearly \$700,000 in developing career pathways/academies
- Over \$600,000 in CTE promotions, marketing and advanced partnerships statewide
- Expanding FutureForward™ and Metier, a 7-8th Grade Career Exploration Program, across Minnesota



These numbers are conservative estimates based on data acquired as of 12/31/23.

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