

# CTE in Oklahoma



Career and technical education (CTE) programs equip students with the skills and experience necessary to pursue careers in key Oklahoma industries such as:



Aerospace



Energy and Power



Healthcare



Manufacturing

In 2025, CareerTech students in Oklahoma earned more than 40,300 industry-recognized credentials, a 5,600 increase from the previous year.

Many students are already enrolled in CTE in Oklahoma, developing technical, academic and employability skills and engaging in work-based learning experiences with industry partners.

During the 2024-25 school year, Oklahoma had:

**172,906**

secondary CTE participants

**30,880**

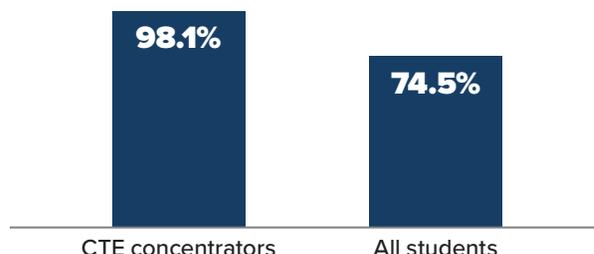
postsecondary CTE participants

These youth and adult learners in CTE programs are more engaged, graduate high school at higher rates, earn industry-recognized credentials and have rewarding and family-sustaining careers.

**FY25 Federal Perkins CTE Funding for Oklahoma**

**\$18,455,629**

Four-year graduation rate in Oklahoma (2024-25)



**18,720**

CTE completers in full-time technology center programs and associate degrees in CTE fields awarded to Oklahoma students (2024-25)

Supporting CTE programs across Oklahoma ensures that students have access to rigorous and industry-relevant coursework in high-skill, high-wage and in-demand fields.

**CTE: Good for Students, Good for Businesses, Good for Communities**