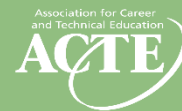


# CTE in Nebraska



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



agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting



manufacturing



health care and social assistance



finance and insurance

In 2024, 50% of Nebraska high school students were CTE concentrators.

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

During the 2023-24 school year, Nebraska had:

**128,487**

secondary CTE participants

**32,750**

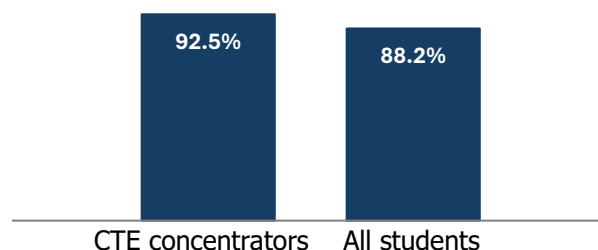
postsecondary CTE participants

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.

FY 26 Federal Perkins CTE Funding for Nebraska

**\$8,264,969**

Four-year graduation rate in Nebraska (2023-24)



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

**8,799**

Postsecondary certificates and associate degrees in CTE fields awarded to Nebraska students (2023-24)

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