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Expected Highest Growth Career Fields

- Education
- Management
- Health Care
- Marketing & Sales
- Community Services

Taken from ACTs "The Future Workforce of Kansas" (2008)

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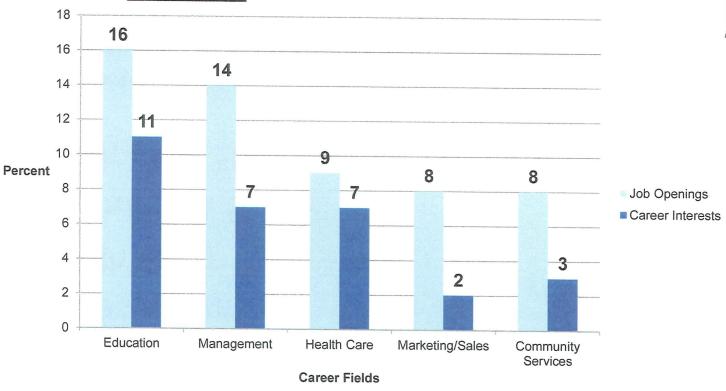
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Projected Annual Job Openings & KS High School Students' Interests in High Growth <u>Kansas</u> Career Fields^{1,2}





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- 1 State projections 2004-2014 provided by Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services.
- 2 Based on 2008 ACT-tested Kansas students (n = 14,975) with valid career information.

In Kansas

What We Know:

- There is some interest among Kansas high school students in pursuing these high-growth career fields, but not enough to meet the demand.
- Of Kansas students expressing interest in these high-growth career fields, more than 2/3 are ready for 1st-year college English courses, while less than 2/3 are prepared for college-level social science courses.
- Of Kansas students expressing interest in most of these high-growth career fields, less than ½ are ready for college-level math or science courses.

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Kansas Data Websites



http://www.achieve.org/kansas



http://www.postsecconnect.org/kansas

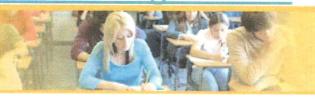
CONNECTION

Making the link between high school preparation and college success

http://www.biztools4schools.org/kansas



promoting more effective business involvement in america's public schools



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Additional generic CTE websites are located in the handout packet



Career & Technical Education TODAY

Vocational Education "Then"	CTE "Now"
For Some Students	For All Students
For a Few Jobs	For All Careers
6 to 7 "Program Areas"	16 Clusters – 81 Pathways
In Lieu of Academics	Aligns and Supports Academics
High School Focused	High School and College Partnerships

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So where do Career Clusters fit in? What are they?

- Career Clusters are groupings of occupations and industries
- These groupings are used as an organizing tool for:
 - Curriculum Design
 - Instructional + Guidance Model
 - Seamless Transition

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Kansas Career Fields and Clusters Model Cluster-level Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources · Animal Systems Information Support and Services Pathway-level · Agribusiness Systems Audio/Video Techniques · Web and Digital Communications · Biotechnology in Agriculture Journalism and Broadcasting Network Systems Environmental Service Systems · Performing Arts Programming and · Food Products and Processing Systems · Printing Techniques Software Development Natural Resources Systems Telecommunications Techniques Plant Systems Visual Arts · Power, Structural, and Technical Systems Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics · Facility and Mobile Equipment Maintenance **Business Management** Hospitality and Tourism Architecture and Construction . Health, Safety, and **Foundation Knowledge** and Administration Lodging Construction Environmental Management Administrative Services · Recreation, Amusements. and Skills Design and Pre-construction · Logistics Planning and Business Information and Attractions Maintenance and Operations Management Services Management · Restaurants and Food and Academic and Technical Skills Sales and Services Human Resources Beverage Services Manufacturing Transportation Operations Management Travel and Tourism Production Transportation/Systems · Employability · Information · General Management Manufacturing Production Infrastructure Planning. · Ethics Technology Operations Management Marketing Process Development Management, and Regulation · Systems Application Merchandising Maintenance, Installation. Warehousing and Distribution Teamwork Finance Marketing Management and Repair Center Operations Responsibilities · Career Banking Services Marketing Communications Quality Assurance Communication Development Business Finance Marketing Research · Logistics and Inventory Science, Technology, · Problem Solving · Safety, Health, · Securities and Investments Professional Selling Control Engineering, and · Critical Thinking and Environment • Insurance · Health, Safety, and **Mathematics** Accounting Environmental Assurance Engineering and Technology Science and Math (Investigative, Informational, and Educational) Education and Training Administration and Administrative Support Professional Support Services Government and Public Teaching/Training Health Science · Biotechnology Research and Development · Revenue and Taxation Human Services Law, Public Diagnostic Services Environmental Foreign Service Consumer Services Safety, and Security Supportive Services Governance Counseling and Mental · Correction Services Health Informatics Scan Data National Security Health Services · Emergency and Fire Therapeutic Services Planning · Early Childhood Development Management Services Public Management Law Enforcement Services and Services and Administration · Family and Community Services Legal Services Regulation Personal Care Services Security and Protective Services http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=3178

Partnership for 21st Century Skills

The leading advocacy organization infusing 21st century skills into education.

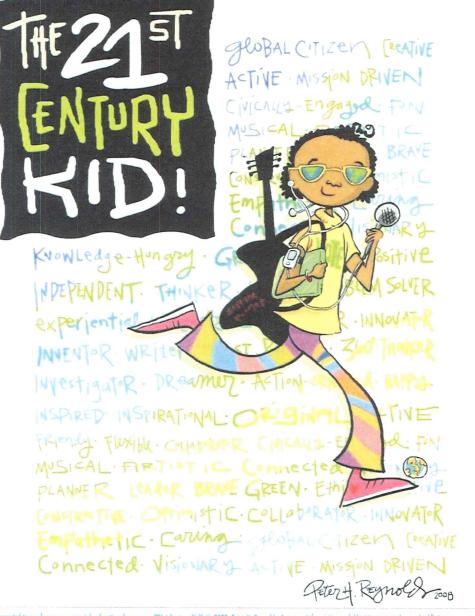


What Will They Look Like?

Tool

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21st Century CONTINUUM OF PRACTICES

Where are you on the continuum?

Moving from.....Moving Towards

Teacher-centered instruction......Student-centered learning Single sense stimulation......Multi-sensory stimulation Single path progression..... Multi-path progression Single media..... Multimedia Isolated work......Collaborative work

Information delivery......Information exchange

Passive, receptive learning......Active, inquiry-based learning

Factual, knowledge-based......Critical thinking, informed

decision making

Reactive response......Proactive, planned

Isolated, artificial context...... Authentic, real-world context

Passive learner.....Self-directed learner

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KSDE 21st Century Learning Profiles of the...

Ten Unifying Themes

- 1. Creativity and Innovation
- 2. Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
- 3. Communicating and Collaborating
- Information, Communication, Technology (ICT), and Media Literacy
- 5. Flexibility and Adaptability
- 6. Initiative and Self-Direction
- 7. Social and Cross-Cultural Skills
- 8. Productivity and Accountability
 - 9. Leadership and Responsibility
 - Employment and Career Development

Five Unifying Themes

- 1. Relationships
- 2. Relevance
- 3. Rigor
- 4. Results
- 5. Responsive Culture

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