

Mercer County Educational Service Center Business Advisory Council Quarterly Meeting 2

Good morning!



Let's get started!

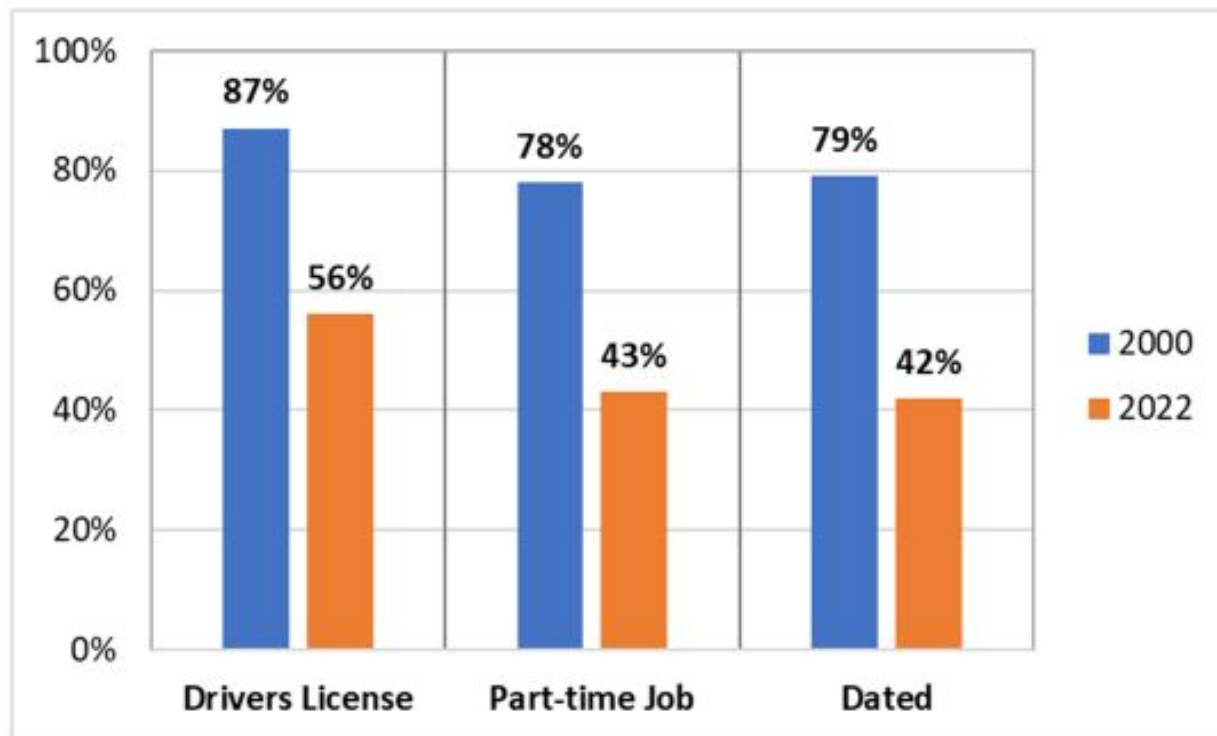
- Welcome!
- Housekeeping and Agenda Updates
- Introductions
 - Planning Committee Members
 - Quick Table Activity (5 minutes):
 - *Update your “Why?” - what do you hope to gain from today's session?*

Informational Insights

Essential Skill Updates: Where our students are, where our businesses are, and how we can bridge this gap together!

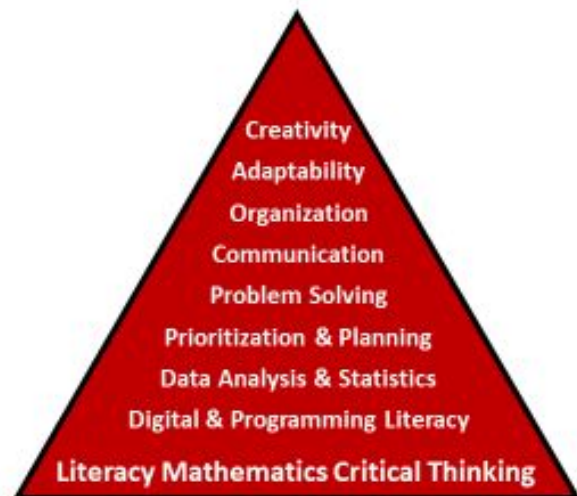
- We value these skills and get frustrated with kids who don't have them or don't apply them.
- Let's be part of the solution and stop admiring this problem.
- It is our responsibility to model and reinforce these behaviors in schools and in workplaces.

Percentage of 12th Graders Who Have:



Source: Monitoring the Future Study (Twenge, 2019, 2022 fig 1.13)

Future Focused Success Framework Domains



Cognitive & Academic



Interpersonal



Self-Leadership

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- Social Emotional Learning Standards (All levels)
- Ohio Means Jobs Readiness Seal (High School)
- Employability Skills (Tri Star)
- Workplace Programs

Working Group Highlights

BAC Events/Tours/Awareness and BAC/HTO Marketing Groups:
Jared and Sandi

- October 2023 [Middle School Tours Recap](#)
 - Over 635 middle school students from Celina, Coldwater, Fort Recovery, Marion Local, St. Henry and Versailles participated in a rotational schedule where each school was able to visit 3 sites in one designated day.
 - Thanks to Celina Tent, Inc. (CELINA), Fort Recovery Industries Inc., JR Manufacturing Inc., Lincoln Electric, Nidec Minster Corporation, Pax Machine Works, Inc., S&K Products, and VTF Excavation, LLC

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- School Event Inventory and *Proposed* BAC Event Framework

7th Grade	STEM Tours
8th Grade	Tri Star/CTE Tours
9th Grade	<i>**Possible Maker Fest-type event or Career Academy in the fall</i>
10th Grade	Tri Star/CTE Open House/Applications
11th Grade	<i>**Possible In-Depth Exploration Event; Tri Star Career Fair</i>
12th Grade	Targeted “micro” events, on-site job shadows, mock interviews, Tri-Star Career Fair

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- Spring 2023: [Proposed In-Demand Jobs Event for Juniors](#)
 - As part of the Proposed Framework, this event would allow for in-depth exploration of In-Demand Careers, in the Spring prior to Senior Year
 - An invitation to participate will be sent once the date is finalized with the schools.
Let us know if you would like to participate by responding to that invitation!

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Job Shadow Experiences: Sandi

- Toolkit Development Update:
 - What is the ideal form for this toolkit?
 - What additional information would you like to see included?
 - Q: Do companies prefer students or teachers/staff call to arrange job shadows?

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Pre-Apprenticeships and Work-Based Learning Implementation: Tammy

- **Funding Assistance: Strategic Ohio Council for Higher Education (SOCHE)
(Sandi)**
- **“Earn and Learn” Preview for March 2024 Meeting:**
 - **What do you need to know?**
- **2024 Teacher Bootcamp Updates: Grant Proposals due December 6**

Working Group Discussions

Please join with a group to share your feedback to help with their work.

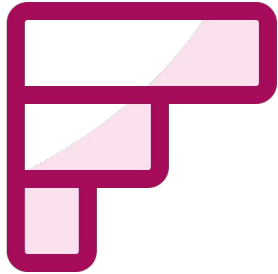
Future Forward

- Share out a Best Practice or Pain Point for Discussion
(Today or for A Future Meeting)
- Save the Date for Quarterly Meeting #3
 - Planned Topic: Pre-Apprenticeships, Internships, Work-Based Learning 101: What are all these options and how can students “Earn and Learn” ?

Our March 2024 Date Will Be Announced in Early January (Note Lake Campus Regional Summit

Date: March 7, 2024) - help us plan the time!

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Would you prefer a lunch or late afternoon meeting time for March?

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