

Make A Difference!

Career and Technical Education Advisory Committee volunteers help plan the training for our future workforce.

The guidance and advice of local advisory committee members can help ensure students are learning the most current skills needed in the workplace.

High school CTE is an organized system of programs which are directly related to preparation for careers.

Bringing employers and educators together on Advisory Board provides a format for sharing information and ideas.



***...bringing business,
community and education
together.***

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Schertz Cibolo Universal City ISD offers support to school district for career and technical education programs in Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources; Architecture and Construction; Arts, Audio/Video Technology, and Communications; Business, Marketing and Finance; Education and Training; Health Science; Hospitality and Tourism; Human Services; Information Technology; Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security; Manufacturing; and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. Admission to these programs is based on enrollment in Schertz Cibolo Universal secondary schools.

It is the policy of Schertz Cibolo Universal not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in its CTE programs, services or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Schertz Cibolo Universal will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and CTE programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Linda Cannon, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, at 1060 Elbel Rd, Schertz, TX 78154, (210) 945-6200.2.

Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD

CTE

Career and Technical Education Advisory Committee



What is a CTE Advisory Committee Member?

Career and Technical Education Advisory Committees

Career and Technical Education (CTE) advisory committees advise, assist and provide support and advocacy for quality CTE programs. Advisory committee volunteers have the opportunity to learn more about the CTE program, and the instructors are able to increase their understanding of the job market, employers' needs and community opportunities.

CTE Advisory Committees:

- ◆ Provide information to update, modify, expand, and improve the quality of programs.
- ◆ Support and strengthen the partnerships between business, labor, the community, and education.
- ◆ Make recommendations that will strengthen and expand the CTE curriculum, and provide assistance in implementing these recommendations.
- ◆ Identify and validate academic and occupational competencies, determining priorities, and review and evaluate programs.
- ◆ Communicate long-term goals and objectives of the CTE programs to students, parents, employers, and the community.

CTE Advisory Committee Mission:

“Business & Industry students will prepare for specialized majors and develop entry-level skills as they complete a well-planned program of study preparing them for the professional workplace and post-secondary education.”

CTE Advisory Committee members provide direction for CTE Programs



Responsibilities of Committee Members:

- ◆ Opportunities to provide teachers with technical assistance:
 - Identify critical industry skills and tools.
 - Evaluate & judge student projects.
 - Review and validate any benefits of state and national industry certifications that are offered to students in the SCUC ISD CTE classes.
- ◆ Opportunities to provide students with advice regarding general employability skills and career advice:
 - Serve as guest speaker (Virtual/In-person)
 - Assist with soft skills training, resume workshops, or mock interviews.
- ◆ Opportunities to provide SCUC ISD administrators with feedback.
 - Industry board members to complete the annual Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD-CTE Annual Year End Evaluation.

What is the Time Commitment?

What is expected of a CTE Advisory Committee member?

- ◆ General advisory committees meet 2–3 times per year for 1–2 hours each time during the school year.
 - ◆ Program of study focus group advisory committees may be combined with the general advisory meetings or may be held at another time.
- ◆ Meetings for both general and program-specific advisories are often in the late afternoon or evening; after school and when many business people are available.



If you are interested in volunteering for your local advisory committee, contact your local high school CCMR Advisor or CTE Coordinator.