

## The Future of Career Technical Education (CTE)

## in the Wasco Union High School District

## <u>Do you want more information? Join us Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm:</u>

A community informational meeting will be held at the **Wasco Union High School Cafeteria on Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm** to present the 2019-2020 Career Pathways program offerings and the district's partnership with Bakersfield College.

## What is CTE?

Career Technical Education (CTE) prepares students for a wide range of high-wage, high skill, high-demand careers. CTE is at the forefront of preparing students to succeed in fast-growing, high-growth industries around the country. The Wasco Union High School District (WUHSD) is in the process of redesigning its CTE programs that prepare students for a future that requires both academic and technical skills, whether a student chooses post-secondary education, the military, or to begin their career immediately after high school.

The District intends to expand CTE Career Pathways in the following industry sectors:



- Construction Management
- Industrial Automation
- Public Health
- Public Safety



These Career Pathways will expand the District's current CTE Career Pathways in Agriculture, Culinary Arts, and Multimedia.

As Bakersfield College continues to expand their commitment to serving rural communities (like Wasco), college level General Education and CTE courses offered during the school day will provide students Career Pathway options aligned to degree programs at Bakersfield College. Beginning this year, students will also be able to enroll in Bakersfield College courses offered in Wasco for FREE, enabling students to get a jump start on college while still in high school.

Please join us **Tuesday**, **June 18**<sup>th</sup> **at 6:00 pm** to learn more about CTE, Career Pathways, and Bakersfield College's Early College Initiative taking place in Wasco and other rural communities throughout Kern County!

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