

Georgia's 3rd Congressional District

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Georgia CTAE Delivers with Georgia CTSOs

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Golden Key Award Recipients

Golden Key	Awardee	School/Organization
Golden Key Award of Quality	Susan Hall	Fayette County High School
Golden Key Award of Quality	Christa Steinkamp	Georgia FFA
Golden Key Team Award	Ben Lastly, Hannah Elrick, & Andy Paul	Georgia FFA

Georgia Association for Career and Technical Education Excellence Awards

Award	Division	Awardee	Organization/School
Administrator of the Year	TIEGA	Sandra Martin	Georgia Department of Education
Administrator of the Year	GCCTA	Cynthia Clanton	Carroll County Schools
Counseling and Career Development Professional Award	Counseling and Career Development	Sean Myers	Pine Ridge Elementary
New Teacher of the Year	WBL/YAP	Seth Bierman	Harris County High School
State Administrator of the Year	GACTE	Cynthia Clanton	Carroll County Schools
Teacher of the Year	GCCTA	Marcia Morris	Carroll County Schools College & Career Academy
J. Alvin Wilbanks Lifetime Achievement Award	GACTE	Dr. James Woodard	Retired Superintendent from Morgan County and former CTAE Educator

LEAD CTAE

(Leadership Exploration Advocacy Development)

[Click here to see what the program is all about!](#)

Graduate	School
Blaire Thrasher	East Coweta Middle School

GVATA Awards

(Georgia Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association)

Award	Awardee	School System
Georgia Green Industry Association	Kaleigh Payne	Lamar County
Georgia Green Industry Association	Jessica Bowdon	Troup County High School

Work-Based Learning/Youth Apprenticeship Awards

Award	Awardee
Work-Based Learning Business Partner of the Year	Kubota Manufacturing of America

Atlanta Electrical Contractors' Employability Skills Award

Division	Place	Awardee	School System
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CTAE Teacher	Finalist	Anna Miller	Muscogee County
Counselor	Winner	Jessica Evans	Lamar County

Cloud Computing Pathway Pilot Program

School System	School
Savannah-Chatham County Public Schools	Villa Rica High School

FY21 Industry Certified Programs

[\(Click here to see the full list of Industry Certified Programs\)](#)

Program Certification Area	School
Architecture/Construction	Jordan Vocational High School
Business/IT/Finance Industry Certification	Jordan Vocational High School
Graphic Arts/Communications	Carroll County College and Career Academy - South
Graphic Arts/Communications	Carroll County College and Career Academy - North
Graphic Arts/Communications	Carrollton High School
Graphic Arts/Communications	Troup County High School
Nutrition and Food Science	Callaway High School
Nutrition and Food Science	Northside High School
Nutrition and Food Science	Troup High School

In the News!

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Annual Camp T&I Builds Tiny Homes for Veterans
Muscogee County CTAE EMT Program
Georgia's Future Educator Signing Day
Internships – Super Lawn Trucks
Trade and Industrial Instructors Learn from Industry Experts

CTI State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
Drafting and Design, Lvl 2	1st	Kendricks	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Healthcare Science, Lvl 2	1st	Ortiz	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South
Technology Skills, Lvl 2	1st	Keener	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Video Production	1st	Tucker	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South
Woodworking, Lvl 2	2nd	Sullivan and Bryant	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Culinary Arts, Lvl 2	3rd	Nelson	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South

DECA State Career Development Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
Food Marketing	1st	Rzepkowski	Whitewater High School
International Business Plan	2nd	York	Whitewater High School
Business Growth Plan	3rd	Stewart	Whitewater High School
Community Giving Project	3rd	Cahalan, Clay, & Moseley	Northside High School
Hospitality & Tourism Professional Selling	3rd	Patel	Whitewater High School
Quick Serve Restaurant Management	6th	Forsyth	Whitewater High School
Restaurant & Food Service Management	6th	Deslaurier	Whitewater High School
Hotel & Lodging Management	7th	Whaley	Whitewater High School
Entrepreneurship	8th	Benoit and Lezaj	Whitewater High School
Financial Consulting	8th	Smith	Harris County High School
Personal Financial Literacy	8th	Ling	Whitewater High School
Apparel & Accessories Marketing	9th	Mullis	Whitewater High School

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Principles of Marketing	9th	Turner	Northside High School
Retail Merchandising	9th	York	Whitewater High School

FBLA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
Word Processing	10th	Shivers	Temple High School
Desktop Publishing - ML	1st	Mathis, Lawrence, & Macon	Harris County Carver Middle School
Desktop Publishing - ML	2nd	Zuerner, Hardin, & Hughes	Harris County Carver Middle School
Business Law	4th	Meghie	Fayette County High School
Computer Applications - ML	4th	Davis	Harris County Carver Middle School
Community Service Project	5th	Local Chapter	East Coweta High School
Community Service Project	5th	Biswas and Williams	East Coweta High School
Introduction to Public Speaking	5th	Campeau	Harris County High School
Website Design	5th	Wilkinson	Northside High School
Desktop Publishing - ML	7th	Gardner, Carey, & Ligon	Harris County Carver Middle School
Help Desk	7th	Richardson	Carroll County College and Career Academy - South
Public Speaking	7th	Adams	Harris County High School
Spreadsheet Applications	7th	Michael Remick	Jordan Vocational High School
Word Processing	7th	Smith	Spalding High School
Digital Citizenship - ML	8th	Edwards	Harris County Carver Middle School
Securities & Investments	8th	Yang	East Coweta High School
Career Exploration - ML	9th	Weddington	Harris County Carver Middle School

FCCLA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Honor Roll Chapter			Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Chicken Fabrication	1st	Eller	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South
Creative Showpiece	1st	Arrington	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South
Knife Skills	1st	Davis	Fayette County High School
Nutrition and Wellness, Lvl 3	1st	Allen	Spalding High School
Proficiency Testing - Interior Design	1st	Perry	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Career Investigation, Lvl 2	2nd	Shawley	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Proficiency Testing - Etiquette	2nd	Barker	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Baking and Pastry, Lvl 3	3rd	Armstrong	Spalding High School
Knife Skills	3rd	Green	Carroll County College & Career Academy - South
Proficiency Testing - Culinary Arts	3rd	Rivers	Fayette County High School
Proficiency Testing - Fashion Design	3rd	Rosales	Carroll County College & Career Academy - North
Teach and Train, Lvl 3	5th	Toberts	Spalding High School

FFA State Career Development Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Agriculture Sales - Individual	1st	Trott	Locust Grove High School
Forestry, Jr.	1st	Barr, Smith, Teal, & Buford	Central High School
Agricultural Education	2nd	Tracey	Harris County High School
Forestry, Jr. - Individual	2nd	Barr	Central High School
Agriculture Technology & Equipment	2nd	Ivy, Albright, Ayers, & Forrester	Central Middle School
Extemporaneous Public Speaking	3rd	Foster	Pike County High School
Land Evaluation, Jr.	3rd	Crews, Payton, Stallings, & Teal	Central Middle School

FIRST Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
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Chairman's Award	District		Columbus High School
Dean's List Award		Maggie Fontaine	Columbus High School

HOSA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Interviewing Skills	1st	Colburn	Harris County High School
Life Threatening Situations - Middle School	1st	Aligeti	Rising Starr Middle School
Medical Math	1st	Johnston	Whitewater High School
Research Poster	1st	Lee	Starr's Mill High School
Research Poster	2nd	Nixon	McIntosh High School
Extemporaneous Writing - Online Test	3rd	Britt	Whitewater High School
Job Seeking Skills	3rd	Mensah	Sandy Creek High School
Extemporaneous Writing - Online Test	4th	Tyagi	Fayette County High School
Job Seeking Skills	4th	Glover	Starr's Mill High School
Nutrition - Middle School	4th	Aligeti	Rising Starr Middle School
Community Awareness	5th	Tan, Willit, New	Whitewater High School
Clinical Specialty	8th	Musciano-Howard	Fayette County High School
Clinical Specialty	10th	Carroll	Carroll County College and Career Academy - South
Healthcare Issues Exam	National Qualifier	Oiboh	Luella High School

SkillsUSA State Leadership and Skills Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
3-D Visualization and Animation	Gold	Blue and Patterson	Sandy Creek High School
Automotive Electronics/Ignition	Gold	Morgan	Fayette County High School
Graphic Imaging and Sublimation	Gold	Colburn	Harris County High School
Job Skill Demonstration A	Gold	Pope	Jordan Vocational High School
MEFGA News Production Challenge	Gold	Rivers and Cambridge	Fayette County High School
Pin Design	Gold	Dykes	Sandy Creek High School
Screen Printing Technology	Gold	Thames	Troup County High School
Sheet Metal	Gold	McKay	Harris County High School
SkillsUSA Georgia Pin Design Contest	Gold	Bozeman	LaGrange High School
SkillsUSA Georgia T-Shirt Design	Gold	Pope	Jordan Vocational High School
Automotive Brakes	Silver	Benitez	Carroll County College and Career Academy - South
Automotive Refinishing Technology	Silver	Bates	Heard County High School
Collision Repair Technology	Silver	Helms	Jordan Vocational High School
Digital Cinema Production	Silver	Mensah and Hsu	Sandy Creek High School
First Aid-CPR	Silver	Gilbert	Harris County High School
Automotive Electronics/Ignition	Bronze	Ward	Carroll County & Career Academy - North
Carpentry	Bronze	Owens	Carrollton High School
Graphic Communications	Bronze	Allen	Harris County High School
Graphic Imaging and Sublimation	Bronze	Dallas	Troup County High School
Job Interview	Bronze	Leigh	Jordan Vocational High School
Masonry	Bronze	Hubbard	Carrollton High School
Pin Design	Bronze	Pizarro	Carroll County & Career Academy - North
Power Equipment Technology	Bronze	Hampton	Jordan Vocational High School
SkillsUSA Georgia Pin Design Contest	Bronze	Allman	Carroll County College and Career Academy - South
T-Shirt Design	Bronze	Paver	Sandy Creek High School

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TSA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Pitchford Inspirational Teacher Award - MS		Kimberly Acosta -	Harris County Carver Middle School
First Lego League - FLL	1st		Harris County Carver Middle School
High School Outstanding Chapter	1st		Harris County Carver Middle School
Microcontroller Design - MS	1st	Jackson, Hustick, & Doub	Harris County Carver Middle School
Off the Grid - MS	1st	Johnson, Shine, & Markert	Harris County Carver Middle School
Outstanding Student - MS	1st	Williams	Harris County Carver Middle School
STEM Animation - MS	1st	Guzman and Thomas	Harris County Carver Middle School
System Control - MS	1st	Doub, Williams, & Thomas	Harris County Carver Middle School
Tech Bowl - MS	1st	Guzman, Kuebrich, & Patel	Harris County Carver Middle School
Video Game Design - MS	1st	Gatewood, Williams, Luker, Hustick, Shelnut, & Kinard	Harris County Carver Middle School
Chapter Team - MS	2nd	Aguirre, Guzman, Markert, Markert, McAllister, & Williams	Harris County Carver Middle School
Children's Stories - MS	2nd	Aguirre, Markert, & McAllister	Harris County Carver Middle School
Flight - MS	2nd	Guillaume	Harris County Carver Middle School
Inventions and Innovations - MS	2nd	Miller, Kinard, & Bradley	Harris County Carver Middle School
Mass Production - MS	2nd	Markert, McAllister, & Aut	Harris County Carver Middle School
Promotional Marketing - MS	2nd	Kuebrich	Harris County Carver Middle School
Software Development	2nd	Neznick, Chaney, Dunham, & Williams	Harris County High School
Technical Design - MS	2nd	Williams and Shelnut	Harris County Carver Middle School
Virtual VEX IQ - MS	2nd		Harris County Carver Middle School
Animatronics	3rd	Jackson, Markert, Franck, & Guillaume	Harris County High School
Coding - MS	3rd	Williams and Luker	Harris County Carver Middle School
Forensic Technology - MS	3rd	Kuebrich and Aut	Harris County Carver Middle School
Microcontroller Design - MS	3rd	Thomas and Panait	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Prepared Presentation	3rd	Ducharme	East Coweta High School
Video Game Design - MS	3rd	Thomas, Woodall, & Woodall	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Biotechnology - MS	4th	McAllister, Markert, & Guillaume	Harris County Carver Middle School
Coding - MS	4th	Nolton and Davis	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Digital Photography - MS	4th	Miller	Harris County Carver Middle School
Prepared Speech - MS	4th	Nolton	Bennett's Mill Middle School
CAD - Foundations - MS	5th	Woodall	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Technical Design - MS	5th	Woodall and Nolton	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Career Prep - MS	6th	Patel	Harris County Carver Middle School
Flight - MS	6th	Hustick	Harris County Carver Middle School
Outstanding Student	6th	Markert	Harris County High School
Children's Stories - MS	7th	White and Nolton	Bennett's Mill Middle School
Community Service Video - MS	7th	Gatewood and Johnson	Harris County Carver Middle School
Essays on Technology - MS	7th	Shine	Harris County Carver Middle School
On Demand Video	7th	Powers, Colburn, Markert, Nesnick, Smith, Olds, & Burns	Harris County High School
Prepared Speech - MS	7th	Bradley	Harris County Carver Middle School
Digital Video Production	8th	Nesnick, Markert, Jackson, De Saussure, Acosta, Powers, Smith, & Burns	Harris County High School
Leadership Strategies - MS	8th	Ballard, McDonald, & Lovitt	East Coweta Middle School
CAD Engineering	9th	Burns	Harris County High School
Computer Integrated Manufacturing	10th	Loza-Rodriguez and Fryzel	East Coweta High School

High School Outstanding Chapter	10th		Bennett's Mill Middle School
Promotional Design	10th	Colburn	Harris County High School
Essays on Technology	11th	White	Fayette County High School
Photographic Technology	12th	Whipple	Carrollton High School
Video Game Design	12th	Rodriguez	Carrollton High School

CTAE Acronyms

CDEs – Career Development Events

FFA Career Development Events (CDEs) are contests that members compete in to test their skills learned through agricultural education instructions

CTSO – Career Technical Student Organization

CTSOs are co-curricular organizations with leadership programs and competitive events which reflect current curriculum standards and competencies for the instructional programs they serve. Co-curricular means curriculum-based competitive events which reinforce standards, instructional time within the classroom, integrated with curriculum, incorporated into lesson plans, leadership development through real world application, as well as trips centered around career path and career exploration. The current list of approved CTSOs is: CTI, DECA, FBLA, FCCLA, FFA, First Robotics, HOSA, Skills USA, and TSA.

EOPA – End of Pathway Assessments

Georgia implemented a measurement mechanism that would ascertain the technical skill attainment level of students participating in career and technical education courses. These mechanisms are valid and reliable technical assessments aligned with industry-validated standards.

Industry Certification

When a CTAE program becomes industry certified, the program receives a "stamp of excellence," which represents the apex of program quality. Only those programs which successfully undergo rigorous reviews by leaders from business and industry are recognized with this distinction.

WBL – Work Based Learning

YAP – Youth Apprenticeship

Top Gun

Twenty teachers/WBL coordinators are invited to attend the Top Gun training, representing all regions of the state. Participants learn to use marketing and public relations toolkits to more effectively market and brand their program and increase connections with the business and industry sector. Other topics included increasing employability skills in high school students, matching education to economic development needs, and improving the quality of student placements and mentoring.

Georgia Association of Career and Technical Education (GACTE)

Georgia ACTE is a state affiliate of the national association representing thousands of career and technical education professionals, all working to make a real difference in students' lives. We provide educators with powerful resources, professional development, and information to help them achieve more.

GACTE Divisions

- [Career and Counseling Development \(CCD\)](#)
- [Georgia Affiliate for Engineering and Technology Education \(GAETE\)](#)
- [Georgia Association of Career Educators for Special Needs Populations \(GACESNP\)](#)
- [Georgia Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences \(GATFACS\)](#)
- [Georgia Business Education Association \(GBEA\)](#)
- [Georgia Council for Career and Technical Administrators \(GCCTA\)](#)
- [Georgia Marketing Education Association \(GMEA\)](#)
- [Healthcare Science Technology Education Association \(HSTEA\)](#)
- [Junior Reserves Officers Trainings Corp \(JROTC\)](#)
- [Trade and Industrial Educators of Georgia \(TIEGA\)](#)