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Golden Key Award Recipients

Golden Key	Awardee	Organization
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	WBL/YAP	Sabrina Phelps	Houston County Career Academy
Counseling and Career Development Professional Award	WBL/YAP	Melissa Rodgers	Thomas County Central High School
New Teacher of the Year	Counseling & Career Development	Wendy Murphy	Colquitt County High School
Teacher of the Year	Counseling & Career Development	Misty Moon	Colquitt County High School
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)

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Graduate	School
Amy Myers	Mary Persons High School
Joey Thompson	C.A. Gray Jr. High School
Brittany Tolleson	Houston County High School
Jason Van Nus	Lowndes High School

GVATA Awards

(Georgia Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association)

Award	Awardee	School System
Georgia Green Industry Association	Stephanie Summerlin	Berrien County High School
Georgia Green Industry Association	Shayla Johnson	Irwin County
Georgia Green Industry Association	Marlyn Grantham	Lanier County

Work-Based Learning/Youth Apprenticeship Awards

Award	Awardee	Organization/School
Distinguished WBL Coordinator of the Year	Cathy Ferguson	Jones County High School
Distinguished WBL Coordinator of the Year	Jason Van Nus	Lowndes High School
Work-Based Learning Business Partner of the Year	Kubota Manufacturing of America	

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Cloud Computing Pathway Pilot Program

School System	School
Tift County Schools	Tift County High School

FY21 Industry Certified Programs

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

Program Certification Area	School
Audio/Video Technology Film	Thomas County Central High School
Automotive/Transportation	Lowndes High School
Business/IT/Finance Industry Certification	Berrien County High School
Early Childhood Education	Thomas County Central High School
Graphic Arts/Communications	Berrien County High School

In the News!

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Annual Camp T&I Builds Tiny Homes for Veterans
Ag Instructors Participate in the UGA 2021 Avian Academy
Georgia's Future Educator Signing Day
Internships – Super Lawn Trucks
Trade and Industrial Instructors Learn from Industry Experts
Valdosta City Schools Celebrate Students earning Industry-Recognized Credentials

CTI State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
Metal Working, Lvl 2	1st	Walker	Tift County High School
Woodworking, Lvl 1	1st	Spivey	Tift County High School
Early Childhood Education, Lvl 2	2nd	Harrison	Tift County High School
Early Childhood Education, Lvl 2	2nd	Harrison	Tift County High School
Graphic Design, Lvl 2	2nd	Brannon	Tift County High School
Public Speaking, Lvl 2	2nd	Dinkel	Tift County High School
Technology Skills, Lvl 2	2nd	Saavedra	Tift County High School
Agricultural Science, Lvl 2	3rd	Mathis	Tift County High School
Catering / Food Table Set-Up, Lvl 2	3rd	McCoy	Turner County High School
Computer Applications, Lvl 2	3rd	Pope	Tift County High School
Horticulture/Floriculture, Lvl 2	3rd	Duque	Tift County High School
Woodworking, Lvl 2	3rd	Fitzgerald and Brandon	Tift County High School

DECA State Career Development Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
2021-2022 Vice President of Leadership		Stegner	Houston County High School
2021-2022 Vice President of Marketing		Wang	Howard High School
GA DECA Foundation \$1,000 Scholarship		Partain	Houston County High School
GA DECA Foundation \$1,500 Scholarship		Beal	Houston County High School
Principles of Hospitality & Tourism	1st	Pieterick	Jones County High School
Automotive Services Marketing	3rd	Abbruzzese	Houston County High School
Accounting Applications	4th	Le	Howard High School
Job Interview	4th	Beal	Houston County High School
SBE Competition	4th	Harper and Garland	Warner Robins High School
Apparel & Accessories Marketing	5th	Partain	Houston County High School
Human Resources Management	5th	Chapman	Houston County High School
Theme Speech	5th	Wang	Howard High School
Job Interview	6th	Skinner	Warner Robins High School
Accounting Applications	7th	Williams	Jones County High School
Personal Financial Literacy	7th	Carag	Howard High School
Sports & Entertainment Marketing	7th	Parton and Guthrie	Veterans High School

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FBLA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competitions	Place	Student	School
Advertising	1st	Lee	Houston County High School
Battle of the Chapters - ML	1st	Gibbs, Kilgore, & Martin	Eighth Street Middle School
FBLA Concepts - ML	1st	Kilgore	Eighth Street Middle School
Video Public Service Announcement - ML	1st	Graves	Eighth Street Middle School
Community Service Project - ML	2nd	Snyder	Eighth Street Middle School
Mobile App Design - ML	2nd	Phillips	Perry Middle School
Video Public Service Announcement - ML	2nd	Phillips	Perry Middle School
Client Service	3rd	Woods	Warner Robins High School
Coding & Programming	3rd	Wellman	Veterans High School
Desktop Publishing - ML	3rd	Lopez	Perry Middle School
Introduction to FBLA	3rd	Oneal	Houston County High School
Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure	3rd	Long	Bleckley County High School
Marketing Concepts - ML	3rd	Patel	Howard Middle School
Multimedia & Website Development - ML	3rd	Arias	Perry Middle School
Organizational Leadership	3rd	Wachtel	Mary Persons High School
Public Speaking - ML	3rd	O'Neill	Mossy Creek Middle School
Video Game Design - ML	3rd	Knight	Perry Middle School
Accounting I	4th	Lee	Houston County High School
Accounting II	4th	Bass	Mary Persons High School
Business Communication	4th	Liu	Lowndes High School
Client Service	4th	Corbin	Bleckley County High School
Coding & Programming	4th	Jackson	Thomas County Central High School
Cyber Security	4th	Tran	Houston County High School
Agribusiness	5th	Coffman	Mary Persons High School
Computer Applications - ML	5th	Pryde	Perry Middle School
Introduction to Business	5th	Fremont	Hawkinsville High School
Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure	5th	Jacklin	Houston County High School
Journalism	5th	Scott	Mary Persons High School
Agribusiness	6th	Waldrep	Mary Persons High School
Career Exploration - ML	6th	Hill	Berrien Middle School
Client Service	6th	Pollock	Mary Persons High School
Coding & Programming	6th	Leslie	Perry High School
Elevator Speech - ML	6th	Samuel	Eighth Street Middle School
Introduction to Information Technology	6th	Jackson	Thomas County Central High School
Parliamentary Procedure	6th	Corbin, Arnold, Wynne, & Long	Bleckley County High School
Creed - ML	7th	Esteve	Mossy Creek Middle School
Health Care Administration	7th	Tran	Houston County High School
Introduction to Business Communication	7th	Stapleton	Mary Persons High School
Who's Who in FBLA	7th	Kriechbaum	Houston County High School
Computer Applications - ML	8th	Oliver	Perry Middle School
Database Design & Applications	8th	Corbin	Bleckley County High School
Elevator Speech - ML	8th	Rodriguez	Mossy Creek Middle School
Introduction to Business	8th	Little	Mary Persons High School
Introduction to FBLA	8th	Patel	Mary Persons High School
Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure	8th	Waldrep	Mary Persons High School
Introduction to Public Speaking	8th	Taylor	Houston County High School
Invention Convention - ML	8th	Williams	Perry Middle School
Marketing	8th	Nwagbata and Grigsby	Houston County High School
Network Design	8th	Turner and Callison	Tift County High School
Public Speaking - ML	8th	Harris	Berrien Middle School
Who's Who in FBLA	8th	Camon	Berrien County High School
Broadcast Journalism	9th	Aguilar and Raymond	Houston County High School

Computer Game & Simulation Programming	9th	Weyand	Lowndes High School
Desktop Publishing - ML	9th	Phillips	Perry Middle School
Employability Skills - ML	9th	Merwin	Eighth Street Middle School
FBLA Concepts - ML	9th	Gibbs	Eighth Street Middle School
Help Desk	9th	Emmett	Thomas County Central High School
Introduction to Business	9th	Magda	Mary Persons High School
Securities & Investments	9th	Guo	Thomas County Central High School
Banking & Financial Systems	10th	Do	Houston County High School
Business Ethics	10th	Chung and Do	Houston County High School
Computer Game & Simulation Programming	10th	Allen	Mary Persons High School
Database Design & Applications	10th	Bass	Mary Persons High School
Public Service Announcement	10th	Vu	Houston County High School
Public Speaking	10th	Castro	Houston County High School
Public Speaking - ML	10th	Dhanak	Feagin Mill Middle School
Social Media Strategies	10th	Busbee and Shoemaker	Howard High School

FCCLA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Honor Roll Chapter			Ben Hill Middle School
Honor Roll Chapter			Huntington Middle School
Honor Roll Chapter			Lowndes High School
Honor Roll Chapter			Northside High School
Honor Roll with Distinction Chapter			Berrien County High School
Honor Roll with Distinction Chapter			Berrien Middle School
Honor Roll with Distinction Chapter			Bonaire Middle School
Honor Roll with Distinction Chapter			Colquitt County High School
Largest Chapter in the State			Willie J. Williams Middle School
Largest Chapter, Region 7			Huntington Middle School
Largest Membership Increase, Region 8			Willie J. Williams Middle School
Master Adviser		Carly Redding	Berrien Middle School
New Chapter Adviser of the Year		Lisa Dukes	Feagin Mill Middle School
Baking and Pastry, Lvl 3	1st	Kinser	Houston County Career Academy
Career Connection	1st		Berrien County High School
Career Connection - MS	1st		Bonaire Middle School
Career Investigation, Lvl 2	1st	Trussell	Veterans High School
Chapter in Review Display, Lvl 3	1st	Calvert and Filer	Houston County High School
Chapter Service Project Display, Lvl 3	1st	Hewett and Nix	Colquitt County High School
Chapter Service Project Portfolio, Lvl 2	1st	Buckholz, Hensley, & Sayedzada	Northside High School
Chapter Service Project Portfolio, Lvl 3	1st	Nix and Drury	Berrien County High School
Community Service	1st		Colquitt County High School
Community Service - MS	1st		Bonaire Middle School
Creed Speaking and Interpretation - MS	1st	Sapp	Thomson Middle School
Culinary Arts, Lvl 3	1st	Stone	Houston County Career Academy
Digital Delish Dish - MS	1st	Hayes	Warner Robins Middle School
Entrepreneurship, Lvl 1	1st	Patel	Ben Hill Middle School
Entrepreneurship, Lvl 2	1st	Mize	Veterans High School
Entrepreneurship, Lvl 3	1st	Conger	Colquitt County High School
Event Management, Lvl 3	1st	Whipple	Lowndes High School
Families Acting for Community Traffic Safety - MS	1st		Berrien Middle School
Families First - MS	1st		Huntington Middle School
Fashion Construction, Lvl 2	1st	Purvis	Veterans High School
Financial Fitness - MS	1st		Bonaire Middle School
Food Innovations, Lvl 1	1st	Mann	Warner Robins Middle School

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Food Innovations, Lvl 2	1st	Scoboda	Perry High School
Food Science Investigation - MS	1st	Giddens	Ben Hill Middle School
Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation, Lvl 2	1st	Duke and Lu	Houston County High School
Interior Design, Lvl 3	1st	Garcia	Lowndes High School
Parliamentary Procedure, Lvl 2	1st	Ford, Kelly, Smith, & Wright	Perry High School
Professional Presentation, Lvl 2	1st	Gilbert, Jarvis, & Jarvis	Colquitt County High School
Proficiency Testing - Middle School FACS	1st	Everett	Ben Hill Middle School
Repurpose and Redesign, Lvl 3	1st	Pope	Houston County Career Academy
Say Yes to FCS Education, Lvl 2	1st	Stephens	Northside High School
Stand Up	1st		Colquitt County High School
Stand Up - MS	1st		Bonaire Middle School
Student Body - MS	1st		Berrien Middle School
Teach and Train, Lvl 1	1st	Yancey	Ben Hill Middle School
Career Investigation, Lvl 1	2nd	Jones	Bonaire Middle School
Chapter in Review Portfolio, Lvl 3	2nd	Keller-Smith and Dominy	Bleckley County High School
Creed Speaking and Interpretation - MS	2nd	Hall	Mossy Creek Middle School
Digital Delish Dish	2nd	Sobieski	Houston County High School
Digital Storytelling	2nd	Jones and Khan	Northside High School
Early Childhood Education, Lvl 3	2nd	Hardison	Jones County High School
Entrepreneurship, Lvl 2	2nd	Sams	Northside High School
Focus on Children, Lvl 2	2nd	Babcock and Collins	Northside High School
Food Innovations, Lvl 3	2nd	Young	Perry High School
Interpersonal Communications, Lvl 3	2nd	Dyer and McGalliard	Jones County High School
Job Interview, Lvl 3	2nd	Pinckney	Houston County High School
National Programs in Action, Lvl 2	2nd	Boatwright, Goforth, & Wetherington	Colquitt County High School
Parliamentary Procedure, Lvl 2	2nd	Griner, Hurt, Knight, Martin, Mathis, Rice, Rueff, & Wilkerson	Berrien County High School
Parliamentary Procedure, Lvl 3	2nd	Arias, DiSarli, Hooten, Lester, McKleroy, & Negrón	Perry High School
Professional Presentation, Lvl 3	2nd	Howard and Mcguirt	Colquitt County High School
Proficiency Testing - Middle School FACS	2nd	Yancey	Ben Hill Middle School
Proficiency Testing - Parliamentary Procedure	2nd	Rice	Berrien County High School
Say Yes to FCS Education, Lvl 3	2nd	Alford	Colquitt County High School
Toys that Teach - MS	2nd	Alford and Cooper	Berrien Middle School
Career Investigation, Lvl 1	3rd	McCranie	Berrien Middle School
Career Investigation, Lvl 2	3rd	Mathis	Berrien County High School
Chapter in Review Display, Lvl 3	3rd	Lawrence and Smith	Colquitt County High School
Chapter Service Project Portfolio, Lvl 1	3rd	Martin and May	Northside High School
Creed Speaking and Interpretation - MS	3rd	Dees	Perry Middle School
Digital Delish Dish - MS	3rd	Greer and Jenrette	Mossy Creek Middle School
Food Science Investigation - MS	3rd	Adams, Neloms, and Scott	Berrien Middle School
Proficiency Testing - Middle School FACS	3rd	Whidden	Berrien Middle School
Proficiency Testing - Parliamentary Procedure	3rd	Hurt	Berrien County High School
Repurpose and Redesign, Lvl 3	3rd	McAfee	Jones County High School
Teach and Train, Lvl 3	3rd	Davis	Colquitt County High School
Toys that Teach - MS	3rd	Scott	Thomson Middle School
Chapter Service Project Display, Lvl 3	4th	Purvis	Northside High School
Focus on Children, Lvl 2	4th	Wilbourn	Thomas County Central High School
Food Innovations, Lvl 3	4th	Kuhr and Nixon	Bleckley County High School
National Programs in Action, Lvl 2	4th	Barker and Martin	Berrien County High School

National Programs in Action, Lvl 3	4th	Hajec and Patel	Northside High School
Career Investigation, Lvl 3	5th	Moore	Berrien County High School
Focus on Children, Lvl 3	5th	Barrett and Johnson	Thomas County Central High School
Job Interview, Lvl 3	5th	Biggers	Irwin County High School

FFA State Career Development Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Agricultural Mechanics	1st	Bennett, Durrence, Mitchell, & Hudson	Colquitt County High School
Agriculture Technology & Equipment	1st	Parks, Itson, Knox, & Holloway	Bleckley County High School
Agriculture Technology & Equipment - Individual	1st	Holloway	Bleckley County High School
Employment Skills	1st	Paulk	Irwin County High School
Extemporaneous Public Speaking	1st	Aultman	Tift County High School
Floral Design, Jr.	1st	Braswell	Eighth Street Middle School
Floriculture, Sr. - Individual	1st	Gay	Colquitt County High School
Forestry, Sr.	1st	Shields, Bennett, McGouirk, & Sparks	Mary Persons High School
Land Evaluation, Jr. - Individual	1st	Bertram	Mary Persons High School
Lawnmower Operations, Sr.	1st	Bennett	Colquitt County High School
Meats Evaluation, Jr.	1st	Snyder, Odom, Jackson, & Street	Veterans High School
Meats Evaluation, Jr. - Individual	1st	Street	Veterans High School
Meats Evaluation, Sr.	1st	Jones, Bussell, Hargett, & Davis	Veterans High School
Meats Evaluation, Sr. - Individual	1st	Bussell	Veterans High School
Nursery Landscape, Jr.	1st	Spivey, Knapek, Harris & Burks	Perry High School
Nursery Landscape, Jr. - Individual	1st	Spivey	Perry High School
Prepared Public Speaking, Jr.	1st	Turner	CA Gray Middle School
Agriculture Sales - Individual	2nd	Grace Flanders	Berrien County High School
Conduct of Chapter Meetings	2nd		Mossy Creek Middle School
Environmental/Natural Resources, Sr.	2nd	Bauman, Acosta, Andrews, & Ham	Mary Persons High School
Farm Agribusiness Management - Individual	2nd	Gillis	Tift County High School
Floriculture, Sr.	2nd	Gay, Bass, Riley, & Jarvis	Colquitt County High School
Forestry, Sr. - Individual	2nd	McGouirk	Mary Persons High School
Land Evaluation, Jr.	2nd	Bertram, Fletcher, Gordon, & Weir	Mary Persons High School
Livestock Evaluation, Jr.	2nd	McNeal, Carnley, McDonaold, & Aydelott	Perry High School
Livestock Evaluation, Jr. - Individual	2nd	Aydelott	Perry High School
Meats Evaluation, Jr.	2nd	Dowd, Hays, Walker, & Harrell	Perry High School
Meats Evaluation, Jr. - Individual	2nd	Odom	Veterans High School
Meats Evaluation, Sr.	2nd	Wisekal, Breaux, Gar, & Moore	Perry High School
Meats Evaluation, Sr. - Individual	2nd	Hargett	Veterans High School
Nursery Landscape, Jr. - Individual	2nd	Knapek	Perry High School
Nursery Landscape, Sr.	2nd	Stokes, Haworth, Fussell, Pompa	Mary Persons High School
Tractor Operation Maintenance	2nd	Thompson	Colquitt County High School
Wildlife Management, Sr.	2nd	Acota, Sparks, Andres, & Shileds	Mary Persons High School

Agriculture Technology & Equipment - Individual	2nd	Parks	Bleckley County High School
Agricultural Mechanics	3rd	Crooms, Sears, Parks, & Lumley	Bleckley County High School
Agriculture Technology & Equipment - Individual	3rd	Knox	Bleckley County High School
Creed Speaking	3rd	Stalvey	Berrien Middle School
Dairy Evaluation, Sr.	3rd	Ayers, Grimes, Paschette, & Tanner	Jones County High School
Dairy Evaluation, Sr. - Individual	3rd	Grimes	Jones County High School
Environmental/Natural Resources, Sr.	3rd	Culbreath, Tompkins, Allison, & Scott	Tift County High School
Farm Agribusiness Management - Individual	3rd	Bleshoy	Mary Persons High School
Floriculture, Sr.	3rd	Ochieng, Stokes, Dunn, & Fussell	Mary Persons High School
Floriculture, Sr. - Individual	3rd	Allison	Tift County High School
Land Evaluation, Sr. - Individual	3rd	Paulk	Irwin County High School
Livestock Evaluation, Sr.	3rd	Knappek, Smyth, Neal, & Edwards	Perry High School
Meats Evaluation, Sr. - Individual	3rd	Wisecal	Perry High School
Poultry Evaluation, Jr.	3rd	Karness, Price, Adriance, & Blitch	Warner Robins Middle School
Prepared Public Speaking, Jr.	3rd	Jones	Lowndes High School
Prepared Public Speaking, Sr.	3rd	Nichols	Berrien County High School
Veterinary Science, Jr. - Individual	3rd	Handley	Eighth Street Middle School
Wildlife Management, Jr. - Individual	3rd	Bertram	Mary Persons High School
Creed Speaking	4th	Hunter	CA Gray Middle School
Agricultural Communications	8th	Rodriguez, Denniston, Cannon, & Burnette	Wilcox County High School

HOSA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Health Career Display - Middle School	1st	Barry and Crumley	Eighth Street Middle School
Prepared Speaking - Middle School	1st	Adams	Eighth Street Middle School
Exploring Medical Innovation - Middle School	2nd	Nguyen, Lasseter, & Rowland	Eighth Street Middle School
Health Education - Middle School	2nd	Samuel and Smith	Eighth Street Middle School
Health Career Preparation - Middle School	3rd	Hipps	Eighth Street Middle School
Health Education	3rd	Stone, Barry, & Kreschollek	Tift County High School
Medical Reading Middle School	3rd	Wise	Eighth Street Middle School
Extemporaneous Health Poster - Middle School	4th	Walker	Valdosta Middle School
Physical Therapy	4th	Cooper	Colquitt County High School
Job Seeking Skills	5th	McHolan	Bleckley County High School
Creative Problem Solving	6th	Wiegert, Land, & Hendrix	Bleckley County High School
Extemporaneous Health Poster - Middle School	6th	Clark Gibbs	Valdosta Middle School
Job Seeking Skills	6th	Jones	Bleckley County High School
Health Career Display	7th	Stewart and Dykes	Bleckley County High School
Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking	7th	Booker	Thomasville High School
Extemporaneous Writing - Online Test	8th	Johnson	Bleckley County High School
Job Seeking Skills	8th	Futch	Thomasville High School
Prepared Speaking	8th	Mullis	Bleckley County High School
Medical Reading Middle School	10th	Meeks	CA Gray Junior High School

SkillsUSA State Leadership and Skills Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
Broadcast News Production	Gold	Smith, Parker, Badillo, & Anderson	Thomas County Central High School
Construction Blue Print Reading - Test Only	Gold	Tompkins	Worth County High School
Job Skill Demonstration Open	Gold	Alcindor	Houston County Career Academy
Audio/Radio Production	Silver	Badillo and Cooney	Thomas County Central High School
Automotive Service Technology	Silver	Wilson	Thomas County Central High School
Career Profile Portfolio 11th/12th Grade	Silver	Abuazizah	Northside High School
Metal Working Display	Silver	Garrison and McConnell	Worth County High School
SkillsUSA Georgia T-Shirt Design	Silver	Gutierrez	Northside High School
Automotive Brakes	Bronze	Baggett	Thomas County Central High School
First Aid-CPR	Bronze	Bulluck	Houston County Career Academy
Mathematical Applications 11th/12th Grade - Test Only	Bronze	Paramore	Worth County High School
Metal Working Display	Bronze	Chen	Jones County High School
Prepared Speech	Bronze	Martin	Houston County Career Academy
Welding Fabrication	Bronze	Gutierrez Ramirez, Sessoms, Wooten, & Austin	Valdosta High School

TSA State Leadership Conference Competitive Events

Competition	Place	Student	School
CAD Architecture	1st	Moss	Lowndes High School
Promotional Marketing - MS	1st	Patel	Ben Hill Middle School
Website Design - MS	1st	Washnock and Dave	Hahira Middle School
Children's Stories	2nd	Woodson	Jones County High School
Coding - MS	2nd	Dave and Washnock	Hahira Middle School
Electrical Applications - MS	2nd	Tindall	Hahira Middle School
High School Outstanding Chapter	2nd		Hahira Middle School
Leadership Strategies - MS	2nd	Sumner, Slaughter, & Hillberg	Hahira Middle School
Microcontroller Design - MS	2nd	Richardson and Fiveash	Hahira Middle School
Tech Bowl - MS	2nd	Frithsen, Sumner, & Hillberg	Hahira Middle School
Video Game Design - MS	2nd	Petitjean, Washnock, & Dave	Hahira Middle School
Biotechnology - MS	3rd	Patel	Ben Hill Middle School
Digital Photography - MS	3rd	McQuade	Hahira Middle School
Flight - MS	3rd	Allen	Hahira Middle School
Future Technology and Engineering Teacher	3rd	Patel	Houston County High School
Promotional Marketing - MS	3rd	Sumner	Hahira Middle School
CAD - Foundations - MS	4th	Mercer	Hahira Middle School
Challenging Technology Issues - MS	4th	Sumner and Frithsen	Hahira Middle School
Children's Stories - MS	4th	Slaughter and Patel	Hahira Middle School
Community Service Video - MS	4th	Fiveash, Patel, & Sumner	Hahira Middle School
Engineering Design	4th	Nwagbata, Joshi, Balkcum, & Vu	Houston County High School
Essays on Technology - MS	4th	Kim	Hahira Middle School
Flight Endurance	4th	Balkcum	Houston County High School
Virtual VEX IQ - MS	4th		Ben Hill Middle School
Website Design - MS	4th	Herndon, Goff, & Whiteley	Lowndes Middle School

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Biotechnology - MS	5th	Patel and Kim	Hahira Middle School
IT Fundamentals	5th	Wixson	Fitzgerald High School College & Career Academy
Prepared Speech - MS	5th	Giddens	Ben Hill Middle School
CAD Architecture	6th	Jackson	Jones County High School
Children's Stories - MS	6th	Larkin and Peavey	Ben Hill Middle School
Off the Grid - MS	6th	Richardson and Fiveash	Hahira Middle School
STEM Animation - MS	6th	Holt and Theiss	Hahira Middle School
Technical Design - MS	6th	Burman and Tindall	Hahira Middle School
Video Game Design	6th	Green and Scott	Lowndes High School
Forensic Technology - MS	7th	Allen and Johnson	Hahira Middle School
Future Technology and Engineering Teacher	7th	Wixson	Fitzgerald High School College & Career Academy
STEM Animation - MS	7th	Patel	Ben Hill Middle School
Photographic Technology	8th	Woodson	Jones County High School
Prepared Speech - MS	8th	Patel	Hahira Middle School
Career Prep - MS	9th	Parks	Lowndes Middle School
Digital Video Production	9th	Vu	Houston County High School
Prepared Speech - MS	9th	Jones	Lowndes Middle School
Architectural Design	10th	Rackley and Harris	Jones County High School
Coding	10th	Wixson	Fitzgerald High School College & Career Academy
Geospatial Technology	10th	Pearce	Cook High School
Website Design - MS	10th	Cano, Contreras, & Craddock	Ben Hill Middle School
Prepared Presentation	11th	Wilson	Irwin County High School

CTAE Acronyms

[CDEs – Career Development Events](#)

FFA Career Development Events (CDEs) are contests 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 \(GACTE\)](#)

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