

## CAREER EDUCATION

Preparing students for careers is an important goal of the curriculum. Career education will be integrated into the curriculum for grades kindergarten through twelve. This education shall include, but not limited to: awareness of self in relation to others and the needs of society, an awareness of the value for the 21<sup>st</sup> century world of work skills and understanding that they master in all regular subjects, the exploration of employment opportunities, experiences in personal decision-making, and the experiences of integrating work skills and values which can be meaningful and satisfying to one's life.

Special attention should be given to courses of vocational education nature. The CCSD board shall review the means in which career education is articulated and aligned with other curricular programs.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code §§ 256.11, .11A; 280.9 (2014).  
281 I.A.C. 12.5(7).

Cross Reference: 603 Instructional Curriculum

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