

**Franklin County Career and Technology Center
SPRING OCCUPATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTING FORM**

PROGRAM AREA:	Welding		
MEETING DATE:	START:	ADJOURN:	
4/28/2023	5pm	610pm	
COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON:	Dave Watson		
COMMITTEE MEMBERS/GUESTS ATTENDING:			
Doug Beck, Troy Bitner, Jacob Sensinger, Dave Watson, Andrew Stern			
BRIEF MEETING SUMMARY	<p>The committee members were happy with the results of the student placement and filling the gap in the workforce. It was discussed that changes for the tour of program facility need to be strict with the safety protocol with ALL visitors. Happy to see the suggested storage bay material is being constructed. There was discussion about the 5 year equipment plan and the need for additional welding bays. Committee would like to see the equipment purchased for this shop that was sent to adult ed due to being oversized when ordered, be replaced so students are able to operate the necessary workforce equipment. That equipment included the shear and jib crane. All in all, committee was pleased with the work being done and the efforts of working with industry to make a better working environment for the students.</p>		
ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSE:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administration is appreciative of the continued involvement and support of this OAC. The recommendations regarding the equipment that was purchased for the program and then placed in the Adult Ed shop due to being oversized can be added to the five year list for consideration. 			

SECTION 1: APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW:

- The minutes of the last meeting are approved as presented.
- The minutes of the last meeting are approved with the following changes.

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SECTION 2: REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATIONS FROM LAST MEETING

- n/a

SECTION 3: UPDATE OF PROGRAM

A. ENROLLMENT:

Enrollment Numbers – Semester 1(Fall) 24

Enrollment Numbers – Semester 2 (Spring) 21 (2 drops)

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

B. Cooperative Education

Student Statistics

Number of Students 12

Eligible Students 11

Students Placed on Co-op 9

Students Declining Co-op Opportunities 1

Employer Statistics (List each employer and number of students employed.)

- APX- 1, Burnside America- 2, Manitowoc- 3, JLG- 1 (fired), volvo-1, martins potato rolls -1 , MBT - 1

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. happy to see the students filling the gap for the much needed welder shortage.

C. STUDENT PLACEMENT: (From Senior Placement Survey)

Number of Students 10

Previous Year Graduating Seniors 10

Previous Year Completers 253

Employed Related to Career Field 9
Employed Unrelated to Career Field 0
Military Service 0
Enrolled Postsecondary Education 0
Available for Employment but Unemployed 1

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

SECTION 4: SAFETY

SAFETY:

The program safety procedures and policies were reviewed and the committee found that they were:

Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. Manitowoc head safety person will be doing a walk-through& feedback
Visitor policy- required PPE by any persons or shut the whole shop down until they leave for their own safety.

SECTION 5: CURRICULUM

A. POS TASK LIST:

- The Pennsylvania Department of Education Program of Study Task List has not been updated this year and requires no additional review.
- The Pennsylvania Department of Education Program of Study Task List has been updated this year. A copy of the document was provided to committee members for review.

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

B. CURRICULUM REPORTING FORM:

Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

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| 1. The curriculum reflects current trade philosophy and practices. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Books and instructional materials are appropriate for students in this program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Audio-visual aids are sufficient to support the curriculum. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. The curriculum provides: | | |
| a. Balance between theory and practical work | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Career and Technical Student Organization activities as an integral part of the curriculum | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Field trips related to job sites | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. Adequate instruction on safety | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. Pre-test and post-test to determine student knowledge | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| f. Development and/or application of related academic skills | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| g. Competency-based education | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. The curriculum has been developed with the cooperation and advice of the Occupational Advisory Committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. There is an occupational demand in the community for the occupational skills being taught | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS FOR UNSATISFACTORY ITEMS:

1.

C. TEXTBOOKS/CURRICULUM REVIEW:



The textbook/curriculum currently in use has been determined to be adequate by the committee and requires no additional review.



The textbook/curriculum currently in use was determined to require updating.

The following textbooks/curriculum were presented to the committee for review.

- teacher edition recommended, maybe update text books in future

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

D. CERTIFICATIONS: (List certifications available to your students)

- OSHA 10, D1.1 SMAW, D1.1 GMAW, D1.1 GTAW, Volvo assembly certificate

Number of Students Receiving Certification:

- Spring- 15 Fall- 18

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

E. CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS (CTSO) INSTRUCTION:

List how CTSO's have been incorporated in the program.

- SkillsUSA: sending students to competitions & preparing student with challenging activities

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

F. COLLEGE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL/ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS:

List College in the High School/Articulation Agreements currently offered by your program.

- n/a

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

SECTION 6: ADULT EDUCATION

This program currently has no associated adult education offerings associated with it.

This program has adult education offerings as listed below:

- Short-Term Welding (SMAW) 150 \$2700
Long-Term Welding, (SMAW, GMAW, GTAW) 300 \$5400

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS/COMMENTS:

1. n/a

SECTION 7: GENERAL DISCUSSION

LIST ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION NOT COVERED IN OTHER AREAS:

- n/a

COMMITTEE SUGGESTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

Shear recommended

1. lincoln welder discussed & approved
recommended tungsten grinder (inexpensive)