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As a teacher at Pendleton High School I am in support of SB3. I believe our programs at PHS have provided students and staff with the needed skills to recover stronger than many other high schools across Oregon. PHS offers a career focused set of programs spread throughout the grade levels. These programs combined have created purpose and direction for high school students and staff.

Pendleton High School offers the following programs.
Success 101 started at PHS in 2012-2013 school year
Success 201 started at PHS in 2014-2015
Aspire funding changes and new person is hired 2015-2016
School to Careers started at PHS in 2016-2017
CTE Pathway Certification started at PHS 2016-2017

Success 101

Success 101 is a required semester long class at PHS for all freshman students. Lifestyle and Career Planning -Envision Your Future - life after high school, You Science aptitude testing, Career 101 (research, identify skills, resumes, job applications etc.), Decision Making, Problem Solving and Goal Setting, Personal Family Finance, Monthly Budget Planning (create and manage a personal budget), Finance 101 -(writing a check, debit vs credit, reconcile accounts, dangers of debt, insurance and investing information)

Success 201

Success 201 is a required semester long class for all juniors that engages students in an interactive learning process, explore and evaluate a wide range of education and career options, and make reasoned and researched goals for their future. Students will complete a career readiness portfolio, and complete and present a plan and profile that includes career training, necessary educational requirements and budgeting needs. Students will also participate in a 10-week online budgeting simulation to help teach and understand financial life skills.

School To Careers Program

The School to Careers program engages high school students in a variety of career-related learning experiences. By collaborating with business and industry partners, students gain hands-on, transferable career training that will prepare them for high-wage, high-demand jobs. Our partners contribute career inspiration and insight and

help students see themselves as an asset to the community and to their chosen career field.

CTE CAREER PATHWAY PROGRAMS OFFERED AT PHS

AGRICULTURE SCIENCE & MECHANICS PATHWAY Overview:. Agricultural education teaches students about agriculture, food and natural resources. Through these subjects, students learn a wide variety of skills, including science, math, communications, leadership, management and technology.

DIGITAL & MEDIA ARTS PATHWAY A program of study in the field of Visual and Media Arts will build core competencies, insight and experience in a variety of skills, both technical and hands on. Students will learn to plan, create and work in groups to problem solve.

HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM PATHWAY Students learn about relevant and timely topics, from global cuisines to sustainability. In addition to learning basic cooking methods and techniques, students practice critical thinking and problem solving. They have opportunities to practice communication and collaboration, community service, as well as creativity and innovation.

INDUSTRIAL & ENGINEERING SYSTEMS PATHWAY The curriculum offers an integrated set of core academics with engineering and technical skills as well as hands-on manufacturing experience that reinforces industrial skill sets.

Data from Pendleton High School

Year	Graduation Rate	Scholarship Dollars earned	CTE Pathway completers with Honors
2019	80%	\$2,738,769	22
2020	90%	\$2,498,907	21
2021	78%	\$1,766,056	18
2022	89%	\$4,456,718	29