

High School Success Plan 2021-2023



Lead	Marcola School District 79J
Organization	
Goal #1	All CTE courses will be aligned with specific core academic courses (for
	practical application) for dual credit opportunities. (example:
	Construction/geometry or ag/science)
Short-Term	Staff will align CTE and core courses to updated state standards for all
Outcome	courses.
Long-Term	95% or more students will be on track for graduation after each year (6
Outcome	credits for 9th graders, 12 for 10th graders, 18 for 11th graders, and 24 for
	12th graders).
Goal #2	All students will graduate as a completer of 1 or more CTE Programs of Study
	and/or 6 or more college credits.
Short-Term	Documentation of CTE coursework and related activities will be streamlined
Outcome	for ease of tracking and monitored by both students and staff for accuracy.
Long-Term	Students will identify completed paths of study and acquired career related
Outcome	skills by tracking their own courses and activities. 100% of students will
	complete at least one path of study.
Goal #3	Increase the number and types of industry certifications and training
	opportunities available for MSD students and CTE teachers. (Will be ongoing
	process)
Short-Term	Staff will earn additional certification to teach CTE coursework and training to
Outcome	issue CTE related credentials recognized in industry.
Long-Term	30% of students will earn credentials recognized by industry partners, such as
Outcome	equipment operator certifications or OSHA certifications.
Goal #4	Addressing the ER of Equitable Assignment to advanced coursework: Assure
	that every student has the specific academic supports necessary to assist
	students who are struggling with their academic schoolwork or not making
	the expected progress, including and focusing on students taking advanced
	courses.
Short-Term	Staff will provide quarterly check-ins with every student and update their
Outcome	individual learning plans to reflect supports available to improve student
	performance.
Long-Term	All students will be on track to graduate at the end of each academic year by
Outcome	earning the requisite number of credits (6, 12, 18, 24).
Dropout	Create a Counseling and College/Career Center to connect students and
Prevention Activity	families with education and life goals and support. This includes remodeling,
#1	creation of family engagement spaces, and supplies and equipment for the
	space.
Goal(s) this activity	Goal 4
addresses	

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College Level Opportunities Activity #1	Support certified staff (especially incoming) to pursue College Now or AP certification and training. Align curriculum (and add materials needed) to post secondary partner standards.
Goal(s) this activity addresses	Goal 1 , Goal 2
Career Technical Education Activity #1	Expand student opportunities for Work Based Learning, CTE industry certifications (licenses, OSHA trainings, etc.), and dual credit courses. Certification training and fees for teacher development, opening opportunities for students to obtain certification. Budget in future years anticipates providing transportation and fee support for students accessing off-site learning opportunities.
Goal(s) this activity addresses	Goal 1 , Goal 2 , Goal 3