

## **Vocational Education Programs**

A series of programs in addition to the regular academic programs shall be developed and made available to secondary students which would enable them to obtain entry level work skills in particular trades and/or be eligible for enrollment for post-secondary educational opportunities. These programs shall be termed "vocational educational programs" and shall be structured and augmented in such a way that the program is competency based, student-oriented and individualized in accordance with the needs of each student.

Upon successfully completing the courses comprising a complete program, students will be awarded a "Certificate of Completion" in addition to a high school diploma upon graduation.

Consistent with budget constraints, program offerings may include one or more of the following:

1. Auto mechanics technology
2. Business occupations
3. Machine technology
4. Consumer and family studies

Adopted by the Board: prior to April 2005

Revised by the Board: December, 2005

CROSS REF.:

*Board policy:*

EL-6, Educational Program