

# STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

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**TOPIC:** Designated Career and Technical Education Schools (DCTS) Renewals and New Applications

**PRESENTED BY:**

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**EXPLANATION:**

The Colorado State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education (SBCCOE) oversees all high school Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs for the State of Colorado as well as the state funding associated with these approved programs as outlined in the Career and Technical Act (insert statutory reference). Secondary schools that have a dedicated mission and focus on Career and Technical Education are known as Designated Career and Technical Education Schools (DCTS). Local school boards must agree to assurances associated with operating a Designated Career and Technical Education School (DCTS) through an application process in addition to the program approval process. Staff have reviewed all the applications and deems all of the following schools to meet the requirements.

Renewals

Adams 12 School District - Future Forward at Bollman Tech  
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Boulder Valley School District – Boulder Tech  
Cherry Creek School District– Cherry Creek Innovation Campus  
Denver Public Schools – CEC Middle College  
Jefferson County Public Schools – Warren Tech  
Mesa51 School District – Career Center  
Poudre School District – Futures Lab  
St. Vrain School District – Career Center  
Thompson Valley School District – Career Center

New DCTS Locations

Douglas County School District – Legacy Campus  
Greeley 6 School District – CTE Center  
Littleton School District – EPIC Campus  
St. Vrain School District – Innovation Center

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends Board approval of Designated Career and Technical Education Schools (DCTS) Applications for FY25-30.