



# MCTA 2025 Fall Meeting

Division of College and Career Pathways

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## Presentation Outline

1. Shared Blueprint Vision for Career Pathways
2. Program of Study Guides Next Steps
3. Registered Apprenticeship Goals
4. Additional Announcements

# Vision-Setting Timeline



## Standards

State Board adopts new statewide CTE course standards.

MSDE launches guidance and technical assistance for LEAs and community colleges.



## Shared Vision

Joint policy adopted by State Board, AIB, and GWDB CTE Committee.

Unified roles, responsibilities, and goals for Maryland's CTE System and Career Pathways communicated with one voice.



## Implementation Plan

Comprehensive statewide CTE implementation plan, based on joint policy, finalized.

Interagency coordination structure, accountability measures, and data-sharing protocols established.

Launch supports for LEAs to implement the shared vision.



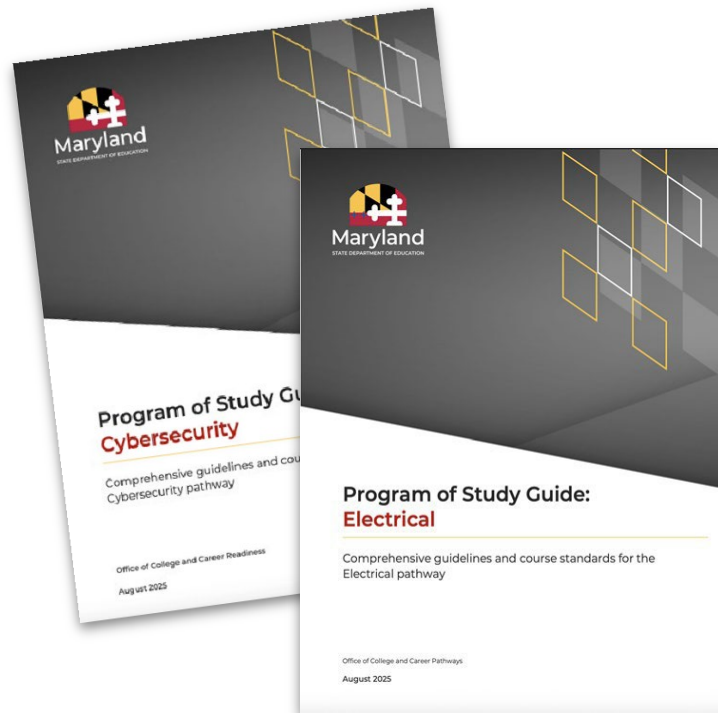
## Implementation of Shared Vision & Plan

First phase of new CTE programs and pathways operational in schools.

Expansion of high school-level Registered Apprenticeships with employer partners.

Reporting on student apprenticeship participation, credential attainment, and equity of access.

# Next Steps



- **Prepare Industry-Recognized Credential Applications**
  - Business/Industry Endorsements
  - [LEA/CC Endorsements](#)
- **Assign SCED Codes**
- **Align to Postsecondary Certificates and Degrees**
- **Develop Additional Program of Study Guides**
  - Agriculture
  - Arts, Entertainment, and Design
  - Energy and Natural Resources
- **Provide LEA Guidance**
  - Program Adoption
  - Identifying New Programs

# Setting Your Goal

1

If you could identify the **goal** for registered apprenticeships, what would your target be?

Number & Percent

2

What would be a **stretch goal**?

3

Answering the questions requires **data-driven discussions** with your key stakeholders (i.e. LACs, LWIBs, Local Chambers)

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