LET THE ADVENTURE BEGIN

CAREER EXPLORATION
AND H.S. PLANNING
What do you want to do when you grow up?

Let’s look at what these students want to do...

https://youtu.be/1x8nInLPWkU
Now it’s **your** turn to answer that question. It’s time to look at **your** survey results!
Your survey results show you career clusters and some pathways that you might consider. But first...

• What are career clusters?
Department of Education’s 16 Career Clusters

• Watch this video:

• https://youtu.be/P2VGOxs7Vuk
Career Clusters

• Show Career Clusters Handouts

• The 16 Career Clusters.pdf

• Endorsements and Clusters.png
Let’s talk about Endorsements

What is an endorsement?

*Endorsement* = “major” that you choose for high school
How do the career clusters relate to endorsements?

• endorsements_and_clusters.pdf
Endorsements in LCISD

LCISD Career Cluster Offerings
By Endorsement
2018-2019

Arts & Humanities
- Art
- Band
- Choir
- Dance
- English
- Foreign Language
- Social Studies
- Theatre

Business & Industry
- Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources: Animal Science
- Architecture & Construction: Construction
- Architecture & Construction: HVAC
- Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications
- Business Management & Administration
- Combination

Public Service
- English
- Hospitality & Tourism: Culinary Arts
- Information Technology: Computer Technology
- Information Technology: Cyber Security
- Manufacturing: Welding
- Manufacturing: Machining Technology
- Marketing
- Transportation: Automotive Technology
- Education & Training
- Health Science
- JROTC
- Law Enforcement

STEM
- Computer Science
- Mathematics
- Science
- PLTW Engineering
- STEM: Combination

Multidisciplinary
- Four credits in each of the four foundation subject areas to include English IV, Chemistry and/or Physics
- Four Advanced courses that prepare students to enter workplace or postsecondary education without remediation from within endorsement area or among endorsement areas that are not in a coherent sequence
- Four credits in AP or dual credit selected from English, math, science, social studies, economics, LOTE or fine arts
Choosing an Endorsement

• There are 5 endorsement options in LCISD:
  • Arts and Humanities
  • Business & Industry
  • Public Service
  • STEM
  • Multidisciplinary

• Choose the endorsement that is linked to the type of the career you want to choose later on
High School Credit Classes Available in Junior High (7th and 8th grade)

• These are some classes you can take in 7th and 8th grade that fall under each endorsement.
  • All Principles Classes
    • Principles of Business, Marketing & Finance (Business & Industry endorsement)
    • Principles of Human Services (Business & Industry endorsement)
    • Principles of Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources (Business & Industry endorsement)
    • Principles of Hospitality & Tourism (Business & Industry endorsement)
    • Principles of Applied Engineering (STEM endorsement)
  • All foreign language classes: French 1, 2; Spanish 1, 2 (Arts & Humanities endorsement)
  • Teen Leadership (elective credit)
What do I do if I can’t decide on an endorsement?

• Choose multidisciplinary 4x4 (like choosing “Undecided major”)
• You can always change your mind in high school
• Talk to your counselor about changing your endorsement
Which endorsement will you choose based on your survey results?

• Take a minute to review your survey results.
• Discuss with 2 other people which endorsement you’d like to choose and why.