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TO: Parents/Guardians: Students Attending School within School Board of Lafayette County

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Return on Investment Letter-Parent Notification

Florida Law now requires school districts to notify the parent of a student earning an industry certification that articulates for postsecondary credits of estimated cost savings in terms of tuition and fees associated with post-secondary credits. Students and parents must also be informed of all industry certifications available to the student.

Students attending Lafayette District Schools are afforded the opportunity to earn the following recognized industry certifications:

Certification	Program	Primary Career Cluster	School
Microsoft Office Specialist	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE Dreamweaver	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE Flash	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE PremierePro	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE Illustrator	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE InDesign	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
ADOBE Photoshop	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
Microsoft Technology Associate – Introduction to Programming Using HTML	Digital Design/Web Development	Information Technology/Arts, A/V, Technology & Education	Lafayette High School
Certified Nursing Assistant	Allied Nursing Assisting	Health Sciences	Lafayette High School
Emergency Medical Responder	Allied Nursing Assisting	Health Sciences	Lafayette High School
Agriculture Systems Associate	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School

Agritechnology Specialist	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Animal Science Specialist	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Agriculture Associate	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Forestry Specialist	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Agriculture Systems Associate	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Agricultural Unmanned Aircraft Systems Specialist	Agritechnology	Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Lafayette High School
Certified Food Safety Manager	Culinary	Hospitality and Tourism	Lafayette High School
Certified Food Protection Manager (ServSafe)	Culinary	Hospitality and Tourism	Lafayette High School

Students who earn a recognized industry certification become eligible for the Merit Designation on their high school diploma upon graduation. Students who remain in a Career and Technical program of study and earn a minimum of three high school credits will have successfully completed one requirement associated with Florida's Bright Future Gold Seal Scholarship. Students who earn a recognized industry certification and wish to continue with postsecondary education are eligible to receive articulated credit for successful completion of high school coursework as prescribed in Florida's State-wide Articulation Agreements found on the Florida Department of Education's web page:

<http://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-technical-edu-agreements/index.stml>

Students earning an industry certification with a state-wide articulation agreement shall be eligible to receive the cost savings shown in the table below. In order to receive the associated cost savings and the established articulation credit, a student shall be enrolled in the associated AS Program of Articulation that is offered at a Florida postsecondary institution. Additionally, students earning a recognized industry certification and three high school credits in a program of study may earn locally generated articulation credit within a postsecondary CTE pathway.

Certification	Certification Code	As Program of Articulation	Articulated Credit	Average Tuition & Fees per Credit Hour	State College Savings
Adobe Certified Associate-Dreamweaver	ADOBE010	Internet Services Technology	3	106.88	320.64
Adobe Certified Associate-Flash	ADOBE011	Internet Services Technology	3	106.88	320.64
Microsoft Office Specialist Bundle	MICR0069	Office Administration	3	106.88	320.64
Agritechnology Specialist Certification	FLFBR001	Agricultural Production Technology	2	106.88	213.76
Animal Science Specialist Certification	FLFBR005	Agribusiness Management	3	106.88	320.64
Agriculture Associate Certification	FLFBR007	Agricultural Production Technology	3	106.88	320.64

Certified Food Protection Manager (ServSafe)	NRAEF003	Culinary Management OR Restaurant Management	3	106.88	320.64
Certified Food Safety Manager	NRFSP001	Baking and Pastry Management	3	106.88	320.64
Certified Food Safety Manager	NRFSP001	Restaurant Management OR Culinary Management	2	106.88	213.76

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