Spring Data Collection

Career and Technical Education

A quick guide to help schools understand the importance of CTE Data Collections

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Introduction

How do I know if a student is a CTE Concentrator?

A secondary student who has earned three (3) or more credits in any CTE program area.

Which students do I need to enter data for?

1. **Students identified as CTE Concentrators in the spring of their senior year.**
2. **Students must be in grade 12.**
3. **Students must have completed (or will complete) at least 3 credits, 6 semesters or more of CTE coursework in any program combination in grades 9-12.**

Area of Concentration

What is an Area of Concentration?

1. **An Area of Concentration is the program is which the identifiable majority of CTE classes are taken.**

2. **If there is no way to determine a clear majority, only then should the "60: Blend" option be used.**

3. **The Area of Concentration is NOT the same as a student's desired area of study/career choice.**

01: Agriculture
07: Business
08: Marketing
17: Health Sciences
20: Family and Consumer Sciences
21: Technology Ed/Industrial Arts
40: Trade and Industrial
60: Blend

Quick Reference Guide

For additional information, the quick reference guide for the Spring Data Collection can be found here:

http://www.opi.mt.gov/pub/AIM/Collections/CareerTechnicalEducation/SpringCTECollectionGuide.pdf

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Questions??

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call or email me!

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