Alabama CTE

Foundations of Education (2023)

Foundational Standards

1. Incorporate safety procedures in handling, operating, and maintaining tools and machinery; handling materials; utilizing personal protective equipment; maintaining a safe work area; and handling hazardous materials and forces. F.1
2. Demonstrate effective workplace and employability skills, including communication, awareness of diversity, positive work ethic, problem-solving, time management, and teamwork. F.2
3. Explore the range of careers available in the field and investigate their educational requirements and demonstrate job-seeking skills including resume-writing and interviewing. F.3
4. Advocate and practice safe, legal, responsible, and ethical use of information and technology tools specific to the industry pathway. F.4
5. Participate in a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) to increase knowledge and skills and to enhance leadership and teamwork. F.5

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1. Research and report on historical events and current trends in education within the United States. Examples: Plessy v. Ferguson, Brown v. Board of Education, No Child Left Behind, Title IX, creation of school calendar, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, First Class Pre-K 1
2. Explore and deliberate current issues in education within the United States. 2
3. Analyze the Alabama Educator Code of Ethics to obtain personal and professional guidance. 3
4. Identify and interpret teacher observation and evaluation tools currently established by the State of Alabama or LEAs. 4
5. Compare and contrast the roles and responsibilities of teachers, administrators, and specialized instructional support personnel. 5
6. Create age-appropriate learning activities that actively engage students in the learning process. 6

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Classroom Culture	7	**Describe ways in which teachers can show respect and appreciation for each student.** 7
	8	**Explain how physical and instructional environments can be engineered to be conducive to learning for students of various ages. Examples: indoor/outdoor play, traditional/non-traditional instruction** 8
	9	**Research and report on how the connection between learning styles and teaching methods impacts student learning.** 9
	10	**Compare and contrast classroom management procedures for various ages, subjects, and settings. Examples: classroom layout, policies and procedures, facility safety** 10
Domains of Development	11	**Summarize current research on the processes of early brain development.** 11
	12	**Explain the importance of social interaction, communication, and self-concept in social and emotional development.** 12
	13	**Describe physical developmental milestones from birth through adolescence.** 13
	14	**Create learning activities that apply knowledge of physical, social and emotional, and cognitive development.** 14
	15	**Research and analyze developmental theories. Examples: theories of Freud, Piaget, Marzano, Erikson, Skinner, Bowlby, Vygotsky, Maslow** 15