

UPPER BUCKS COUNTY AREA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: CAREER AND TECHNICAL
STANDARDS

ADOPTED: October 18, 2007

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<p>1. Purpose Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 4.13 Pol. 100</p> <p>2. Definition</p> <p>3. Authority</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">102. CAREER AND TECHNICAL STANDARDS</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee recognizes that education is a vital function of the state and community. The community and businesses, through the strategic planning process, shall be encouraged to participate in the development of the educational goals established for the career and technical school.</p> <p>Career and Technical Standards - shall be defined as those skills relating to specific occupational areas in which a student is enrolled. Those standards shall be defined by career pathways and their respective skill sets as defined by individual Occupational Advisory Committees specific to the career and technical area. Students shall receive certificates based on acquiring specific skills as defined.</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee shall establish career and technical standards for students to attain.</p> <p><u>Program Completion Requirements</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students must complete a minimum of seventy-five percent (75%) of the approved competencies for the technical program in which they are enrolled, as verified by the teacher. 2. Students must complete specific program requirements as determined by the program Occupational Advisory Committee. 3. Students must complete the end of program test as designated by the administration and approved by the PA Department of Education (for example: NOCTI, NIMMS, AYES, or other tests that comply with the state occupational competency testing requirement). <p>Students who satisfy the program completion requirements will receive a Certificate of Completion from the specific career and technical program in which they are enrolled. All other graduating students will receive a Certificate of Attendance. Students who do not complete the end of program tests (i.e.; NOCTI testing) if required by the administration, will not be permitted to walk in the senior ceremony.</p>
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References:

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.4, 4.13

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