

2018

JUMP START
CONVENTION

PATHWAYS
TO THE
FUTURE
for all students



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JUMP START 101

ONE HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

TOPS University

Academic Courses

EOC Tests

Jump Start TOPS Tech

Academic Courses

EOC Tests

9 Jump Start Courses

Credential(s)

JUMP START PATHWAY

A series of courses and credential(s) that are required to prepare a student for specific high-wage, high-demand career.

Currently: 47 pathways

STATEWIDE PATHWAYS

- Associated with highest paying wages
- Most difficult to earn
- Credential recognized nationally
- Provides most accountability points to school (150-Advanced/110-Basic)

Examples: Certified Nurse Assistant, Welder, Mobile Crane Operator

INTEGRATED PATHWAYS

- Student may earn statewide credential OR a core credential & two complementary credentials
- Not as many accountability points for school

Examples: Health Science Patient Care and Management, Agriculture Tech

REGIONAL PATHWAYS

- Designed for specific regions of the state
- Student must earn both regional credential and 2 complementary credentials
- No extra accountability points for school
(100 -Regional)

Examples: Business Management, Welder's Helper, Workplace Safety

JUMP START COURSES

- Universal
- Career Readiness
- Pathway Specific
- Internship
- Virtual Workplace Experience
- Cooperative Course
- Pre-apprenticeship Course

JUMP START CREDENTIALS

- Statewide Advanced
- Statewide Basic
- Regional
- Complementary

Example: WorkKeys Silver

JUMP START SCHEDULING

1. Offer universal Jump Start courses as early as 7th grade
2. Embed Jump Start credentials into existing courses
3. Be creative
4. Be flexible
5. Use summers, afternoons/evenings, weekends...

JUMP START FUNDING

- **Career Development Funds (CDF)**
- **Carl Perkins**
- **Education Excellence Fund (EEF)**
- **Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)**
- **Grants**
- **Supplemental Course Academy (SCA)**
- **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (ESSA)**
- **Local Vocational**

SPECIAL NEEDS STUDENTS

- Any pathway can be modified
- 833 students
- Study Skills can be up to 4 Jump Start credits
- Work with student's IEP team
- Some credential exams provide accommodations
- Don't underestimate students

TEACHER TRAINING

- Identify credentialed faculty
- Train teachers who are willing
- Train multiple teachers (if possible)
- Identify training sites, costs, etc.
- Choose funding source for training
- Be aware of recertification requirements (credential fact sheet)
- Online training sites (teachers & students)

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