Seattle Skills Center

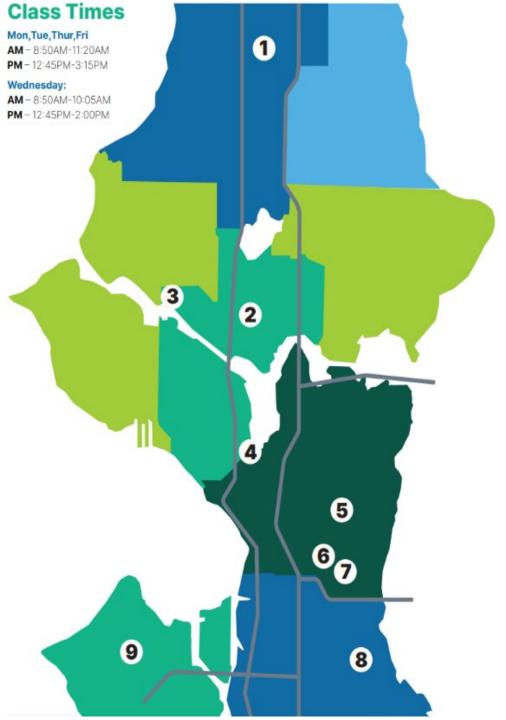
Pathways to college, career, and life

Agenda

- Skills Center Intro
- Overview of School Year Programs
- Enrollment Process for School Year
- Overview of Summer Programs
- Enrollment Process for Summer
- Questions







Seattle Skills Center Intro

- Seattle Skills Center offers unique and rigorous training opportunities to students in Seattle Public Schools
- Skills Center classes take place all at schools all over the district and at community-based organizations
 - 9 Locations during the school year, 12-13 locations during the summer (open to 8th graders)
- Students can attend Skills Center classes at any of these locations
- During the <u>school year</u>, transportation may be available for students who request and qualify for home school to Skills Center transportation



Skills Center Intro

- Students who graduate from Skills Centers...
 - Go to College
 - Pursue further training or apprenticeships
 - Enter the workforce into family-wage jobs
 - Have a good strong sense of the kind of work that they want to pursue after high school
 - Leave SPS with 21st Century skill sets required for our changing economy





Skills Center School Year Intro

- Skills Center classes are a year-long
 - Students earn 1.5 CTE Credits per semester (credit equivalencies, cross-credits, and college credit are available)
- Skills Center classes are a half-day long (3 periods out of a standard 6-period day)
 - AM Classes: 8:50-11:20PM (dismissal at 10:05AM on Wednesdays)
 - PM Classes: 12:45-3:15PM (dismissal at 2PM on Wednesdays)





School Year Programs

- During the School Year, we offer programs in...
 - Construction
 - Health Sciences/Medical Assisting
 - Maritime Vessel Operations
 - Media Arts
 - Video Game Animation and Programming
 - Advanced Manufacturing in Aerospace and Maritime
 - Automotive Technology
 - Firefighting and Emergency Medical Services
 - Teaching Academy
 - Nursing Assistant Programs



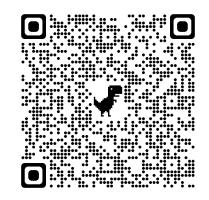






Enrollment – School Year

- <u>Step 1 Apply for classes in March/April</u>
 - Check our website and social media accounts for announcement of open application
- <u>Step 2 Skills Center confirms schedule with counselor</u>
 - Confirmation of enrollment once counselor approves
- <u>Step 3 Start classes in September!</u>







Summer Programs – Earn 0.5 CTE Credits

Offerings change each summer based on student interest and teacher availability. In the past, we have offered introductory classes in:

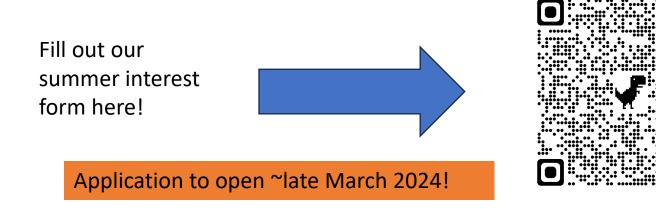
- Construction Trades
- Culinary Arts
- Dental Assisting
- Engineering
- Maritime
- Medical Careers

- Family Health
- Multimedia Broadcasting
- Teaching
- Video Game Design
- Internship Programs for Credit



Enrollment – Summer

- <u>Step 1 -</u> Complete our Summer Interest form to be notified when summer application opens
- <u>Step 2 -</u> Complete summer application
- <u>Step 3 Receive confirmation and program details</u>
- <u>Step 4 -</u> Attend and pass summer class to earn CTE Credit (0.5)



Course Highlights

- Advanced Manufacturing <u>https://vimeo.com/900275898</u>
- Teaching Academy https://vimeo.com/731843327
- Maritime Vesel Operations https://vimeo.com/580088143





Amazon Career Quest – Apply Today

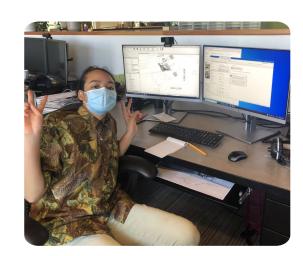
- 2 weeks (July 15-26) at Franklin HS
- 10:00AM-3PM, M-F
- Earn 0.5 CTE Credits
- Earn \$500 Stipend
- Coding and Hands-On Learning Opportunities
- Limited to 70 students



Career Quest – Learn and Earn

- Supportive Summer Internships
- 0.5 CTE Credits
- \$19.97/ hour for students
- Resume building and job readiness skills
- Summer 2024
 - Opportunities in construction management
 - Architecture
 - Multimedia Broadcasting









• If we can't answer your questions today or if you have a question that you prefer not to ask in front of others, contact me at:

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