

INDUSTRY BASED CERTIFICATIONS



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of Career Education

CAREER & TECHNICAL
EDUCATION DIVISION



FAMILY
AND CONSUMER
SCIENCES

ParaPro Assessment

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**Preparing
Tomorrow's
Future Today**

OUR GUIDING BELIEFS

- ▶ Society depends on two constants for its health and survival: work and family;
- ▶ Families are the fundamental social unit;
- ▶ Parents are the first and primary teachers for their children;
- ▶ Students shape their future work life and family life through choices they make now and in the future;
- ▶ Family and Consumer Sciences supports and complements the family in preparing young people for personal and family responsibilities;
- ▶ A life-span approach to individual and family development;
- ▶ Meeting individual and family needs within and outside the home;
- ▶ Diversity that strengthens individual, family and community well-being;
- ▶ The right to educational opportunities for ALL individuals to enhance their intellectual development and maximize their potential;
- ▶ Strong subject matter specialization with a commitment to integration with other disciplines; and
- ▶ The use of diverse modes of inquiry and education as a life long process.



Involvement in FCCLA offers members the opportunity to expand their leadership potential and develop skills for life planning, goal setting, problem solving, decision making, and interpersonal communication necessary in the home and in the workplace.



Cluster	Pathway/Program	Occupations
Human Services	Early Childhood Development and Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Childcare Guidance ▶ Management and Services 	Childcare Facilities Directors, Elementary School Counselors, Preschool Teachers, Nannies, Teacher Assistants, Childcare Workers
	Family and Community Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Family and Consumer Sciences Education 	Community Service Directors, Adult Day Care Coordinators, Volunteer Coordinators, Licensed Counselors, Religious Leaders, Social Services Workers, Career Counselors, Dieticians, Community Housing, Workers, Geriatric Service Workers
	Personal Care Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cosmetology 	Cosmetologists, Nail Technicians, Estheticians, Shampooers, Hairdressers
	Consumer Services	Consumer Credit Counselors, Consumer Affair Officers, Consumer Advocates, Certified Financial Planners, Insurance Representatives, Real Estate Representatives, Customer Service Representatives, Sales Consultants, Event Planners, Small Business Owners
Education and Training	Teaching/Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Education and Training 	Preschool and Kindergarten Teachers, Elementary Teachers, Secondary Teachers, Special Education Teachers, Human Resource Trainers, Teacher Aids
Hospitality & Tourism	Restaurants and Food/Beverage Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Food Production, Management and Services ▶ Culinary Arts 	General Manager, Kitchen Manager, Catering and Banquets Manager, Chef, Server, Specialty Chefs
	Lodging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Lodging Management and Services 	Front Office Manager, Executive Housekeeper, Controller, Director of Operations