



Career and Technical Education Newsletter

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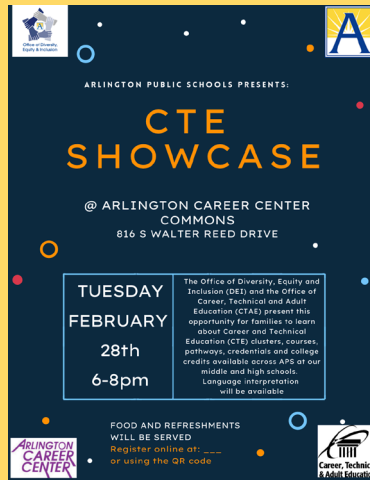
Arlington Public Schools

January 2023

Upcoming event!

CTE Showcase: February 28, 2023, 6:00-8:00pm.

The Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and the Office of Career, Technical and Adult Education presents an opportunity for families to learn about CTE clusters, courses, pathways, credentials, and college credits available across APS at the middle and high school level.



Congratulations to Iris Gibson, Business Education Teacher at Langston, who was selected to participate in the first cohort of 13 Virginia Personal Finance Teacher Fellows for the Virginia Council on Economic Education (VCEE). Teacher Fellows will receive training on VCEE economics and personal finance curriculum to then provide PD and resources to other teachers (within their school district) at schools where 40% or more of the student population receives free or reduced lunch in an effort to increase access to quality personal finance education.



The Cosmetology and Barbering classes at the Career Center hosted a Winter Spa Day. During this special event, students, staff, and community members could come to the salon at the Career Center for hair, nail and skin services. This event was organized and managed by Desiree Alexander and Rosenia Peake.

The Career Center's Culinary Arts student-run restaurant, Off the Pike, re-opened for business in December! A three-course winter dinner was served and prepared by culinary arts students. The Culinary Arts teacher at the Career Center is Renee Randolph.



In December, students in Cassidy Nolen's Inventions and Innovations class at Jefferson created and manufactured games to raise money for the Animal Welfare League. Here is a photo of Mr. Nolen presenting staff with a donation check from the sales of the games.



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