## **David Crockett High School - Career and Technical Education**

**Course: Business Communications** 

Week	State Standard	Main Topics
1-5	Communication Components Standard: 1, 2, 3, 4	<ul> <li>Demonstrate compliance with the school's ethics policy regarding copyrighted materials, plagiarism, authenticity, proper citations, privacy, and proper use of technology resources.</li> <li>Identify, analyze, and critique the basic components of communications.</li> <li>Differentiate between verbal and nonverbal communications.</li> </ul>
6-11	Digital Citizenship Standard: 5, 6, 7	<ul> <li>Create a rubric for evaluating and selecting the best electronic communication tool for a given task or situation.</li> <li>Research and analyze various aspects of good digital citizenship.</li> </ul>
11-16	Business Writing Standard: 8, 9, 10, 11	<ul> <li>Basic: Microsoft Word</li> <li>Basic: Google Docs</li> <li>Windows 10</li> </ul>
17-22	Desktop Publishing Standard: 12, 13, 14	<ul> <li>Basic: Microsoft Power Point, Word</li> <li>Basic: Google Sheets, Docs</li> </ul>
23-28	Oral Communications Standards: 15, 16, 17, 18	<ul> <li>Draft and edit two speeches: (1) to persuade, and (2) to inform. Incorporate planning and preparation to deliver speeches.</li> <li>Critique the purpose of various speaking assignments to identify the design and goal, such as to inform, educate, convince, persuade, or lead to action.</li> <li>Plan, prepare, and conduct a short business meeting, including following-up after the meeting.</li> </ul>
29-33	Virtual Meetings Standard: 19, 20	<ul> <li>Plan, organize, schedule, and deliver a webinar to one or more distant parties using computer conferencing tools (e.g., telephone or voice over IP, online conferencing system).</li> <li>Plan, organize, schedule, and conduct a web videoconference or simulation with one or more distant parties using computer conferencing tools (e.g., webcams, high-speed Internet, computer)</li> </ul>
34-36	Career Activities Standards: 21, 22, 23	<ul> <li>Prepare an electronic portfolio</li> <li>Research interview questions focused on engaging with the potential employer. Identify one company and conduct mock job interviews to practice asking clear questions and providing clear job interview responses.</li> </ul>