

Will the SCVTHS Business Entrepreneurship & Management (BE&M) program be a good fit for my son or daughter?

- This program is intended for students entering 9th or 10th grade within Somerset County that have an interest in business. BE&M prepares students for employment, entrepreneurial endeavors, and advanced studies in business management at two and four-year colleges and universities. Students obtain business fundamentals: economics, ethics, sustainability, business formation, entrepreneurship, production, operations, human resources, leadership, marketing, accounting, and finance. Students will use data from local small business enterprises to analyze organizational structure and management systems. Students will be introduced to a simulated stock market trading experience.

What is the SCVTHS BE&M Program enrollment process?

- Students will apply to the program during their 8th grade year or during their freshman year prior to the deadline. Based on entrance exam scores, academic standing, attendance and discipline records students are accepted into the program as a freshman or sophomore with the option to attend SCVTHS on a shared or full time basis.

If I come to SCVTHS as a shared-time student will I be able to meet all my graduation requirements?

- Yes. SCVTHS works closely with all of our sending districts and sends them a list of the specific offerings per program so requirements do not get missed. We strongly encourage any shared time student to meet with their sending district school counselor to review these classes.

What are the requirements for entry?

- Students must submit an application to our school prior to the deadline. Students must not have any major discipline incidences as well as excessive absences. Additionally, students must be in good academic standing. Once you submit an application you will register and partake in our entrance testing. Students take an entrance exam for both English and Math. Students must score at least a 7.0 on both assessments.

How does my child get to vo-tech?

- Transportation is provided by the sending district. Questions about transportation may be directed to the transportation department at your sending district.

Beyond a High School degree, what additional certifications will my child receive?

- During your child's Freshman-Senior year in the program, they will be able to participate in 4 RVCC classes; Principles of Marketing, Introduction to Business, Principles of Management and Small Business Management. Students will earn both HS and college credit for these courses. Students must have a 3.0 GPA to be eligible to take the college class. (Fee involved)

What are the costs to the parent?

- During your child's years in the program they have the opportunity to take the BE&M classes as a Concurrent Enrollment Program (CEP) Course with RVCC. The current rate for CEP classes from RVCC is \$240 per class. Students must have a 3.0 GPA to be eligible to take the college class.

Will my child be associated with any professional organizations within BE&M?

- All students in BE&M will be part of FBLA and SkillsUSA.