

## Connect Academy: NCVPS Electives

Course	Description	Type	Grade	PreReq
Accounting I	<p>Accounting 1 is designed to help students understand the basic principles of the accounting cycle. Emphasis is placed on the analysis and recording of business transactions, preparation, and interpretation of financial statements, accounting systems, banking and payroll activities, basic types of business ownership, and an accounting career orientation. Mathematics is reinforced. Accounting 1 utilizes work files derived from the Microsoft Office suite of applications including Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel and Microsoft PowerPoint. Students are required to submit all work files in a Microsoft Office-compatible file format.</p> <p>NOTE: Accounting 1 has a CTE Post Assessment (state final exam). Schools are responsible for administration of the CTE Post Assessment. Schools are responsible for specifying the weight of the state final exam used in determining a student's final course grade.</p>	Standard	10-12	
Career Management	<p>This course prepares students to locate, secure, keep, and change careers. Emphasis is placed on self-assessment of characteristics, interests, and values; education and career exploration; evaluation of career information and creation of a career plan. Based on the National Career Development Guidelines, skills learned in this course include, but are not limited to communications, interpersonal skills, problem solving, personal management and teamwork. A performance based measurement will be used in this course to assess student learning. English language arts and social studies are reinforced.</p> <p>This course has an aligned credential, Conover, Workplace Readiness, Job Readiness. Students will work through the credentialing process to gain the certification.</p>	Standard	9-12	

Entrepreneurship I	In this course, students evaluate the concepts of going into business for themselves and working for or operating a small business. They become acquainted with channel management, pricing, product/service management, and promotion. Emphasis is on the exploration of feasible ideas of products/services, research procedures, business financing, marketing strategies, and access to resources for starting a small business. Students will be introduced to the Lean Canvas Business Model (LCBM) throughout the course. A performance based measurement will be used in this course to assess student learning. English language arts and social studies are reinforced.	Standard	9-12	
Business Essentials	<p>Course Description</p> <p>This course will introduce students to realistic business and finance principles by examining fundamental economic concepts, the business environment, and primary business activities. Through workplace scenarios and problem-based learning, students will explore business ethics, customer relations, economics, financial analysis, human resources management, information management, marketing, operations, and business technology.</p> <p>NOTE: Students are required to take the CTE State Assessment for this course upon completion.</p>	Standard	9-12	
Animal Science I	<p>This course is an introduction to the basic scientific principles and processes that are involved in animal physiology, breeding, nutrition, and care in preparation for an animal science career. Topics include FFA, animal evaluation, animal diseases, introduction to animal science, animal nutrition, animal science issues, career opportunities, and animal evaluation.</p> <p>This course has an aligned credential, Youth for Quality Care of Animals. Students will work through the credentialing process to gain the certification.</p>	Standard	10-12	

**\*\*Additional elective options MAY be available. Students and Parents are encouraged to have discussions with the counselor to determine possible options based on availability.**