

# The Career Advisor

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**Hello, Friends** - GuidanceFest has started and we are having a great time seeing all of you! There are 3 more sessions and you can still register for one of those. The GuidanceFest power point will be available after the final workshop at Metro Tech. You will be able to find it here: [www.okcareer.tech/cac](http://www.okcareer.tech/cac) then **GuidanceFest Tommi**

October 4, 2018 – Tulsa Tech, Owasso, OK  
October 9, 2018 – Wes Watkins Tech, Wetumka, OK  
October 11, 2018 – Metro Tech, Springlake Campus, OKC



Registration: <https://guidancefest2018.eventbrite.com>

## Meet our new Career Development Specialist and C2B Coordinator!

We are happy to have **A.J. Crowell** in the Career and Academic Connections Division! AJ comes to us from OCCC and brings a wealth of knowledge about connecting students (both high school and adult) with business and industry. He will be working with OK Career Guide Connect 2 Business and business leaders around the state. You can contact AJ at [aj.crowell@careertech.ok.gov](mailto:aj.crowell@careertech.ok.gov) or 405-743-5325. **Look for him at the remaining GuidanceFest sessions!**



**Enrollment Is Down at Teacher Colleges. So They're Trying to Change** – from Education Week  
Colleges of education continue to prepare too many elementary teachers and not enough special education and foreign language teachers to meet districts' needs, a new report finds. [Read more.](#)

- **Be the Everyday Hero** – from John O'Leary and Goalcast <https://bit.ly/2CF6INV>
- **Dear Bully...** - from Kristina Kuzmic on YouTube <https://bit.ly/2MogDId>
- **Lawnmower Parents Are the New Helicopter Parents & We Are Not Here for It** – from We Are Teachers <https://bit.ly/2Ch8FdJ>

## Did you know CareerTech has a 94% Positive Placement Rate?

- 51.82% continue on to higher education
- 39.47% are employed
- 2.63% continue to the military



**What K-12 and Higher Education Can Learn From Each Other** –from Education Week  
Both institutions remain largely unaware of how the other operates. That's a fixable problem, writes Ethan S. Ake-Little. [Read more.](#)



- **Great to show students - How to Live with Integrity** – from Scooter Braun & Goalcast <https://bit.ly/2O3t1vY>
- **When Students Say #MeToo, Schools May Be Unprepared to Help** – from Education Week <https://bit.ly/2QdC2zH>

### **Are You the Chosen One: A Resource for Students** – from For High School Counselors Blog

As school counselors, it is important that we empower students to assist their peers when they are facing a potential crisis situation. Unfortunately, we cannot be everywhere so teaching our students what to do when a friend is in trouble can potentially save a life... <https://bit.ly/2MYbeBB>

- [\*\*High School Counselors Think Colleges Should Drop SAT, ACT Requirements\*\*](#) – from Education Week
- [\*\*Extra Duties Limited School Counselors' Fact Time with Students. A New Rule is Changing That\*\*](#) - from The Tennessean <https://tnne.ws/2MypdTo>
- [\*\*Have Smartphones Destroyed a Generation:\*\*](#) from the Atlantic <https://bit.ly/2u3JDX6>
- [\*\*She Couldn't Find a Female Mechanic, So She Became One\*\*](#) – from Huffington Post - <https://yhoo.it/2NTX3lq>
- [\*\*Engineering: There's Much More To It Than You Think\*\*](#) – *good source of engineering jobs* – from Industrial Quick Searches Directory <https://bit.ly/2QZoBVt>
- [\*\*Free Personality Test Assessment for Your Students\*\*](#) – from Link For Counselors <https://bit.ly/2xHxmeC>

### [\*\*Using French Fries to Teach Consent \(And Other Ways Sex Ed. Is Changing\)\*\*](#) - from PBS and Ed Week

Some schools are adopting comprehensive sexuality education, which includes discussions on healthy relationships, consent, and preventing violence. [Read more.](#)

### **CareerTech Champions – see how lives have been changed by CareerTech!**

- [\*\*Ashley Hobbs\*\*](#) – High Plains Technology Center - A wind energy graduate wants to work her way up in the field -- WAY up!
- [\*\*Adam Lettkeman\*\*](#) – Meridian Technology Center - From home-school to higher ed, a pre-engineering grad is building a future for himself.
- [\*\*Tiffany Kinsey\*\*](#) – Tri County Technology Center - A weightlifter, high school football player, fitness model and welder, this young woman has broken more than a few barriers.
- [\*\*Shawnquise Gatewood\*\*](#) – Mabel Bassett Skills Center - A high school dropout turns her life around with TDL certification.
- [\*\*Emma Hutchison\*\*](#) - DECA - A former DECA officer plans to take her leadership skills into the courtroom.

### [\*\*Study shows long shadow for early suspensions\*\*](#) – from ASCD SmartBrief

Suspending students in elementary school could affect their behavior and lead to more suspensions in middle school, and even in high school, according to a study by researchers at Louisiana State University. "If a student is suspended, then they lose instruction time and they are more likely to be disengaged in school..."

- [\*\*For Counselors and Teachers: Six tenets to successful classroom management\*\*](#)  
The big takeaways to effective classroom management come down to six key tenets.

### ***Just for you ...from We Are Teachers***

#### **14 Ridiculous Dress Code Rules for Teachers You Won't Believe Are Real**

Recently, we asked teachers on the WeAreTeachers Facebook page to share their most ridiculous school rules for teachers with us. And did they ever! We got so many great responses, and we were shocked by the crazy dress code rules in particular. Teachers shared one wild rule after another on this topic. [These are some of our favorites.](#)

If you have questions or comments, please contact me:

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