

# Oklahoma State *TCTW- HSTW* Network

## Organizing and Promoting Career Pathway Opportunities

Providing Clear Roadmaps to Students and Families

Register at: <https://goo.gl/forms/2xSnJzZnrCljmvNu2>



### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

**Counselors and school leaders** from middle schools, high schools and technology centers are encouraged to attend. This session will provide an opportunity to review K-12 resources and activities that support career awareness and development and would benefit teams of counselors from feeder middle school, high schools and technology centers. Administrators are encouraged to attend the sessions with their counselors to support the development of pathway resources (brochures, pathway course sequence visuals, etc.) and campus-wide promotional activities.

### WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND?

This two-session series is designed to support counselors and school leaders as they work to organize and promote career pathway opportunities. The session will first establish a common understanding of rigorous, relevant career pathway options for students, including acceleration opportunities for each pathway. The session will then support schools and technology centers as they design pathway resources that communicate expectations and outcomes for students. Since this is a state network event, resources that are developed at the session will be shared.

Expected **outcomes** of the session include:

- The organization of pathway offerings (at the Career Cluster Level) to support clear communication of pathways with teachers, students and families.
- The creation of clear course progression visuals that include dual/concurrent credit opportunities, opportunities to earn industry valued credentials and opportunities to participate in Work-Based Learning Options within the pathway.
- The creation of student resources that highlight Oklahoma Careers (to include job titles, needed credentials, salaries and regional employers) for each pathway.
- The creation of specific Program of Study Handouts that include academic and career technical courses that are required to complete program expectations and the designation of Oklahoma Course Codes for each.
- A K-12 Career Exposure and Development Plan that provides multiple opportunities for students and families to learn about Career Pathways and related careers.

### WHAT SHOULD PARTICIPANTS BRING?

- Samples of previously designed/used Pathway Resources (including course catalogs, program of study outlines, etc.)
- The current master schedule of offered courses (including those offered through technology center and other postsecondary partners)
- A computer to complete on-line research and to design new resources during the session

### WHEN and WHERE IS IT?

Where:

Putnam City West High School  
8500 NW 23<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Oklahoma City, OK 73127

When:

**Session 1: January 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> --8:30-3:30 Daily**  
**Session 2: January 24<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> --8:30-3:30 Daily**  
(11:30-12:30 Daily--Lunch on Your Own)