

## **SB 1908 CTACE CHANGE – CTE PARTICIPATION PART OF SCHOOL GRADE**

### **WHAT ELSE IS NEW FOR 2008-2009?**

- Student participation in CTE programs and the attainment of a recognized industry credential awarded through a third party assessment process will be one of the school's core indicators of success and included in the calculation of the school grade.
- The District will implement a Career and Technical Education 5 Year Strategic Plan that aligns with new federal and state requirements for students enrolled in career and technical education programs.
- Each high school will develop and implement an action plan to support the District Career and Technical Education 5 Year Strategic Plan.

### **WHAT YOU NEED TO DO?**

- Each high school principal should meet with John Miracola, Director, Career, Technical and Adult/Community Education to develop the action plan for the school that aligns with the District's Career and Technical Education 5 Year Strategic Plan.

### **WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF YOU DON'T?**

- Students will not have the opportunity to reach the CTE Concentrator level, which will negatively impact the school's ability to access federal funds through the Carl D. Perkins Act.

### **WHO NEEDS TO KNOW?**

- High School Principals and Assistant Principals
- Guidance Counselors

### **HOW WILL YOU COMMUNICATE FOLLOW-UP?**

- The CTACE Department will work with the Board, ELT, Educational Programs Department, high school principals and District Guidance to implement the changes and provide staff development

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