

## HIGH SCHOOL CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION REVISIONS

### WHAT'S NEW FOR 2009-2010?

Technology Education Frameworks released by the Florida Department of Education (FLDOE) in March 2009, indicate that:

- Beginning in the 2009-10 school-year, Technology Studies 1 will no longer be a part of any Technology Education programs leading to a Bright Futures/Gold Seal scholarship.
- When Technology Studies 1 is still offered, it will satisfy the Computer Competency requirement for graduation within Broward Schools.

### WHAT YOU NEED TO DO?

- Modify schedule of students who have been initially enrolled in a Communications Technology, Drafting/Illustrative Design Technology or Engineering Technology program beginning in the 2009-10 school year, to reflect the FLDOE approved first-level course within that specific program.

A listing of the FLDOE approved first-level course is available at the following URL:

[http://www.fldoe.org/workforce/dwdframe/stem\\_cluster\\_frame09.asp](http://www.fldoe.org/workforce/dwdframe/stem_cluster_frame09.asp)

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

- Students who will graduate after 2012 and have taken Technology Studies 1 as a part of their three-course requirement will be ineligible to receive the Bright Futures/Gold Seal scholarship.

### WHO NEEDS TO KNOW?

- Principals and guidance staff.

### HOW WILL YOU COMMUNICATE FOLLOW-UP?

- CTACE Curriculum Specialist will relay pertinent information to all impacted parties and assist staff in identifying and revising the first-level course of the specific corresponding program.

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