

# MCTA

## The Blueprint for Maryland's Future: A Deeper Dive into CTE

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- System approach
  - FCPS
  - HCPS
- Impact to CTE
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# FCPS Approach

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## Steering Committee

Continue moving programs to meet definition of high skill, high wage, in-demand.

Continue to add Dual Enrollment opportunities.

Developing strategies to increase completers, certifications, youth apprenticeships such as:

- Review/revise courses/decrease electives/focus on POS
- Recommend changes to SSL course
- Utilize new data process to increase completers
- Partner with Workforce Services re: Youth Apprenticeship and a Career Fair
- Advocate for additional resources to support Youth Apprenticeship (recruit industry partners)
- Advocate for full time WBL Coordinators in each building
- Expand to non credit college program alignment

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## Lunch and afternoon Agenda

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**12:15 pm:** Buffet Lunch

**1:00 pm:** Equity in Action  
Part II led by Dr. Michael  
Grubbs and Douglas Handy

**3:30 pm:** Adjourn