CTEOS Trend Data (2017-2022)

The following information is from the Career & Technical Education (CTE) Employment Outcomes Survey 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022 reports. Completers and skill-building students were surveyed two years after earning a certificate, vocational degree, or earning 9+ CTE units and administered via email, text message, or phone. (Note: 2017 N=1,245; 2019 N=1282; 2020 N=1275; 2021 N=1371, 2022=1534)



How satisfied are students with the education and training they received?

While satisfaction with education and training has increased in recent years, there was a decline in the percentage of students who said they were **'very satisfied'** or **'satisfied'** and an increase in the percentage of students who selected the 'other' category.

Very Close ——Close —Not Close 52.8% 52.1% 50.4% 48.3% 46.8% 33.6% 31.0% 31.9% 29.2% 27.7% • 22.6% 22.2% 20.2% 15.3% 16.0% 2017 2019 2020 2021 2022

How many students secured a job that is closely related to their program of study?

Most students have indicated that they secured a job **closely related** to their program of study. The second most selected answer to this question is that job is **not closely** related to their program of study. In the past two years, there has been a slight increase in the percentage of students who indicated there is not closely related to their program of study.



How many hours per week are employed students working?

The percentage of students securing full-time employment (or 40 hours and higher) notably decreased in 2022, and those who indicated that they were employed 20 hours or greater at the time of the survey increased.



How many months did it take students to find a job?

Most students secure jobs within 1-3 months of finishing the program. The percentage of students who indicated that it took them 4-6 months and 7+ months to find a job is declining.

What is your current employment status?					
Employment Status	2017	2019	2020	2021	2022
Employed at one job	61.0%	61.5%	61.6%	66.4%	67.3%
Employed at more than one job	11.8%	11.0%	10.1%	9.4%	6.9%
Unemployed, seeking work	11.5%	9.4%	11.6%	11.7%	14.7%
Self-employed	7.6%	7.1%	6.6%	2.9%	6.9%
Unemployed, not seeking work	5.3%	7.4%	7.8%	7.2%	1.8%
Unpaid work, seeking paid work	1.7%	1.5%		0.7%	0.9%
Unpaid work, not seeking paid work	1.1%	2.0%	0.6%	0.7%	1.5%
Furloughed			1.7%	1.0%	

The proportion of students who responded that they were unemployed and seeking work increased in 2022.





In the past three years, wages have remained steady for survey respondents.