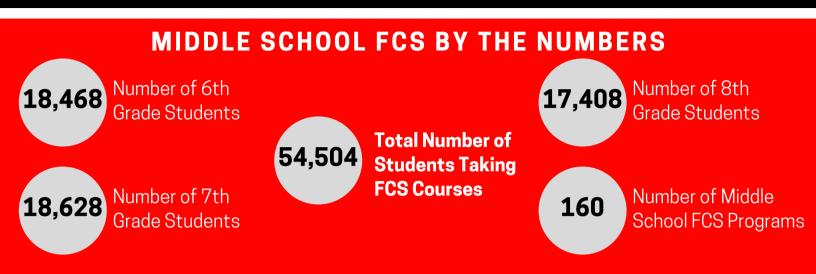


FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES IN MIDDLE SCHOOL





MIDDLE SCHOOL FCS: PREPARATION FOR COLLEGE, CAREERS, AND REAL LIFE



EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS Demonstrate employability skills required by business and industry, such as communication, creativity, critical thinking, work readiness traits, and professional image.



CONSUMER & FINANCE

Explain the relationships of social and financial skills needed to develop personal and business interactions. Discuss factors affecting consumers and business decisions for individuals and families and how these decisions impact society.



CULINARY ARTS

Identify and apply culinary-related knowledge, technology and skills necessary for food preparation and service in a safe and sanitary work enviroment.



NUTRITION & FOOD SCIENCE

Apply principles of nutrition and food science and their relationships to human growth, development, health and wellness using technology and hands-on experiences to support informed decision making skills needed to maintain a healthy lifestyle.



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Explore the growth and development of the child, ages birth to five, such as developmental milestones, appropriate learning environments, and nutritional and exceptional needs of children.



TEACHING AS A PROFESSION

Identify the knowledge, skills and practices of the educational workforce, such as career opportunities, positive guidance, learning styles, and understanding the code of ethics.



INTERIOR DESIGN

Analyze factors (social, psychological, cultural, economic) affecting housing and interior design decisions for individuals and families and their overall impact.



FASHION DESIGN

Analyze factors (social, psychological, cultural, economic) affecting fibers and apparel decisions for individuals and families and their overall impact.