

Perkins - Size Scope and Quality Definitions

Size

- At least one career cluster and state-recognized pathway is offered in each program/content area that is currently provided in the area district.
- A minimum class size of 10 students or continuous progress towards increased class size.
- Students in the district have access to a minimum of 5 state approved pathways.

Scope

- Consortium must meet a minimum of once a year and maintain meeting documentation.
- Links or pathways must exist between the secondary and postsecondary CTE programs of study.
- A graduation plan/pathway plan is in place for each student in the career pathway that identifies recommended academic and technical courses, which connect to postsecondary education.

Quality

- Implement a continuous program improvement process approved by the State
- Achieve performance targets established for Perkins core indicators
- Demonstrate excellent student safety in CTE labs
- Each program/content area must have an advisory committee that meets a minimum of once a year
- Evidence of appropriate teachers licensing, professional development & dual credit agreements.
- School has adopted curriculum and is meeting state standards in course instruction.