

## PILLAR #2 - COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS

Ms. Nancy Hall, Director of Career Technical Education Dr. Richard Koonce, College & Career Readiness Coach

Blue Streak University and College and Career Pathways highlight the unique programs that are offered to all Sandusky students. Over the past two years, Sandusky High School (SHS) has had several students complete their associate degree while earning their high school diploma. One of our students, Boo Sims, will graduate with an associate degree from Bowling Green State University before graduating from SHS, making him the second student in the school's history to accomplish this goal.

The expansion of course offerings as part of our Blue Streak University initiative has continued in the current academic year. This is a significant achievement that is aligned with our goal of offering students the ability to earn an associate degree without leaving the high school building. Students will have an increased opportunity to earn college credit or an associate degree.

Sandusky City Schools (SCS) College and Career Pathways offers innovative programs that will lead students into careers in the 21st Century. Programs like Aviation, Engineering, Manufacturing, Automotive, Cosmetology, Welding and Construction provide students with hands-on experience. Health Careers is leading our students into the next generation of STNAs, LPNs and RNs. Significant highlights for the year include:

- Increase in students taking college courses at SHS
- Significant increase in college savings by students taking college courses
- Nine Aviation Technologies students flew their first flights in a single-engine aircraft provided by Civil Air Patrol.
- Aviation Technologies students demonstrated their flight lessons to Ohio legislators at the Ohio Statehouse using simulators, online pilot ground school training and their drone piloting skills.
- Construction Technologies students partnered with EHOVE and Project Artemis to build six tiny houses for homeless veterans. SHS students built the houses while EHOVE students completed the electrical wiring. The six houses will be set up in Mansfield for transitional housing for homeless veterans.
- Twenty-four Business Management students advanced to the state level Business Professionals of America state competition. Three students placed in the top ten.

No matter your roadmap to success, SCS has the programs and courses to expand learning. We believe that all students should participate in a rigorous and rich high school experience that prepares them for college and a career.



# >>>> PILLAR #2 - COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS

Ms. Nancy Hall, Director of Career Technical Education Dr. Richard Koonce, College & Career Readiness Coach

#### 2019-2020 GOALS

- 1. Increase the number of students participating in college courses from 125 to 150
- 2. Increase the number of students earning - or on track for - an associate degree by 5%
- 3. Develop a plan for students to earn an associate degree without leaving the SHS building
- 4. Work with local universities to identify high school staff that can teach college courses at the high school
- 5. Increase the number of Career **Technical Program students obtaining** an industry recognized license/ certification by 5%
- 6. Increase the number of Career Technical Program students scoring proficient or better on their associated program assessment by 5%
- 7. Increase the number of students enrolled in STNA program by 20%
- 8. Develop Hospitality program curriculum and implementation timeline by January 2020

### 2020-2021 GOALS

- 1. Increase the number of students participating in college courses from 150 to 200
- 2 Increase the number of students earning - or on track for - an associate degree by 7%
- 3. Streamline a clear path for qualified SMS students to earn at least three credit hours in either an in-class or online University Success class
- 4. Increase the number of college courses taught at the high school by high school staff
- 5. Increase the number of Career **Technical Program students obtaining** an industry recognized license/ certification by 5%
- 6. Increase the number of Career Technical Program students scoring proficient or better their associated program assessment by 5%
- 7. Implement Hospitality program for the start of school

#### 2021-2022 GOALS

- 1. Increase the number of students participating in college courses from 200 to 250
- 2. Increase the number of students earning - or on track for - an associate degree by 10%
- 3. Advise and assist at least one student who is able to earn a bachelor's degree, or at least come within 15 credit hours of earning a BA or BS
- 4. Ensure that all courses for an associate degree program are offered at the high school
- 5. Increase the number of Career **Technical Program students** obtaining an industry recognized license/certification by 5%
- 6. Increase the number of Career Technical Program students scoring advanced on their associated program assessment by 5%