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# School Profile 2022-2023

# **Interim Superintendent/Director:**

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The Hannaford Career Center is accredited by both the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) and the Vermont Agency of Education.

**Non-Discrimination Statement:** The Patricia A. Hannaford Career Center is open to students from 9<sup>th</sup> grade through adult and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, creed, gender, age, sexual orientation or disability.

#### **Overview**

#### Patricia A. Hannaford Career Center Vision

We envision a career and technical center that empowers students to be inquisitive, caring and open-minded citizens of local, national and global communities, who engage as lifelong learners and understand and accept different viewpoints and perspectives.

#### Patricia A. Hannaford Career Center Mission

We provide students with rigorous, hands-on and classroom instruction, robust community partnerships, and project-based learning opportunities that empower and inspire them to build strong work habits, relevant, innovative technical skills, and a sense of personal responsibility as local, national and global citizens while ensuring equity for all participants.

### **Community**

Career Center students come primarily from three sending high schools within Addison county. We also admit home study students, students from private schools, alternative schools, schools outside of Addison county and adults with or without a high school diploma.

#### **Admissions Procedures**

Students seeking enrollment in technical programs at the Career Center need to be recommended by their sending school counselor, have an acceptable attendance record and meet any prerequisites required for the program to which they are applying. For an application and more information please visit our website: hannafordcareercenter.org or call

(802) 382-1012.

### **Daily Schedule**

All but one of the technical programs are half-day programs that students take typically in 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades and attend either in the morning from 8:45am-10:45am or in the afternoon from 12:10 pm-2:10pm. Culinary Arts is a full-day program and meets from 9:25am-2:10pm each day for two semesters. Automotive has a full-day option for qualified students. Some students may choose to explore interest in both an AM and PM technical program. Foundational programs run either for 80 or 120 minutes on alternating days for the full year.

#### **Adult Education**

There is an extensive offering of evening courses for adults in the fall and the spring semesters, and adults can participate in the day programs as well, on a space available basis.

## **Cooperative Education**

Students who have developed entry-level skills in their program can explore careers in their specific fields through cooperative education. These experiences are paid and/or unpaid work assignments with area businesses. During the 2021-2022 school year, 72 students participated in cooperative education placements.

#### **Dual Enrollment**

The following programs have a college credit option: Automotive Technology, Diesel Power Technology, Human Services, Medical Professions, Sustainable Agriculture, Design & Illustration, Natural Resource Management. In 2021-2022, 38 students received college credits through their career center program, and 104 students earned Industry Recognized Credentials (IRC).

## **Proficiency-Based Grading**

The PHCC utilizes standards-based proficiency assessment and offers the following suggested conversion:

3.1 - 4.0	95	A
2.4 - 3.09	85	В
2.0 - 2.39	75	C
0 - 1.99	59	F

#### **Academic Honors**

An Outstanding Student in every program is selected quarterly by each instructor and recognized. These students exhibit exemplary work ethic, attitude and attendance.

## **Student Leadership**

A large percentage of career center students are involved in Career Technical Student Organizations (CTSO's) where they learn leadership skills and participate in state and national skill competitions. FFA, SkillsUSA, and HOSA are the largest student organizations at the Hannaford Career Center.

Two honor societies are open to students who have excellent academic and program standing. Since 1992, 625 PHCC students have been inducted into the National Technical Honor Society and 155 students have been inducted into the National Art Honor Society.

## **Programs available: Technical Programs (11th, 12th grade)**

Addison Repertory Theater (A.R.T.) (Technical and Performance tracks) Automotive Technology

Engineering & Architecture

Construction Technology

**Culinary Arts** 

Design & Illustration

Diesel Power Technology

**Human Services** 

Industrial Design & Fabrication

**Medical Professions** 

Natural Resource Management

Sustainable Agriculture

Technical Communications, an English course taught by a licensed English teacher, is available to all students enrolled in a technical program.

## **Pre-Technical Programs (designed for 9th, 10th grade)**

Introduction to Agricultural Science Introduction to STEM Mechanical Science Visual Communications