

Preparing North Carolina Students for Post-secondary Success:

Future focused. Career ready.



Developing a talent pipeline for a stronger North Carolina



GOAL 1

Prepare our future workforce with the skills and experiences required to be successful, productive citizens, providing a robust **talent pipeline** that powers the State's economic development efforts.



GOAL 2

Ensure that all students have **access to post-secondary pathways** that align with growing, high wage careers and meet local, regional, and/or statewide industry demand for talent.



GOAL 3

Assist all students and parents in making **informed plans and decisions** about future education and career opportunities.



GOAL 4

Ensure that all students engage in **career exploration and real-world learning activities** throughout their K-12 journey.