



Sharon Williams, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools

To: RIMSD 41 Board of Education
From: Dr. Sharon Williams
Cabinet Champion: Scott Vance, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching & Learning
Date: May 12, 2026
Re: Quad City Area Career Center Tuition

The Rock Island-Milan School District is part of the Quad City CTE Consortium and has utilized the services of the Quad City Area Career Center for a number of years. Formed in 2007, the Quad City Career and Technical Education (CTE) Consortium is governed through a joint agreement with District in Rock Island, Henry, Mercer, and Stark Counties.

Per the joint agreement with the consortium, member districts are invoiced for tuition based on the number of students attending the U.T. Area Career Center as well as per credit hour fee. For Fiscal Year 2026 the per hour credit fee is \$800.00 (\$400.00 per semester). Courses at the U.T. Area Career Center are awarded 2.5 credits (high school credit). Additionally, the Rock Island-Milan School District is responsible for the tuition of any private school students legally residing within the boundaries of the Rock Island-Milan School District.

34 RIHS Students	2.5 Credit Hour Class	\$800.00 /credit/semester	\$68,000.00
Total Tuition:			\$68,000.00

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the estimated yearly tuition cost of \$68,000 for the Quad City Area Career Center as presented.

Investment Period: July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
Total Investment: \$68,000.00
Funding Source: RIHS School Funds

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