

LYON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Staff Travel Report  
to  
School Board of Trustees**

Your recent request to travel has been approved. Within two weeks of the date of the conference, the following report is due in the office of the Deputy Superintendent via Margaret Heim.

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Staff Member:	Nicole Taylor	School:	DO
Conference:	Association for Career and Technical Education	Staff Assignment	
Do not use acronyms	San Antonio TX	Dates Attended:	12/3/24-12/7/24
Location of Conference:			

**General Overview: Do not use acronyms**

ACTE's CareerTech VISION is the must-attend event for career and technical education (CTE) professionals. VISION offered comprehensive programming covering high-quality CTE in secondary and postsecondary environments and emerging trends in the field to help career and technical educators thrive in their careers. VISION provided attendees with a rich array of networking opportunities, an Expo, hundreds of concurrent program sessions, and numerous networking opportunities.

**How will this impact student learning in a positive way?**

I attended multiple sessions on Industry Recognized Credentials and how to best incorporate them in to CTE Pathways. I plan to review this information with Career and Technical (CTE) Teachers to ensure teachers understand the importance of credentials in CTE pathways and they are able to align their credentials to ensure students are prepared to enter into high wage, high skilled jobs.

I also attended several sessions on marketing CTE prgrams to students, families, staff and stake holders. I came aways with several ideas to improve the knoweldge of CTE at the Middle School level to assit students in making more informed decisions as they enter highschool.

*How will I implement what I learned and how will I share this information with my colleagues?*

I would like to meet with staff to review Industry Recognized Credentials as I do not believe the majority understand these credentials or how to assist students in earning them. I would like to work with students/families to assist them in understanding how to utilize said credentials to earn high wage high skilled jobs.

*Other Comments:*

I learned a lot at the Association for Career and Technical Education's Vision 2024, I am grateful for the opportunity to learn from other districts and professionals from around the country.

*Kayleen Larkins*

Site Principal/Supervisor Approval

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Deputy Superintendent Approval

*12/16/24*

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