

Subject Career and Technical Revenue

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Overview

Career and technical education programs include courses that were formerly called vocational programs and include agricultural, business, technology, and health occupations courses, among others. A district that offers career and technical programming is eligible for revenue under this career and technical revenue program.

Career and technical revenue is now an equalized aid and levy. Under current law, each school district's career and technical revenue equals 35 percent of the district's approved expenditures on career and technical programming. Career and technical revenue is currently equalized at a relatively low level. For the 2020-2021 school year, career and technical revenue consists of about \$3 million of aid and \$29 million of levy.

H.F. 2695 proposes to increase career and technical revenue from 35 to 50 percent of eligible expenditures and increases equalization aid, holding the statewide career and technical levy unchanged and increasing the aid by \$13.5 million.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Career and technical revenue. Increases from 35 to 50 percent the portion of each school district's qualifying career and technical expenses that are funded under the formula. Increases the career and technical revenue program's equalizing factor such that the full revenue increase is paid for with state aid.
2	Appropriation. Appropriates an unspecified amount of money for career and technical education aid.



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