

## **Student Definitions**

### **Participants**

A secondary student who has enrolled in one (1) or more courses in any career and technical education (CTE) program area by the official state student count day.

### **Concentrators**

A secondary student enrolled in one or more occupational-specific or terminal courses. An occupational-specific course provides specific preparation for entry-level employment. A terminal course is an occupational-specific course that is taken at the end of a sequential course of study. Students enrolled in introductory career and technical education courses are not considered secondary concentrators.

### **Completers**

A student that has completed a terminal course with a grade of D or better.

## **Course Type Definitions**

### **Introductory (I)**

A course which introduces students to occupational education program area and should be a preparatory/prerequisite course for one or more occupationally specific courses.

### **Occupationally Specific (O)**

A course that provides specific preparation for entry-level employment. Instruction is focused on a specific occupation and is usually taught in the 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade (can be offered in the 10<sup>th</sup> grade).

### **Terminal Course (T)**

An occupationally specific course which is taken at the end of a sequential course of study and each school district has the responsibility of identifying the district's terminal courses (guidance from NDE is provided).