# COLLEGE-PREP ACADEMICS REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

With 50,000 square feet of renovated classrooms and workshops, Goodwin Tech exposes students to the best industry-standard equipment. Students can choose from a wide range of career technical education, athletics and activities. As a graduation requirement, each student creates a portfolio, outlining their accomplishments in both academics and real-world experience, preparing them for the workforce or a two- or four-year university.



## E.C. GOODWIN TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

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## HOW WE LEARN

At Goodwin Tech, talented academic and career technology teachers collaborate to design high-tech lessons.

Our unique educational program prepares Goodwin

Tech graduates for immediate employment, entry into apprenticeship programs or admission into a two- or four-year college. Each student graduates with a high school diploma and a certificate in their career technical field.

EACH STUDENT
GRADUATES WITH A
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA
AND A CERTIFICATE
IN THEIR CAREER
TECHNICAL FIELD.

Ninth-grade students participate in all of the technical programs offered at Goodwin Tech through the Exploratory Program. This experience allows students to engage in the various

career path opportunities before choosing one that will set the framework for their education in grades 10-12. Students take academic and career technology courses on a nine-day rotating cycle, which provides ninety days of instruction in academics and ninety days of instruction in career technology courses.

Students have the opportunity to participate in the College Career Pathways (CCP) program with local community colleges and the Early College Experience (ECE) program through UCONN. Through these programs, students earn college credit while in high school and prepare





At Goodwin Tech, Work-based Learning (WBL) is offered as a way for students in grades 11 and 12 to gain real-world experience, work in teams, solve problems and meet employers' expectations. It takes place during the school day and students not only receive credit toward their career technology, but they also get paid. Through partnerships with local companies, students work on real projects, gaining hands-on career development experience. Students also participate in production work where outside customers hire the school. From building a house to salon services, the work helps prepare students for transition from high school to the workforce.

#### Our Career Technologies include:

- Automotive Technology
- Carpentry
- Culinary Arts
- Electrical
- Hairdressing, Cosmetology and Barbering
- Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC)
- Information Systems Technology
- Mechanical Design and Engineering Technology

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- Mechatronics Technology
- Plumbing and Heating
- Precision Machining Technology

## HOW WE PLAY

### Goodwin Tech students have a variety of sports and activities to choose from:

Athletics: Football, Soccer, Volleyball, Basketball, Cross Country, Swimming and Diving, Wrestling, Baseball, Golf, Indoor & Outdoor Track, Softball, and Lacrosse.

Clubs and Activities: Student Council, National Honor Society, Music Club, SkillsUSA, Green Technology Club, HOBY, and many more.

## WHAT MAKES US DIFFERENT

Connecticut Technical Education and Career System (CTECS) graduates are prepared for working and learning environments that constantly change. By adapting to new standards in emerging technologies, students acquire the necessary skills to succeed in the college classroom and in the workplace.

By integrating STEM education into our academics and career technologies, along with guidance from industry leaders, Goodwin Tech students graduate with industry certifications or licenses, post-secondary certificates or degrees that employers use to make hiring and promotion decisions. These graduates are empowered to pursue future schooling and training as their educational and career needs evolve, positioning them to be the country's next leaders and entrepreneurs.

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