

2022-2023 Report to the Community

Enoree Career Center is located in Northern Greenville County, south of Travelers Rest. The center was built in 1973, and a four-million-dollar renovation was completed during the 2005 school year. A new addition was completed in April of 2018 that houses classroom and lab space for the Machine Tool, Welding Technology, and Culinary Arts Programs. Additional renovations to create a new Mechatronics lab, expand the Automotive Technology shop, and improve the Building Construction lab took place during the summer of 2020.

Enoree Career Center serves students from four feeder high schools: Berea, Carolina, Travelers Rest, and Wade Hampton. Students from other high schools may attend the center for specialized career center courses not offered at neighboring centers.

The programs and courses offered at Enoree include Automotive Collision Repair, Automotive Technology, Building Construction, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Firefighting, Law Enforcement, Graphic Communications, Machine Tool Technology, Mechatronics, and Welding Technology. Additionally, Enoree Career Center offers a Career Academy program for ninth and tenth grade students who want to learn more about career options and learning opportunities at the career centers.

Other highlights and achievements of our programs this year include the following:

- Our enrollment continues to grow, with over 255 year-one students accepting an offer in our 11 programs for the 2023 - 2024 school year. In addition, 130 Career Exploratory offers were made, allowing students to try multiple program offerings.
- Enoree's Career Academy served 80 students from our feeder high schools and has created a feeder pattern into our two-year programs of over 30%. We plan to grow participation in the program by 33% for the 2023 – 2024 school year
- Enoree and Greenville Technical College are working together to offer dual credit opportunities in Culinary Arts, Machine Tool, and Mechatronics for the 2023 - 2024 school year.
- Machine Tool again earned a Gene Haas Foundation grant for student scholarships and teacher training.
- Enoree students were able to earn over 1038 industry certifications, at the time of this report.
- Welding student Kayla Townsend was named Enoree's Student of the Year and will be recognized at the Salute to Education Banquet in late May.
- Culinary Arts student Qiah Hernandez-Rivera was named the Enoree Technology Champion and will be recognized at the Completer Celebration on May 17.
- 139 students are program Completers, and the seniors will be recognized at their high school graduation ceremony and a Completer Awards Ceremony on May 17 at Trailblazer Park.
- Mark Crain, Firefighting Instructor, is the 2023 - 2024 Enoree Teacher of the Year.
- Two new teachers were hired for next year. Chef Bill Twaler will join us as the Culinary Arts instructor, and Ronald Moore will join the staff as our Auto Collision Repair instructor.

Our school-wide motto of "Let's Get to Work!" remains the focus as we continue to provide rigorous instruction and work-based experiences for our students. This focus provides students with advantages in their next steps, including entering the workforce, military, or continuing their education in a post-secondary environment.

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