



STATE OF ALABAMA  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Eric G. Mackey, Ed.D.  
State Superintendent of Education

July 1, 2025

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** City and County Superintendents of Education

**FROM:** Eric G. Mackey *EGM*  
State Superintendent of Education

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Year 2026 Career and Technical Education Grants

In support of the educational initiatives of the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) and Career and Technical Education (CTE)/Workforce Development Section, local education agencies may apply for the CTE grants listed below. The CTE grants are designed to support initiatives that improve the quality, relevance, and effectiveness of CTE programs, ultimately preparing students for success in the workforce.

Grant Name	Grant Manager	Letter of Intent (LOI) Required
Agriscience Extended Year Grant	Ashley Holmes <a href="mailto:ashley.holmes@alsde.edu">ashley.holmes@alsde.edu</a>	Yes
CTE Innovation and Modernization Grant	Mark McGhee <a href="mailto:mark.mcghee@alsde.edu">mark.mcghee@alsde.edu</a>	No
CTE Career Readiness Indicator Grant	Mark McGhee <a href="mailto:mark.mcghee@alsde.edu">mark.mcghee@alsde.edu</a>	No
CTE Summer Work-Based Learning Grant	Mark McGhee <a href="mailto:mark.mcghee@alsde.edu">mark.mcghee@alsde.edu</a>	No
Future Teachers of Alabama Teacher Stipend Grant	Kayla Cantley <a href="mailto:kayla.cantley@alsde.edu">kayla.cantley@alsde.edu</a>	No

The deadline to submit LOIs is Friday, August 29, 2025, at 11:59 p.m. The deadline to submit grant applications is Friday, September 12, 2025, at 11:59 p.m. Follow the instructions on the ALSDE [CTE Grant Portal](#) to apply.

Virtual technical assistance will be available on Thursday, July 31, 2025, at 10 a.m. and Monday, August 18, 2025, at 1 p.m. You may register by [clicking here](#).

If you have any questions, contact Mr. Mark McGhee, Education Administrator, by telephone at 334-694-4760 or by email at [mark.mcghee@alsde.edu](mailto:mark.mcghee@alsde.edu).

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