

## North Dakota Career and Technical Education (CTE) Coordinated Plans and Eligibility Criteria for the ND CTE Scholarship Program

There are many Coordinated Plans of Study for students to choose from to complete the “two credit plan of study” requirement specified in Section [15.1-21-02.4](#) of the North Dakota Century Code.

The plans of study are organized by the eight ND CTE Program Areas:

- [Agricultural Education](#)
- [Business Education](#)
- [Family and Consumer Sciences Education](#)
- [Health Sciences Education](#)
- [Information Technology Education](#)
- [Marketing Education](#)
- [Technology and Engineering Education](#)
- [Trade, Industry, and Technical Education](#)

### How to use the Coordinated Plans of Study (EXAMPLE)

The example to the right lists courses included in the Family & Consumer Sciences Coordinated Plan of Study - Hospitality & Tourism Career Cluster, Restaurants & Food/Beverage Services Pathway.

The top/blue section of the plan consists of more general courses that fit into the career cluster. The second/red section identifies a career pathway within that cluster and contains courses intended to better prepare students interested in that specific pathway.

To complete two “units” of credit in this coordinated plan of study, a student chooses two or more courses to equal that number of credits, utilizing courses from the entire column (both sections).

The following is an example of how a student might fulfill the two-credit requirement (credit value will vary by school district):

- 09022 – Family & Consumer Sciences I (for 1 credit)
- 09131 – Nutrition & Food Prep I (for 1/2 credit), and
- 09136 – Cultures and Cuisine (for 1/2 credit)

Hospitality & Tourism Career Cluster	
Course Code	Description
09022	Family & Consumer Sciences I
09023	Family & Consumers Sciences II
09024	Family and Consumer Sciences III
09028	Consumer & Resource Management
09140	Individual Family & Consumer Sciences Studies
Restaurants & Food/Beverage Services Pathway	
Course Code	Description
09131	Nutrition & Food Prep I
09135	Nutrition & Food Prep II
09136	Cultures & Cuisines
09137	Nutrition & Fitness
09250	Occupational Exploration
09213	Food Service/Culinary Arts
09299	Cooperative Work Experience

There are countless combinations of courses that students can take to complete the 2 required credits from one of NDCTE’s Coordinated Plans of Study. The additional two CTE credits required for the CTE Scholarship can come from any CTE course for grades 9-12 listed on the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) website at [www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes](http://www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes).

**Please note: Barring individual school requirements, unless the description of the course on the [www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes](http://www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes) indicates that the course requires a prerequisite, or the course is in a “numbered sequence, I, II, III” students can take the courses listed on the Coordinated Plans of Study in any order. They do not have to be taken in any sequence. (Again, this holds true unless an individual school has made other decisions regarding course sequencing for their school.)**

For a complete listing of MIS03 course codes, visit the DPI website: [www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes](http://www.nd.gov/dpi/districtsschools/course-codes).

DPI reviews the course codes reported on teachers’ MIS03s to determine the courses included in a school’s curriculum. **Please remember - teachers must be licensed to teach the course work (by ESPB); however, CTE credentialing is not required for teachers, nor does a class have to be taught within a CTE funded program.**

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