

FORENSIC SCIENCE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL CLASSROOM

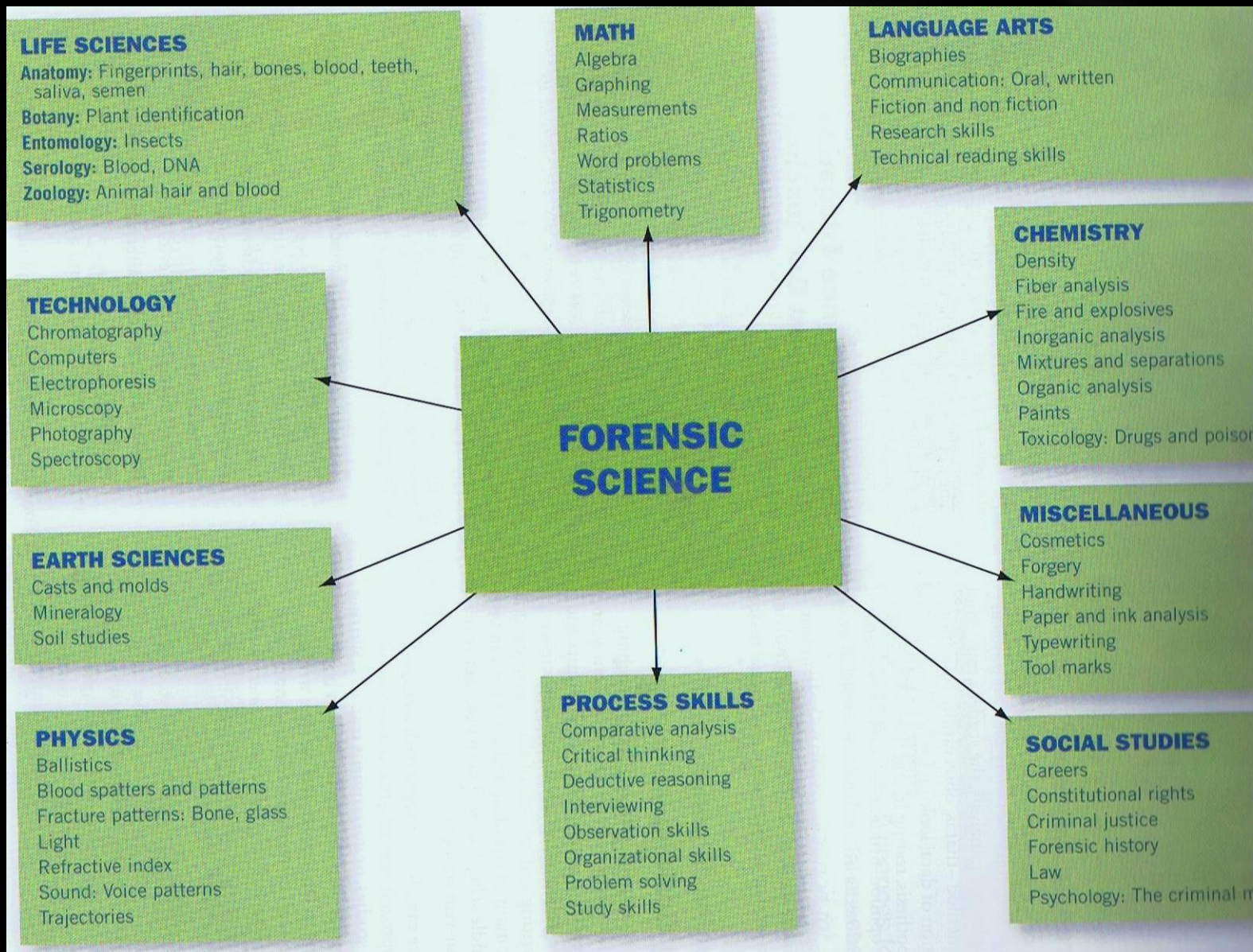
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What is Forensic Science?

- It is CSI in the classroom!
- It is a multidisciplinary course designed to teach inquiry.
- It presents unique opportunities for hands-on, and minds-on activities.
- It is the **application of Science to matters of law.**



Why teach Forensic Science?

- It provides an alternate science credit.
- It leads to popular college degrees.
- It incorporates career ready practices.
- It fills an unprecedented demand for Forensic science in schools and courtrooms.
- It **aligns with the NGSS** and provides three dimensional learning.



Why be part of the CTE Pathway?

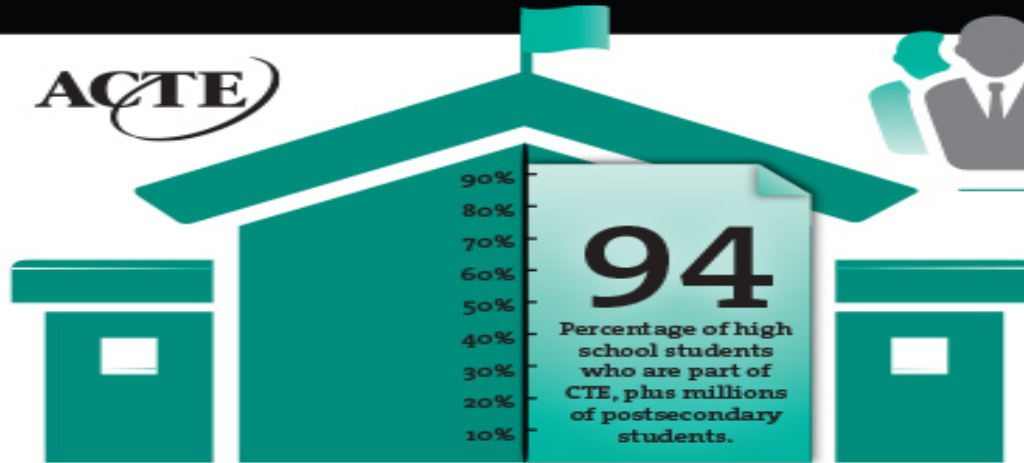
- It fulfils employer needs that are high skill, high wage and high demand.
- It has scope for Professional development opportunities/ Externships.
- It encourages quality physical environments and instructional strategies.
- **It builds Business and Industry partnerships.**

What is Career and Technical Education?

ACTE



Fulfills employer needs that are **High** skill wage demand



Includes high schools, career centers, community and technical colleges, four-year universities and more.



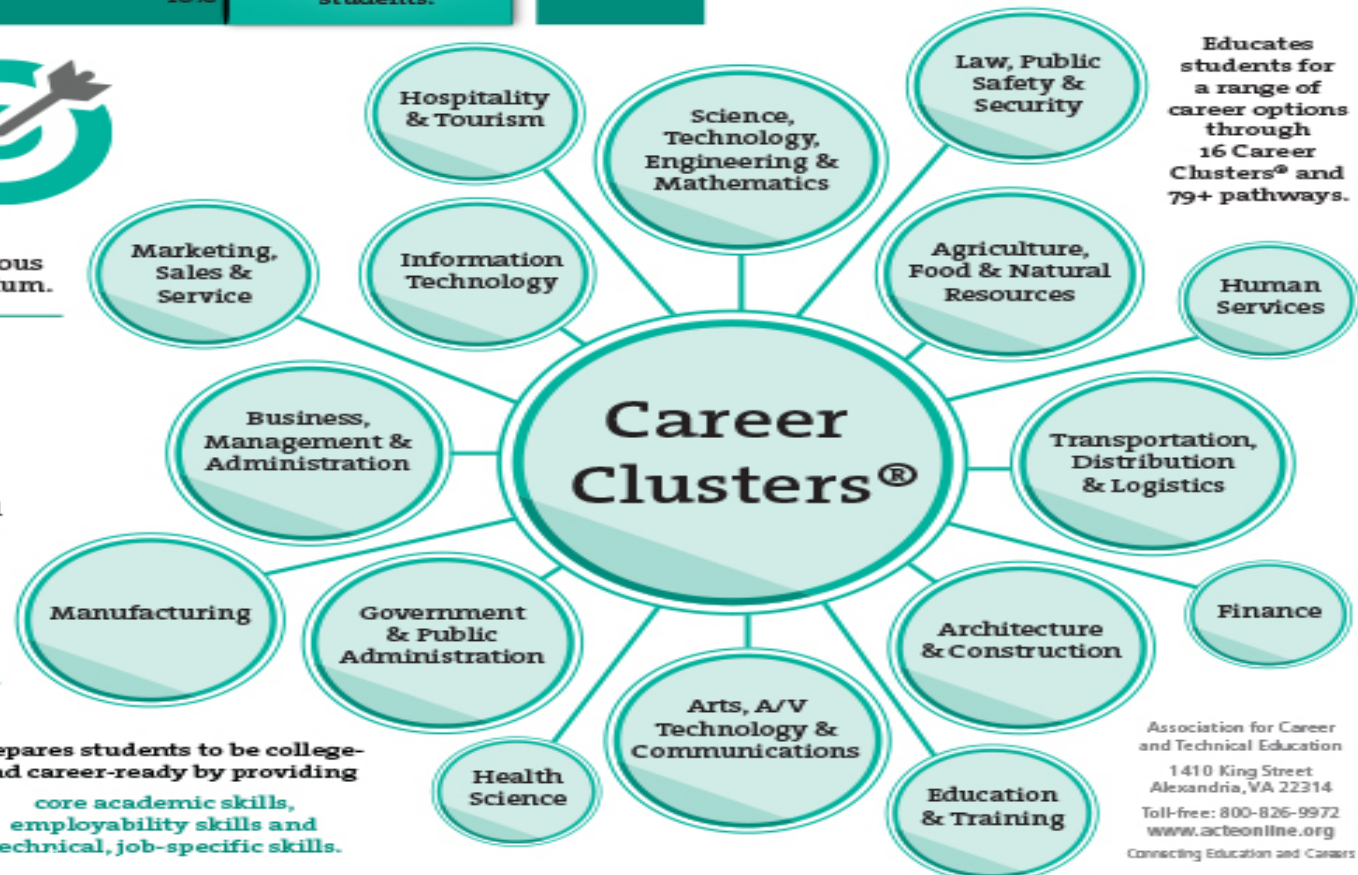
Integrates with academics in a rigorous and relevant curriculum.



Features high school and postsecondary **partnerships**, enabling clear **pathways** to certifications and degrees.



Prepares students to be college- and career-ready by providing **core academic skills**, **employability skills** and **technical, job-specific skills**.



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Connecting Education and Careers

Training at Forensic Institute



Programs with WSU



Field study with KU



Connecting at KATS Kamp



Assistance from College interns



Partnership with WPD



Rapport with Kg Sheriffs



Volunteer Service at Tanganyika Zoo



KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

SUSPECT #1

SUS

SUS #3

PORTRAIT PARLE'

TRACK EVIDENCE

Wanna know how to
KEEP AN IDIOT BUS?
(see front of shirt)

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Mentoring Enterprise Elementary kids

