

2015 Credential Incentive Report

The graduating class of 2015 was the third opportunity for schools/colleges to report the number of students who received professional certifications prior to graduating from high school, thus qualifying for the SB155 incentive moneys. Of the more than 30 certifications on the approved list, 2015 graduates earned a total of **1670 certifications** in seventeen areas. Twelve of the 2015 graduates earned two different certifications. The number of public school Districts participating has increased from 108 in 2013 to 173 in 2015.

The breakdown by certification is as follows:

CERTIFICATION	PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS			% OF TOTAL CERTIFICATIONS EARNED		
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
Certified Nurse Aide	553	900	1282	81%	73%	77%
NCCER Core + Electrical	2	0	12	7%		.7%
NCCER Core + Construction laborer	3	11	n/a		1%	
NCCER Core + Carpentry	42	103	88		8.3%	5.3%
NCCER Core + Masonry	4	0	5			.3%
NATEF – Automotive	14	20	28	3%	2%	1.6%
ASET-Automotive Service Technician Level 1	8	31	19		3%	1.1%
ASEC-Automotive Service – Collision/Refinishing	0	13	9		1%	.5%
ASEM- Med/Heavy Truck Diesel	n/a	n/a	22			1.3%
NIMS- Machining Level 1	2	2	3	8%	.3%	.2%
MSS Cert. Product Tech.	0	0	8			.5%
American Welding Society	51	66	112		5%	6.6%
Commercial Driver’s License	6	9	17	1%	.8%	1%
Comp TIA/ A+	1	1	3		.2%	.2%
I-CAR- Collision Repair	0	3	3		.4%	.2%
ICE-R – HVACR	0	1	1		.2%	.1%
NRAEF-National Restaurant Assoc.- ServSafe Food Protection Manager	0	17	29		1%	1.6%
KS Dept. of Ag. – Ag. Skills & Competencies	0	51	26		4%	1.6%
Fire Fighter I	n/a	n/a	3			.2%
TOTAL	686	1226	1670	100%	100%	100%