

Dillon County Technology Center P.O. Box 1130 1630 East Main Street

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Welcome to the 2020-'21 school year at the Dillon County Technology Center. This can be an exciting year for you. We are updating equipment and curriculum to provide you with the best education possible.

We encourage you to plan now and set a goal for perfect attendance. During an absence you will become three class periods behind, and may miss a laboratory experience that cannot be duplicated. Good attendance is a good reference to any future employer.

Set your goal for high achievement too!! Our faculty will provide the learning experiences you need. Together we can accomplish that goal.

Safety is stressed in all classes. You will receive instruction in the safe use of equipment, and the safety devices in your shop. Proof of accident insurance is required. You are strongly encouraged to purchase accident insurance at your home high school. This will provide coverage at ATECH and at your home high school. If you are covered by a family policy, we require proof on our accident insurance form.

You are being provided a "Student-Parent Handbook". This folder list rules and procedures you should follow at the Center. Your instructor will review and explain these to you. However, all students have the right to discuss any problem with the Center Director that they may be experiencing while attending the Center. This includes problems with another student or teacher.

Ms. Crawford, the Center Guidance Counselor, will work with you on counseling problems. Mrs. Fore is the Work Base Learning Coordinator and will work with students on seeking skills, resume, job interviewing skills and college information.

We want to keep you and your parents informed of your progress. The 2020-'21 Report Card Schedule is as follows:

Progress Reports Report Cards Progress Reports Report Cards Progress Reports Report Cards Progress Reports October 7, 2020 November 18, 2020 December 16, 2020 February 10, 2021 March 3, 2021 April 21, 2021 May 19, 2021

You are encouraged to join the club for your technical area. We offer Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA), HERO, FCCLA, National Technical Honor Society, Technology Student Association (TSA) and Skills USA. Become involved. We had student's place in the district and state competitions last year. Will you be our champion this year?

We are glad that you are a part of our school. Try your best. Set your goals high. Plan to have a great year. Good Luck!

Sincerely,

Jerry R. Strickland, Director
Dillon County Technology Center

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Dillon County Technology Center to assure that equal education and employment opportunities are available to all persons with regards to race, creed, color, age, sex, handicap, or national origin. Anyone wo feels they have been discriminated against should contact Dr. Linda Turner, Title VI & IX Civil Rights, coordinator, Carolyn Crawford, Section 504 Handicapped Coordinator, or Jerry Strickland, Director for general concerns or grievances at P.O. Box 1130, or 1630 E. Main Street, Dillon, SC or call 843-774-5143.