

# **Building Career and Technical Education for All of Pasadena**

**Monday, April 29, 2024**  
**Joint Meeting, Pasadena City Council & Pasadena Unified School District**

# Early Career Education Drives Outcomes

- Recent survey (Evitarus, March 2024)
  - Nearly 70% of students would consider taking a skilled trades course if it was offered
  - Fewer than 20% of LA County high schools offer skilled trades education
- PCC adds nearly \$680 million in income to local economy, supporting nearly 7,000 jobs.

# PCC Focuses on Career Education



- PCC offers 84 credit CTE certificates/majors for a degree
- Strong labor-market outcomes
  - Certificate or Associate Degree adds as much as 25% to graduates' paychecks
  - CTE programs drive labor growth in key industries:
    - Culinary Arts
    - Electric Vehicle Infrastructure
    - Biotechnology
    - Entertainment Industry
    - Logistics
    - Advanced Computer Technology
    - Pharmacy
    - Interpretation

# Apprenticeship Opportunities

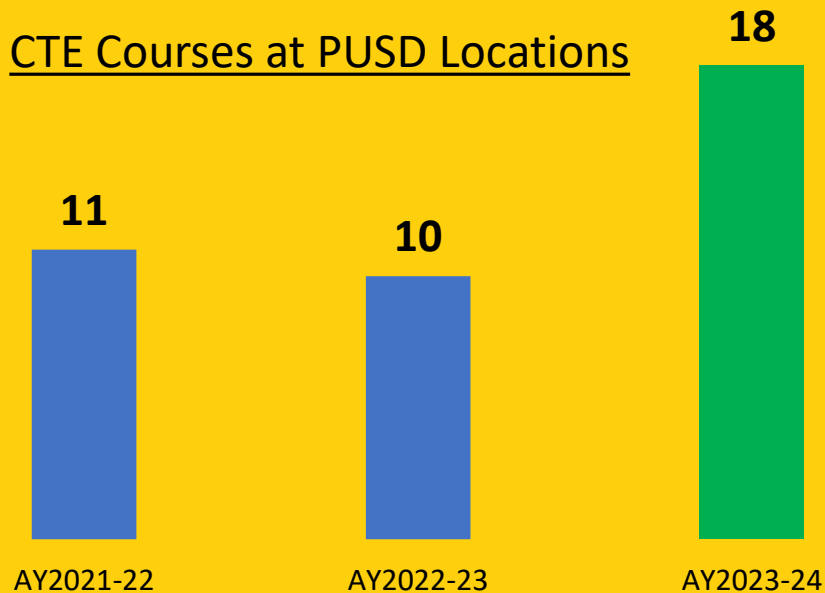
- PCC earned five grants totaling \$600,000 in funding under the California Apprenticeship Initiative
- Six additional grants totaling \$3.5 million have been tentatively awarded:
  1. Culinary Arts & Management – \$675,000
  2. Digital Production Assistant – \$749,840
  3. EV Charger Technician – \$675,000
  4. Teacher Aide Apprenticeship – \$1,125,000
  5. Teacher Aide Pre-Apprenticeship – \$187,500
  6. Video Game Designer – \$120,000 (planning grant)



# Connections with PUSD

- Since starting this conversation in 2023:
  - Dual-Enrollment CTE course offerings have increased

CTE Courses at PUSD Locations



<u>Academic Year 2023-24 Courses</u>		
Fall 2023	Blair HS	BUS 02
	Marshall	BUS 02
	Pasadena	AUTO 10
Spring 2024	Blair HS	BUS 116
	Marshall	BUS 09
		HOSP 014
	Pasadena	AUTO 100
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- Joined PUSD in a \$2 million application for a Golden State Pathways program