

## I-8 VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Vocational education is an integral part of the comprehensive high school program in force at Plainfield High School. It shall be geared to take into account technological and economic conditions and changes and, as an important component of comprehensive education, shall share with other aspects of the curriculum the purpose of development of character, attitudes, and skills. Guidance and counseling services will be provided for each student interested in vocational education throughout his or her school program.

In an effort to meet the vocational training and educational needs of high school students, the Plainfield Community School Corporation will provide the following opportunities:

1. The school district is a participant in Area 31 Vocational Education, and programs will be developed and offered through the Area's auspices. When sufficient student interest is expressed and it becomes financially feasible for Area 31 to provide programs in vocational education, appropriate programs will be developed and presented to the State Board of Vocational and Technical Education for approval. Once approved, the program will become a part of the course offerings of the high school.
2. If a student is interested in a specific vocational program that is not offered locally or in Area 31, the school district will pay transfer tuition to any public school containing the program of interest. Transportation in this case must be provided by the student or his or her parents.

Students participating in vocational education programs offered at Plainfield High School or at Area 31 will be classified as students of Plainfield High School. Credits earned in the vocational programs will be applied toward graduation from Plainfield High School. Students who are transferred and complete their educational program at a public school as outlined in number 2 above will be classified as students of the accepting school and credits earned will be applied toward graduation from that school.

Annually, the administrative, teaching, and guidance staff members of Plainfield High School are encouraged to evaluate vocational education offerings and to recommend additions, deletions, or curricular improvements to enhance the vocational education programs within the school district.

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