

MARCH 2022 - VOLUME IV

This Month We Celebrate



Health Science / Agriculture, Food/Natural Resources / Energy

Teacher of the Month

ATTN: High School Principals & CTE Administrators! Do you have a CTE teacher who promotes high student engagement, hands-on activities, or other reasons why the CTE teacher should be nominated as CTE teacher of the month? If so, please submit your nomination using the following link:

[Click here to submit your CTE Teacher of the Month.](#)

HISD | College & Career Readiness

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HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



10TH ANNUAL CAREER EXPO 2022

All HISD students K-12 and their families are invited to attend this career exploration event.

WHEN:

Saturday, April 23, 2022 • 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

WHERE:

Hattie Mae White Educational Support Center
4400 W. 18th Street, Houston, TX 77092

- Career Exploration
- Career Resources for all ages
- Career Pathways competitions
- Hands-on activities for all ages
- Food trucks
- Fun and more!

For more information, please contact

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DON'T MISS IT!



The Power of Choice: Creating Flexible Learning Goals (Virtual)
Inclusive Practices Power Hour (Virtual)
[4-7-2022](#) | 11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Region 4 Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
Campus Coaching Project Overview (Virtual)
Funded Project Year 2022-23 (CTE Administrator)
[4 - 19 - 2022](#) | 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Tier 2 Classroom Behavior Interventions
Classroom Management
[4- 22 - 2022](#) | 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Scaffolding Instruction to Support Diverse Learner Needs
Inclusive Practices Power Hour
[5 - 5 - 2022](#) | 11:30 am – 12:30 pm

K-12 State-wide STEM Teacher Training
[5 - 17 - 2022](#) | 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
[5 - 18 - 2022](#) | 8:30 am – 3:30 pm

Self-Care from ComPsych

Where Are You Going? Goal Setting for Personal and Professional Success	Apr 06, 2022	12:00 PM	(GMT-06:00) Central Time (US and Canada)	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2595618619603760140
Building Trust	Apr 13, 2022	12:00 PM	(GMT-06:00) Central Time (US and Canada)	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6846873731329868043

If you're facing a crisis or need to talk to someone about challenges in your life, the EAP hotline, confidential resource, is available 24 hours a day at no cost to HISD employees. For more information, please [CLICK HERE](#).



Beyond Test Anxiety: Strategies to Reduce Anxiety for Teachers and Students

Monday, April 4, 2022 @ 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm EDT

- Identify causes and effects of student and teacher anxiety
- Select strategies to help students reduce test anxiety
- Practice anxiety-reducing techniques for themselves

[Register HERE](#)

Bring the World to Your Classroom

KERA and PBS have curated FREE, standards-aligned videos, interactives, lesson plans, and more for teachers like you.



[Find resources and activities for high school learners. Inspire your students with videos, games, and activities aligned to state and national standards.](#)

Sample Classroom Resources

- [Power Up with Self Confidence!](#)
- [5 Powerful Women in Science Blog](#)
- [Youth Have a Voice: 15-Year-Old Women](#)
- [Help Your Students Tell Their Stories: **KQED Youth Media Challenge/Perspectives**](#)

Unlock the Power of PBS Learning Media

[Create a free account to gain full access to the website](#)

- Explore resources aligned to state standards
- Save, download, and create content using your favorite resources
- Access teacher tools to build lessons and differentiate instruction
- Share content easily with Google Classroom and Schoology

YouTube EDU



To capture the visual learner, check out [YouTube's channel on education](#). They can pick up some tips for studying at home, including how to study more effectively, stay focused and create a study space.

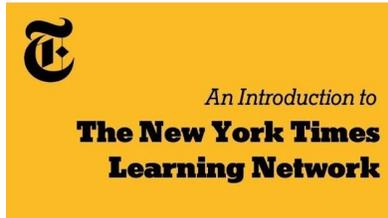
The channel also has crash courses on subjects like chemistry, SQL and illustration. You can find fitness videos, cooking videos and fun DIY activities that students can use for creative projects/assignments.

Skillshare



[Skillshare](#) has a plethora of courses available for free. For example, if your students are working on an idea for starting their own Etsy store, they can take the “[Building an Etsy Shop that Sells](#)” course. Or, they can take a [Productivity Masterclass](#) to learn how to study more efficiently when in high school and college.

New York Times and Verizon



NYT and Verizon have teamed up to offer every high school student in the U.S. free access to the New York Times.

Students can educate themselves to better understand current events going on in the world. [Included on the site](#) are English, social studies, science, math and current event resources to keep students active.

Students can engage on topics of high interest to their grade level, such as:

[How the “Encanto” soundtrack became a smash](#)

[How long Covid exhausts the body](#)

[How a national movement toppled hundreds of confederate symbols](#)

[How a high school debate team shaped Ketanji Brown Jackson](#)

[The invasion of Ukraine: How Russia attacked and what happens next](#)

And much more!



Workplace Tutorials

ACTE Online Learning Network offers a large selection of free online tutorials covering basic workplace skills areas. These tutorials are for CTE professionals and provide informal learning opportunities with no certificates or CEUs awarded.

Tutorials can be completed in less than an hour.

 **Career Development**

 **Communications Skills**

 **Creativity & Innovation**

 **Supervisory Skills**

 **Training Management**

Want to help your students learn skills for workplace success? View [CareerPrepped](#), CTE's virtual community supporting Work-Based Learning programs.