Utah Career and Technical Education
Career Pathway Chart
2023-2024 School Year

Career Cluster: Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

Career Pathway: Food Science, Dietetics & Nutrition

JUNIOR HIGH / MIDDLE SCHOOL
College and Career Awareness

FCS 6th Grade
FCS Exploration

HIGH SCHOOL
EXPLORER COURSES: Choose one or more of the following courses.
Food & Nutrition+
Medical Anatomy & Physiology

CONCENTRATOR COURSES: To be a concentrator you must pass the following course AND one explorer course.
Dietetics & Nutrition 1

COMPLETER COURSES: To be a completer you must pass enough courses to earn 3.0 credits in this Pathway.
CTE Internship

POSTSECONDARY:
Utah System of Higher Education: ushe.edu | UtahMajors.org: Utah Majors Guide
Utah System of Technical Colleges: utech.edu

* concurrent enrollment course  + recommended explorer course

HIGH SCHOOL TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING
There are several options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.

1-Year Certificate
> Food Protections Manager
> Food Inspector Assistant
> Food Sanitation Coordinator

2-Year Assoc. or Tech. Degree
> Research and Development Technician

4-Year Bachelor’s Degree
> CTE Teacher
> Dietitian/Nutritionist
> Food Scientist

Utah CTE classes are open to all qualified students without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age.

Student Testimonial
“Participating in a CTE Internship helped me to experience the reality of being a dietitian. I participated in a number of activities, including recipe construction, consultations, and food preparation.”
Melissa DeFriez
Sky View High School

LEARN MORE ABOUT OCCUPATIONS AND WAGES
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
UtahCTE.org: Fact Sheet
Utah Futures.org: Occupation/Wage Search

FCCLA
is the Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) for students in the Food Science, Dietetics & Nutrition Career Pathway.
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