

Wisconsin Educator and Student Industry Recognized Certification



Wisconsin high schools have an opportunity to select one of two programs to assist educators and students in earning industry recognized credentials (IRC). These programs were identified as a strategy to engage students in learning industry-leading technology skills. Participation in either program is voluntary, and participation should be reviewed annually to best meet the needs of the district's overall goals. To learn more, review the two programs listed below. For more information contact:

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Microsoft Learn



The Microsoft Learn for Educators and Certification program is made possible by the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) to Wisconsin educators to have continuous access to the Microsoft Learn curriculum resources and certification site licenses for this school year, at no cost.

Pursuant to [s. 115.455 Wis. Stats](#)

WI Career and Technical Education (CTE) Incentive Grant



The CTE Incentive Grants program works collaboratively with The Department of Workforce Development (DWD), Department of Public Instruction (DPI), Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS), and schools/districts to receive grant dollars based on the completion of required documentation.

Pursuant to [106.273](#)

Program Opportunities	Microsoft Learn	WI CTE Incentive Grant
MOS certifications	✓	✓
Computer Science & Information Technology content certifications	✓	✓
Immediate certifications awarded	✓	✓
District pays for Certiport licenses		✓
No cost for Certiport licenses	✓	
Teacher certifications available	✓	
Grant dollars awarded upon student graduation (eligibility has been approved)		✓
IRC's satisfy Carl Perkins V Indicators	✓	✓