

**ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL (OHS)
CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE)**

Program Spotlight: Entrepreneurship

In partnership with the Network for Teaching Entrepreneurship (NFTE), the Entrepreneurship program offers students the opportunity to learn how to critically think and plan like entrepreneurs while creating competencies in: critical thinking, communication and collaboration, flexibility and adaptability, comfort with risk, creativity and innovation, initiative and self reliance, future orientation, and opportunity recognition.

The Entrepreneurship program consists of the following courses: Business Finance, Introduction to Marketing, and Entrepreneurship with the opportunity to earn 3 college credits from Fairleigh Dickinson University.

Entrepreneurs enter business ownership with various levels of educational backgrounds and certifications. New Jersey's economy relies on small business ownership to keep the economy thriving. According to the U.S Small Business Association, 937,436 small businesses account for 99.6% of New Jersey businesses.

Women's Conference at MSU

Orange High School female Business students attended the 9th Annual Women's Conference at Montclair State University. Conference discussion topics included the importance of attending college, the EOF program, healthy relationships, mentorship, womanhood, effective leadership, and more. Keynote speaker Maryann Diaz, a licensed social worker, spoke passionately about "The Power of Words." Student attendees enjoyed a talent show during the conference and had the opportunity to "Walk the Runway" while representing their schools.



Ms. Venable's -Marketing, Accounting II, and Entrepreneurship students visited Ernest and Young on Nov. 3rd for the World Series of Innovation Day with Network For Teaching Entrepreneurship. The students toured the new, modernly designed, open floor-plan office space at EY. Students networked with EY employees. Student groups developed a solution to utilize artificial intelligence (AI) and entrepreneurship to create sustainable, inclusive, and peaceful communities for a chance to be entered into NFTE's World Series of Innovation Challenge.



Filmboot 24- Link to films

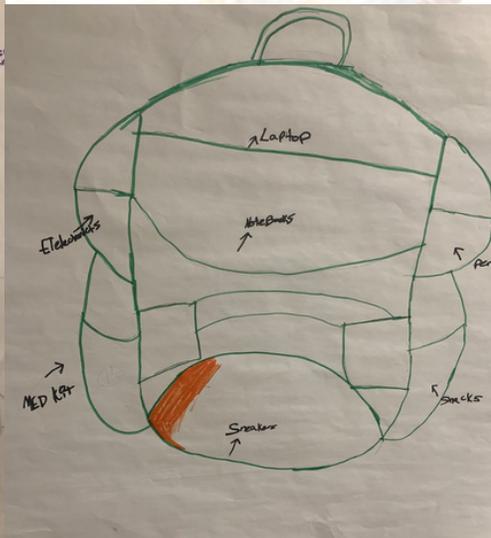
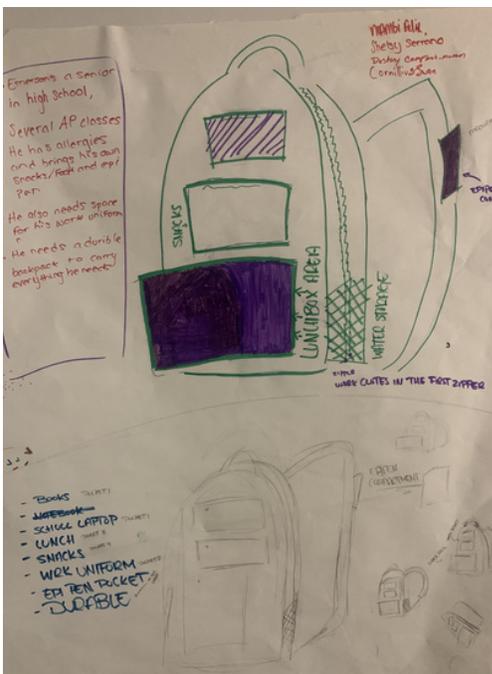
Filmboot 24 is a 24-hour filmmaking boot camp that brings together Orange High School, Cinema Ed, and Drew University. Students work together to write, film, and edit short films that industry professionals judge. Each group works with filmmaking mentors, and the themes of their movies are tied to our high school curriculums. Students continue to excel each year with their films, and we look forward to next year.



In Emergency and Clinical Care, students learn that time is precious and a good knowledge of human anatomy can make the difference between saving and losing lives in emergency medical situations. The ECC students were tasked with drawing, identifying, and memorizing the major abdominal organs on shirts to properly visualize and understand where everything fits, so they can quickly and accurately assess someone with injuries.

Ms. Martin's Graphic Arts students visited Kean University to learn about admissions and EOF opportunities. They also toured Kean's Graphic Design Department and visited a design class. They observed college students who were designing portfolio projects and had discussions about how the artwork was created

Entrepreneurship students simulated the design thinking process by designing a custom backpack for a specific customer's needs. Students performed an investigation in which they utilized critical thinking and problem-solving skills to create backpacks that meet the needs of specific users. Human-centered design thinking is a way that businesses think about a client's problem in order to find an appropriate solution.



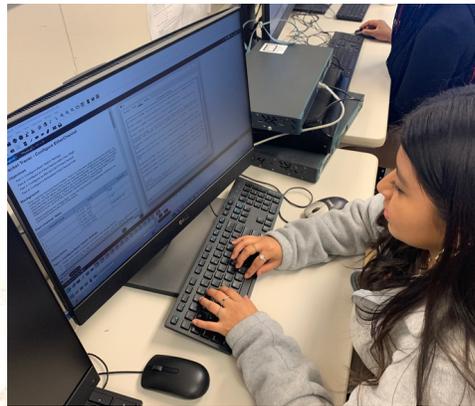
CTE Student of the Month - November 2023

Accounting



T. St. Vry is an intelligent and attentive student with a bright future.

Cisco



A. Duan serves as a role model for her peers and she is dedicated to completing her CISCO coursework.

Cosmetology



A. Hamlett is a hardworking student and she is passionate about cosmetology.

Culinary Arts



G. Gomez is polite, respectful, and always willing to help in Culinary Arts

Entrepreneurship



M. Reyes is dedicated, insightful, and full of enthusiasm.

Filmmaking



J. Louis is the lead actress in the film, "Graveyard Bloom," which will be entered into the Garden State and Artist Alike Film Festivals.

Graphic Arts



O. Jerome is an exceptional role model for his peers and he is dedicated to becoming an artist.

Health Science



A. Duarta is the Co-Secretary for HOSA and she is assisting with creating the vision for the chapter.

Naval JROTC



Cadet S. Cort created a project to honor the siblings of ROTC cadets with holiday gifts and she raised \$1050 in donations.

Career & Technical Education (CTE) Middle School Exploration Program

Space is **LIMITED!**



***Open to Students in Grades 7 and 8**

January 13, 2024

January 20, 2024

January 27, 2024

**9 am - 12 pm
Orange High School**

Register using the link or QR code below:

<https://bit.ly/3Neek6A>



Programs Offered

- **Culinary Arts**
- **Entrepreneurship**
- **Health Science**
- **Naval JrROTC**

For more information or to register, contact Mr. Jahmel Drakeford Supervisor of CTE at drakefja@orange.k12.nj.us

Save the Date



Join us for our

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**Career & Technical Education (CTE)
Middle School Exploration Program
Parent Meeting**

**December 20, 2023
5:00 pm**

**Register for the Zoom using the link below
or QR code:**

<https://bit.ly/47M5VPO>

