



# 2023-2024 Partnership Funding Opportunity



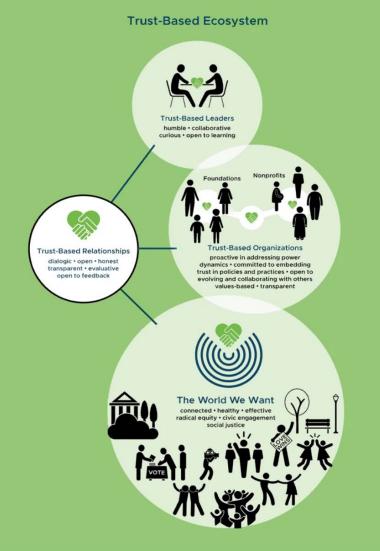
### Agenda



- Welcome & Introductions
- Our Approach to Funding
- Funding Eligibility
- Timeline
- How to Apply
- Program/Project Examples
- How We Evaluate & Partner
- Q&A

### **Our Approach to Funding** Trust-based philanthropy model





#### **A Values-Based Approach**

- Lead with Trust
- Center Relationships
- Collaborate with Humility & Curiosity
- Redistribute Power
- Work for Systemic Equity





# **Eligibility for Funding**

Who and what we may fund



#### • Funding Overview

- Recommended funding requests of \$5,000-\$25,000
- Program/project implementation timeframe: 2023-2024 school year
- Total funds available = TBD

### Who Should Apply

- Public schools/districts serving Sonoma County students in grades 6–12
- Private or charter schools serving Sonoma County student populations considered high-risk, underserved or under-resourced, in grades 6-12

#### • Minimum requirements to be considered for funding

- Submit a Statement of Interest form by January 11 (*earlier preferred*!)
- Participate in a mandatory 45-minute conversation with CTE Foundation staff & Program Committee



| November 7, 2022                    | Statement of Interest (SOI) period opened    |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| November 30, 2022                   | In-person partnership workshop               |
| December 1, 2022                    | Virtual partnership workshop                 |
| December 8, 2022 - January 19, 2023 | Q&A meetings with CTE Foundation (mandatory) |
| January 11, 2023                    | Final Deadline for Statements of Interest    |
| February 17, 2023                   | Awards Announced                             |
| March/April 2023                    | Contract Negotiations/Finalization           |



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| Password*                 | New Users: Please click on "Create New Account" to complete the registration process and create your logon credentials.  |
| Log On Create New Account | Existing Users: Please enter your credentials and log in. If you forgot<br>your password, please use the "Forgot your Password?" link to the left<br>to reset your password. |
| Forgot your Password?     | For questions, please contact our office at admin@ctesonomacounty.org.   |

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| District/School or Organization*<br>If you are registering on behalf of a school, please write your district name first, then the school name,<br>separated by a forward slash. Ex: Santa Rosa City Schools/Piner High School. If you are registering on behalf<br>of a district, just write the district name.<br>Santa Rosa City Schools/Piner High School |                    |
| EIN / Tax ID (##-#######)  | Web Site           |
| Telephone Number (### #### x###)*  | Organization Email |
| 707-890-3840   |                    |
| Address 1*   | Address 2          |
| Where grant contract, agreements, and payments will be mailed.   |                    |
| 1700 Fulton Rd.  |                    |
| City*  | State*             |
| Santa Rosa   | CA                 |
| Postal Code*   |                    |
| 95403  |                    |
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| Partnership Funding Opportunity 2023-2024  |   | Accepting Submissions from 11   | /08/2022   | 2 to 08/31/  | 2023       | Apply  |
| CTE Foundation is seeking proposals to support career-connected education opportunitie   | s that ensure students are engaged and feel more  | ready for their future for the 2023-2024 school y                             | ear and    | beyond.      |            |        |
| Schools/school districts are invited to submit a <b>Preliminary Statement of Interest</b> to share technical education, work-based learning and/or career-connected learning for students. | re with CTE Foundation what funding supports are  | needed to support students and meet their strat                               | egic visi  | on around    | l career   |        |
| Ideally, funds will help fill a gap or increase the delivery of programs/services that are not or the California Golden State Pathways Program.  | available through other funding sources such as C | areer Technical Education Incentive Grant (CTE                                | IG), K12   | Strong W     | orkforce 1 | funds  |
| Preview      Send to GrantHub  |   |   |            |              |            |        |
| Sonoma Corps Student Survey Fall 2022  |   | Accepting Submissions from 10   | /02/2022   | 2 to 07/01/  | 2023       | Apply  |
| This is a mandatory Student Assessment Survey for all Sonoma Corps participants. The s college and career goals so that they can better serve you throughout your Sonoma Corp.             |   | ma Corps teacher an opportunity to better under                               | stand yo   | ur skills, i | nterests a | and    |
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- Information requested
- Ways to share
  - Written statements
  - Links to video or audio files
- Mandatory (Zoom) meeting
- Re-submission opportunity

### **Statement of Interest**



- Proposal Title
- What is the student need that this project/program addresses?
- Proposed solution
- How does your proposed program support your long-term strategy?
- How is the project/program proposed linked to your school or district's long-term strategy to provide high-quality work-based learning opportunities?
  - How is your program linked to CTE pathways/pathway expansion?
  - How does your program provide opportunities for students to earn early college credit?
- Requested grant amount
- Is there anything else that you would like to share with us about your proposed project?
- Is there anything about this form or process so far that you feel could be improved?
- Certification
  - Please certify you have authorization from site and district leadership to submit the funding proposal



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### Mandatory (Zoom) meeting

• Upon submission of the Statement of Interest Form, an invitation to a mandatory 45-minute (Zoom) meeting with CTE Foundation will be sent to the submitter. This meeting is essential to the funding process and our effort to build a relationship with the organizations we fund.

### Re-submission opportunity



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### • Re-submission opportunity

• Revise your Statement of Interest, if applicable, to ensure clarity for final consideration of funding.

## How We Evaluate & Partner

#### Evaluation of your statement of interest



#### • Student Need

- Is the student need clearly articulated? Do you have data that helps describe the need?
- Proposed Solution
  - Is the proposed solution clearly addressing the need(s) identified?

#### Alignment with Strategy

- Is your program linked to your school or district's long-term strategy to provide high quality work-based learning opportunities?
- Is your program linked to CTE pathways/pathway expansion?
- Does your program provide opportunities for students to earn early college credit?

#### Stakeholder Voice

- •How does the program respond to student or educator needs as expressed through feedback tools such as YouthTruth?
- •Is this feedback/voice representative of your student population in gender, ethnicity, race, socioeconomic status, language and/or other identities?

### How We Evaluate & Partner Evaluation of your statement of interest



#### • Equity

• How are you providing opportunities for educators, students or groups who are systematically burdened by inequities (low-income households, students of color or Indigenous students)?

#### • Portrait of a Graduate/Graduate Profile

• How does the program help the school take steps in actualizing their graduate profile (or the County Portrait of a Graduate) for students or educators?

*Important:* Not all of these elements need to be addressed but if your program does address them, we strongly encourage you to share with us how/why

### **How We Evaluate & Partner**

Sharing impact



- Student Surveys
- Program Reports
- Program Visits
- Stories (anecdotes), photos & video

## **Program/Project Examples**

What schools are talking about



#### Work-Based Learning

- Staff time to modify curriculum so that it incorporates work-based learning opportunities and activities (in CTE or general education courses)
- Coaching or professional development to support teachers in providing quality work-based learning
- Program supports such as transportation, supplies, software applications or curriculum fees to enhance work-based learning curriculum or systems

### Course/Section Support

- Course sections that provide a "wheel model" or CTE pathway exploration for middle schoolers or first- or second-year high school students to explore/learn more about CTE pathways within the school (could also be a summer course for incoming freshman or sophomores)
- Course sections that support CTE pathway completion (for example if a capstone course is needed to fulfill the 3-course CTE pathway)
- Course sections at middle schools that support building out CTE exploration that leads into /connects with local high school(s)
- Course sections in CTE that provide early college credit at a local junior/community college

## **Program/Project Examples**

What schools are talking about



- Planning Grants Planning time for teachers, counselors or administrative staff to:
  - Develop plan/strategy to apply for funding through the Golden State Pathways opportunity
  - Explore bringing a Sonoma Corps program/course to the campus
  - Explore 7th period options and/or support in modifying the master schedule to support CTE pathway expansion or more quality WBL (such as internships)
  - Develop stronger bridges with the feeder middle/junior high schools to have more robust CTE opportunities that build through a young person's school experience
  - Support middle schools in adopting a graduate profile that is tied to their high school
  - Develop stronger/ties relationships with local junior/community colleges to expand the number of early college credit opportunities in CTE at the high school site

### Supply Grants

• For teachers to purchase supplies/equipment to enhance their CTE courses

These are just examples! We encourage you to innovate and find creative ways to have a positive impact on your students, staff, school and district





- What questions do you have?
- Extra time? Get registered and dive into Foundant!