

Florida Department of Education  
CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK

**Program Title:** Exploration of Vocational Occupations  
**Program Type:** Exploration  
**Occupational Area:** Diversified Education

**Program Number:** Secondary  
**9100210**  
CIP Number: 1098.9999EX  
Grade Level: 6-9, 30, 31  
Length: .5 credit  
Certification: Any Field/Bachelors or Higher Cert/TC WK EXP E G  
Any Vocational Field or Coverage

- I. **MAJOR CONCEPTS/CONTENT:** The purpose of this course is to give students initial exposure to the skills and attitudes associated with occupations in a diverse range of careers. The content of this course will consist of the content contained in two or more existing exploration courses and may include instruction in making a career choice and the basic employability skills needed to locate, secure, and maintain employment.
- II. **LABORATORY ACTIVITIES:** Instruction and learning activities are provided in a laboratory setting using hands-on experiences with the materials and tools appropriate to the course content and in accordance with current practices.
- III. **SPECIAL NOTE:** The typical length for this course for the average achieving student is 75 hours. A qualified instructor for each instructional component should be utilized whenever possible.
- IV. **INTENDED OUTCOMES:** The intended outcomes for this course will be those outcomes that are selected from other exploration courses and may also include instruction in making a career choice and in the basic employability skills needed to locate, secure, and maintain employment.