

CAREER ACADEMIES OF SEMINOLE SIP 2013-14 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Career Academies of Seminole School has 319 students in grades 9 - 12, one administrator, seven teachers, and nine staff members. The mission of Career Academies of Seminole is to prepare each student for success in a career and life.

To accomplish this mission, Career Academies of Seminole has 8 Goals:

- 1) Teachers will incorporate reading, writing, mathematics, and science applications into their respective career and technical curriculum.
- 2) Increase the number of students enrolled in Engineering Energy Solutions.
- 3) Increase enrollment of African American students.
- 4) Increase the number of students enrolled in all CTE programs.
- 5) Increase the number of earned industry certifications.
- 6) Increase the number of parent involvement hours.
- 7) Improve school culture among staff.

The core instructional strategies included in our action plans are: instructional coaching of teachers to improve instruction for job skills and applied academics.

The professional development efforts are to use industry advisory boards to assist in providing training in instructional best practices and to use district resources and personnel for teambuilding workshops. Teachers at Career Academies will receive support from district office for recruitment activities.

The parent involvement efforts will include registering parents as volunteers at our Back to School Night and other school functions. School staff will distribute a school newsletter to students by hand and send them electronically as a method of further informing parents of school activities. Director will use School Messenger and school website as a tool to inform parents of events they can participate in.

For more information about Career Academies of Seminole's School Improvement Plan, please go to our website at www.svec.org