

# FAQs about CEANCI Education Programs

CEANCI serves as the Education for Employment office of north central Illinois. The state of Illinois is divided into Education for Employment regions which direct the state's Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs at a local level. The CEANCI region covers 1,075 square miles, and provides support to over 17,000 students 9-12 graders and more than 100 certified high school staff.

CEANCI is governed by a Board of Governors comprised of superintendents from each member district. Nine public school districts are members of this cooperative effort including Belvidere, Byron, Harlem, Hononegah, Meridian, North Boone, Rockford, South Beloit, and Winnebago.

The System provides regional career and technical programming among its member districts, supports CTE programs at member high schools, collects and reports data to the Illinois State Board of Education, and acts as a flow through for Carl Perkins and Career and Technical Education Improvement grant funds. Career and technical programming is provided in the occupational clusters of agriculture, business and information technology, health sciences, industrial technologies, and family and consumer sciences.

## FAQs

### WHAT ARE CEANCI EDUCATION PROGRAMS (CEP)

CEP are challenging, advanced programming within CTE, that are offered to region high school students. Many of the programs offer industry-based credentials and certifications.

### WHERE ARE REGIONAL PROGRAMS OFFERED

High Schools - Hononegah, Auburn, Winnebago  
Business Partners – Educators of Beauty

### HOW DO I APPLY

Find the CEP application online at *CEANCI.ORG* on the **Programs** page; fill in, print out, and consult with your high school counselor. Note that seats are limited – have the counselor discussion as soon as possible.

### WHO QUALIFIES FOR CEP

High school juniors and seniors – some programs require senior status. Some of the programs have additional requirements which your counselor is prepared to share with you.

### WHAT IS THE COST

CEP tuition is paid for by your school district. Students may be expected to oversee minimal costs for materials and equipment. Students may also provide their own transportation.

### WHERE DO I GET INFORMATION

Your counselor  
CEANCI.ORG

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