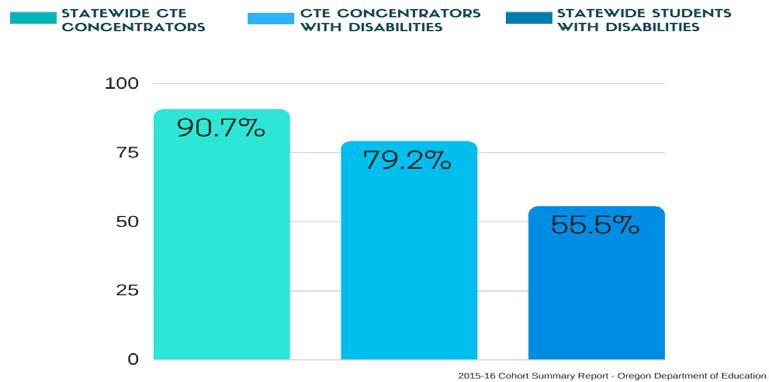
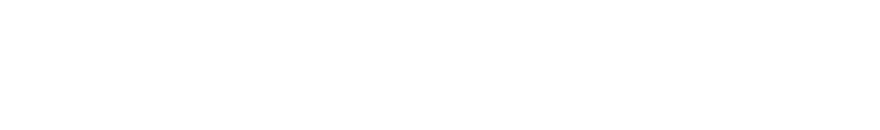
OREGON CTE STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

# Why Career and Technical Education?

In the Class of 2016, CTE Concentrators with disabilities graduated at nearly 24 percentage points higher than their statewide counterparts.





**DID YOU KNOW?**

People with disabilities across all age groups are AT LEAST two times more likely to be unemployed than their non-disabled counterparts.

What is a Career and Technical Education Concentrator?

A CTE Concentrator is any student who completed at least one credit of course work in a single approved CTE Program of Study.

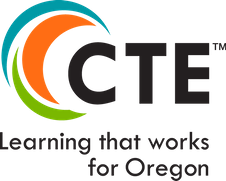
# Why does Career and Technical Education work?

 Identified career path



 Industry-generated technical skills  Essential workplace skills

 Aligns to academic content   Applied contextual learning



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