

# Career & Technical Act

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# What is CTA

- Career and Technical Act (CTA)
  - Formerly the Colorado Vocational Act (CVA) of 1970
- Purpose – Support of Career and Technical Education (CTE)
- Formula based reimbursement to district
- General Funds
  - Not \$ for \$
  - Reimbursement for active CTE program costs



# CTA Eligibility

- Tied to a program approval so must be active and approved Program (CCCS)
- Appropriately credentialed instructors
- General fund dollars that support CTE



# Eligible Reportable Costs

- Instructional Costs
- Equipment
- Books Supplies & Other
- Contract Costs



# What CTA is not

- To fund general educational needs
- Dictated on how reimbursement is applied
- A dollar for dollar reimbursement
- Items purchased with Perkins, or non general fund dollars



# Best Practices

- Tracking/Coding costs
- Have accurate data - reporting data that is supported for CDE, and CTA
- Documentation of funding sources and Identify CTE costs
- Communicate – many key players
  - School Finance contact
  - CTE Directors
  - CTA key contact
  - Local Administrators



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