

2014-15 Carl D. Perkins Secondary Local Plan Grant Summary

Grant Overview: The intent of the Perkins Grant is to develop the academic, career and technical skills of secondary education students. It supports efforts to: develop challenging academic and technical standards and activities designed to help students meet them; preparation efforts for high skill, high wage, and/or high demand occupations; efforts to integrate academic rigor into career and technical instruction; programs that link postsecondary education to career and technical education students; professional development; and partnerships between local workforce investment boards, secondary schools, AVTS, business and industry, etc.

The Warren County Career Center received a Perkins award in 2013-14 of \$85,818. The grant was used for salaries, contracted services, professional services, field trips, conference and training for staff, supplies and equipment. The allocation for 2014-15 is \$73,294, which is a 17% reduction in award.

The administration will prepare a similar application for 2014-15.

Amount of Award: \$73,294.00

Due Date/Notification of Award: June 30, 2014. Notification approximately August 31, 2014.

Alternatives if not Awarded: The grant will be awarded upon submission of a qualifying application.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit a Perkins Local Plan Grant application to support academic, career, and technical programming at the Warren County Career Center in the 2014-15 school year.