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VSBA Excellence in Workforce Readiness Award Winners Announced *Winners Recognized at the VSBA Conference on Education*

July 19, 2022 – Nine school divisions received honors in the Virginia School Boards Association (VSBA) Excellence in Workforce Readiness Awards. Winning divisions were recognized at the VSBA Conference on Education, which took place in Richmond earlier today. The awards program was created in 2018 by the VSBA Task Force on Workforce Readiness to highlight exemplary programs in Virginia's Public Schools focused on preparing the state's future workforce. The sponsor of the awards was VAcorp.

The winning school divisions are as follows:

Student Population Below 5,000 Students

First Place- Radford City Public Schools, Virginia Tech College Access Collaborative: Virginia Tech Center for Educational Networks and Impacts

Second Place- Rappahannock County Public Schools, Profile of a Graduate Life-Readiness Team

Third Place- Powhatan County Public Schools, Powhatan High School Electricity Program

Student Population Between 5,001 – 10,000 Students

First Place- Shenandoah County Public Schools, CNA/Phlebotomy Program Partnership

Second Place- Harrisonburg City Public Schools, Nurse Aide Program

Third Place- Pittsylvania County Public Schools, Automotive Technology Program

Student Population Above 10,001 Students

First Place- Henrico County Public Schools, Preparing Students for the World of Work- The Henrico Way Program

Second Place- Virginia Beach City Public Schools, Project Search Naval Air Station Oceana

Third Place- Loudoun County Public Schools, Practical Nursing and Nursing Aide Pathways Clinical Hours Partnership

About the Virginia School Boards Association

The Virginia School Boards Association, a voluntary, nonpartisan organization of Virginia school boards, promotes excellence in public education through advocacy, training, and services. The Association offers conferences, information, training, and counseling designed to meet the needs of the Commonwealth's educational leaders.

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