Good Afternoon,

We are now a few weeks away from the first phase out of pathways.

In March 2017, we began notifying schools and districts of the coming updates and revisions regarding our pathways. At that time, a Pathway Phase-out Guidance was published and reminders were included in the TEDS monthly notes and during TEDS training sessions.

Based on emails we have received, we feel it is necessary to send an additional reminder concerning the phase out process. It is important to note once again that those pathways marked for phase out at the end of 2018-2019 will no longer be visible in TEDS once the rollover occurs to open the 2019-2020 school year.

For detailed information, please refer to the Pathway Phase-out Guidance as well as the information posted in the TEDS Monthly Notes.

- Do not enroll students in new pathways until the start of 2019-2020.
- Make sure you have the pathway you plan to enroll them in for 19-20 in your TEDS (review Request to ADD or REMOVE a Pathway).
- The deadline for adding new pathways for 2019-2020 is September 1, 2019.
- The pathway enrollment start date will be based on your enrollment in fall 2019. The start date must be a 2019-2020 date because that is when they will start that specific pathway.
- Credits will be based on what was valid for the pathway when the credit was earned (even if it was earned in years prior to being enrolled in the pathway).

This SPECIAL NOTICE will also be posted on the TEDS Monthly Notes web page (http://education.ky.gov/CTE/tds/Pages/TEDSMM.aspx).

Feel free to share this information with your counselors, parents and others who impact your students’ scheduling decisions.
The more they know about the importance of career counseling and course progression, the easier it will be to help students find out what their next steps should be as they prepare for graduation.

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