

OTECH High School

Brief Introduction

Ogden School District and OTECH: Ogden School District, in partnership with Ogden-Weber Technical College, aims to provide a high-tech school focused on career and skill development. OTECH offers a personalized competency-based approach to learning, where students have the opportunity to earn credits based on their demonstrated competency in various skills.

Competency-Based Learning: Competency-based learning is an educational approach that emphasizes the mastery of specific skills. It allows students to progress at their own pace and focuses on personalized learning plans to meet individual needs and abilities.

PCBL: Personalized Competency-Based Learning: Overview of PCBL approach and its key principles

- **Personalized:** PCBL focuses on individualized learning plans that allow students to make informed decisions about what, how, and when they interact with concepts. Learning is tailored to meet the unique needs and preferences of each learner.
- **Self-Paced:** In PCBL, learners have the flexibility to progress through content at their own pace. They can take the time needed to gain a deep understanding of concepts before moving on, ensuring mastery of skills.
- **Competency-Based:** Assessment in PCBL is centered around proving competency and skill mastery. Learners move forward when they have demonstrated their ability to apply skills effectively. This approach ensures a focus on meaningful learning outcomes.
- **Mentorship:** Teachers play a crucial role in PCBL as mentors to students. They provide timely feedback, customized support, and guidance to help learners progress in their individual learning journeys.
- **Authentic Learning:** PCBL emphasizes project-based learning and the practical application of skills. Learners are given opportunities to apply their knowledge in real-world contexts, preparing them for lifelong success.

We believe that our students deserve every opportunity for their future success and that OTECH High School is another way of demonstrating our commitment to innovation and student success.

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