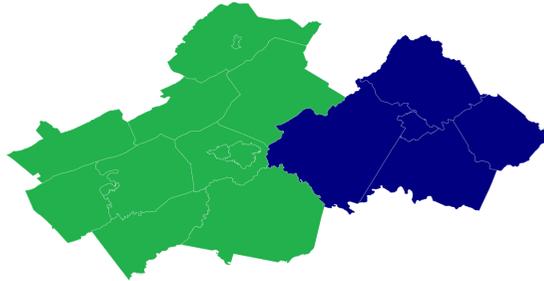


ACA Classical & CTE Institute

Appomattox County

Central Virginia Community College (CVCC), Appomattox Christian Academy (ACA),
Counties of Amherst, Appomattox, Bedford, and Campbell, City of Lynchburg



Creating career pathways for students in welding and machining so they can become financially independent members of their communities.

The ACA Classical & CTE Institute is developing an institute to offer workforce training for youth and adults in welding and machining. CVCC, which offers degree-track classes on-site, is operating the welding program at the institute. As a result of this project, welding facilities at the Institute will add capacity to the existing programs and dramatically increase fabrication space available to students throughout the service area. Students will be better prepared for the workforce with space to simulate real-world work experiences.

ACTIVITIES

Welding and fabrication program



“This funding will add capacity for 35 more welding students annually throughout the Central Virginia Planning District and enhance the educational experience of every CVCC welding student by introducing the first dedicated fabrication shop for welders-in-training in the region. Every CVCC welding student would have access to the shop, where they would learn related tasks like prep, measuring, and bending, along with welding.” - Bruce Boone, board chairman of Appomattox Christian Academy

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