Each year, students in Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs) compete in local, regional, and state events to demonstrate skills that they have acquired through curriculum activities and individual efforts outside of the classroom.

They compete against students from across our state, with the hope of earning a chance to compete at the national level. Each CTSO has specific requirements for qualifying for national competitions based on factors such as the number of competitors in the event and the type of event. It is an outstanding accomplishment to qualify for any national CTSO event.

The RCSS Career and Technical Education Department is proud to announce the national qualifiers and state officers for 2019:

**DECA**  
Randleman High School  
Advisors: Whitney Miller and Stephanie Adams  
• Alyssa Pope – 3rd place – Entrepreneurship

**HOSA-Future Health Professionals**  
Providence Grove High School  
Advisors: Anne Caudle and Cheryl Wrenn  
• Malexus Mason – 1st place – Personal Care  
• Carson Williams – 2nd place – Medical Assisting

**Future Business Leaders of America**  
Wheatmore High School  
Advisor: Jason Metters  
• Emma Godwin – 2nd place – Emerging Business Issues

Emma Godwin also was recognized as the “Who’s Who in FBLA” recipient and received one of three FBLA Professional Division Scholarship Awards given in North Carolina. She has served as a State Officer for the past two years.

**National FFA Organization**  
Providence Grove High School  
Advisors: Amy Kidd and Morgan Johnson  
• Austin Baker – 1st place – Dairy Handlers

**SkillsUSA**  
Southwestern Randolph High School  
Advisor: Jeff Perry  
• Ashley Hill – 1st place – Extemporaneous Speaking  
• Evan Waisner – 1st place – Information Technology Services  
• State Officer – Ashley Hill

**Trinity High School**  
Advisors: Venus Chapman, Cheri Conner, Renee Driggers, and Riley Grubb  
• Ruth Cruz, Sara Johnson, and Skylar LaPradd – 1st place – Career Pathways Showcase: Human Services  
• Makala Hall, Amy Ward, and Sophia Zheng – 1st place – Promotional Bulletin Board  
• Kacey Fulcher – 3rd place – Customer Service  
• Addie Pendry – 3rd place – Job Interview