



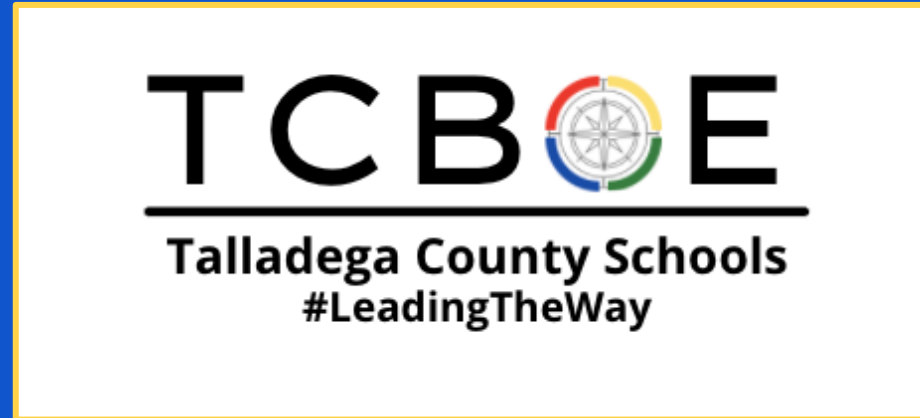
Creating a Culture of High Expectations

Talladega County
Schools:
Past, Present, Future

Talladega County Schools



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About Talladega County Schools

4th Largest Employer in Talladega
County (Over 1,000 Employees)

01

Serves over 7,100 Students in 17
Schools (72% Free/Reduced Lunch)

02

03

Full One-to-One Chromebook and
iPad Implementation (24/7 Access)

04

Ranked #1 in Alabama for Growth
in Math and Reading

TCBOE COMPASS FOR EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Rigorous & Engaging Instruction

- Project-Based Learning
- 1:1 Personalized Learning
- Blended Learning/Digital Tools

Collaborative Professional Learning

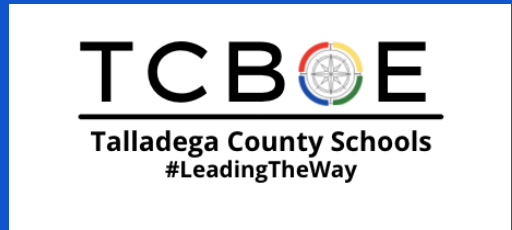
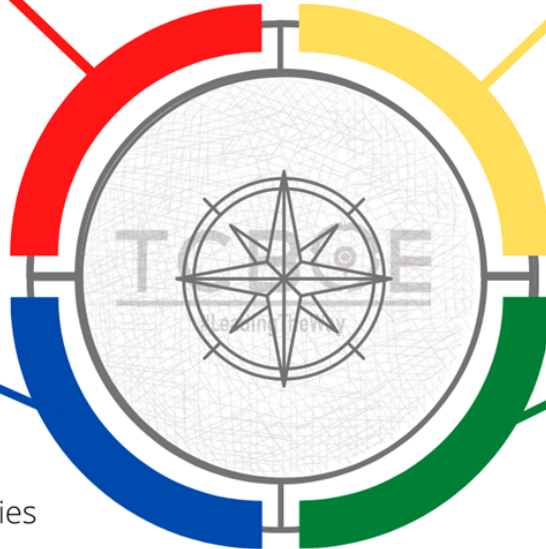
- Job-Embedded/Personalized
- Instructional Coaching Support
- Professional Learning Communities

Data-Informed Decision Making

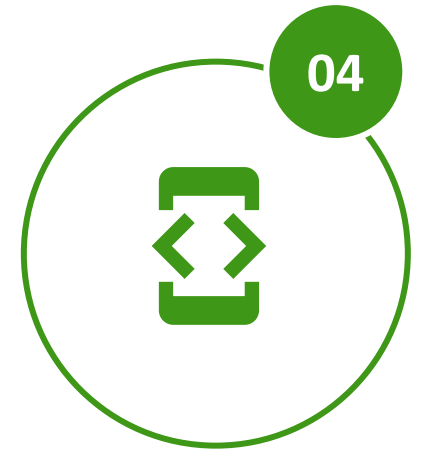
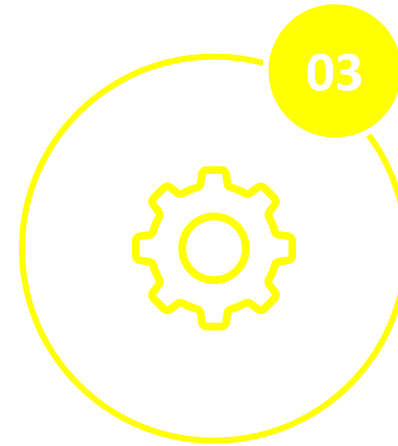
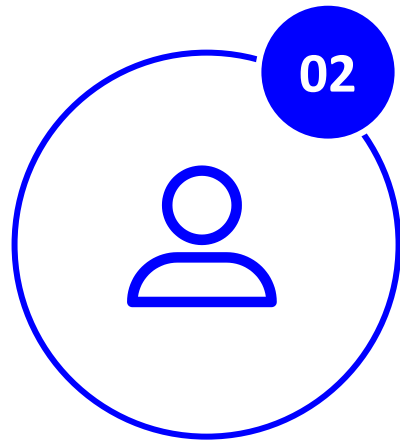
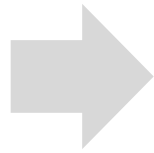
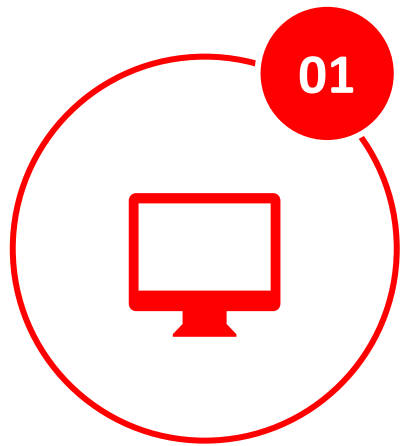
- Formative/Summative Assessments
- Response to Instruction (RTI)
- Continuous Improvement

Safe & Supportive Environment

- Social & Emotional Learning
- Multi-Tiered Student Support
- Parent & Community Partnerships



TCBOE Innovation Timeline



2008-2012

Project-Based Learning

One-to-One Devices

2012-2016

Technology Integration

Leadership Cohorts

Coding/Robotics

2016-2018

STEAM Integration

Engineering Design

2018-Present

Computational Thinking

STEM Certifications

Creating a Vision for Innovation

School Visits



New Tech High School

Napa, California



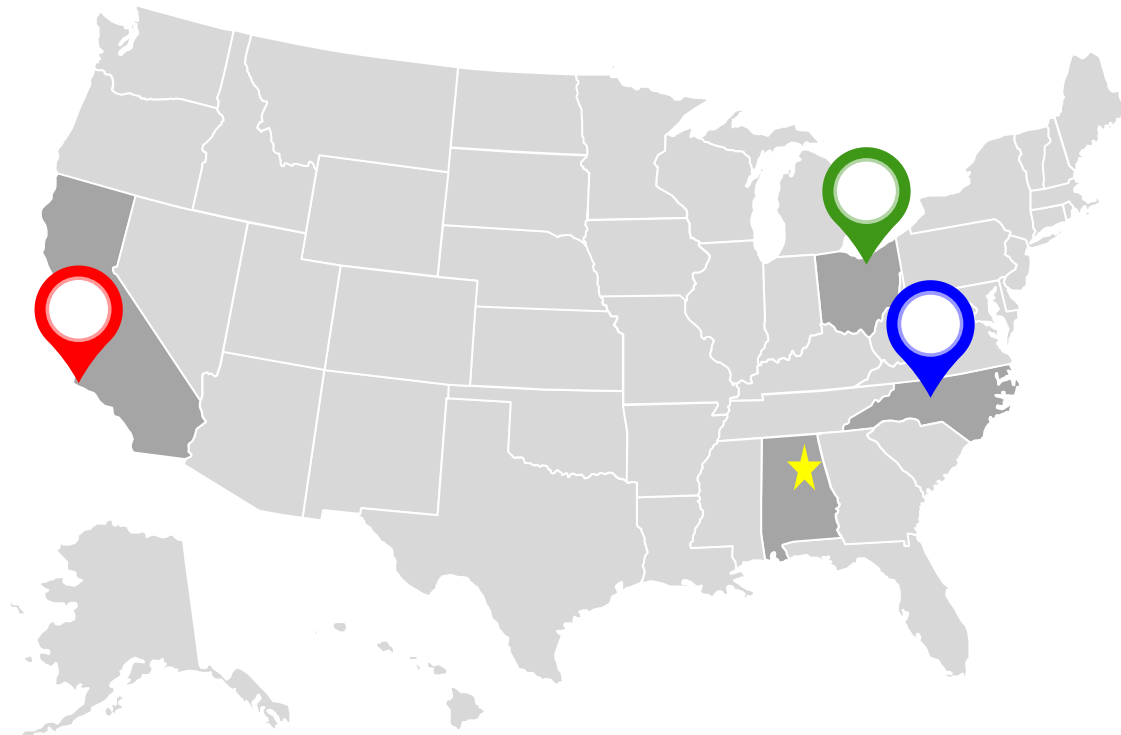
New Tech High School

Cleveland, Ohio

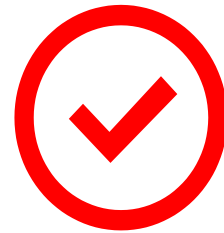
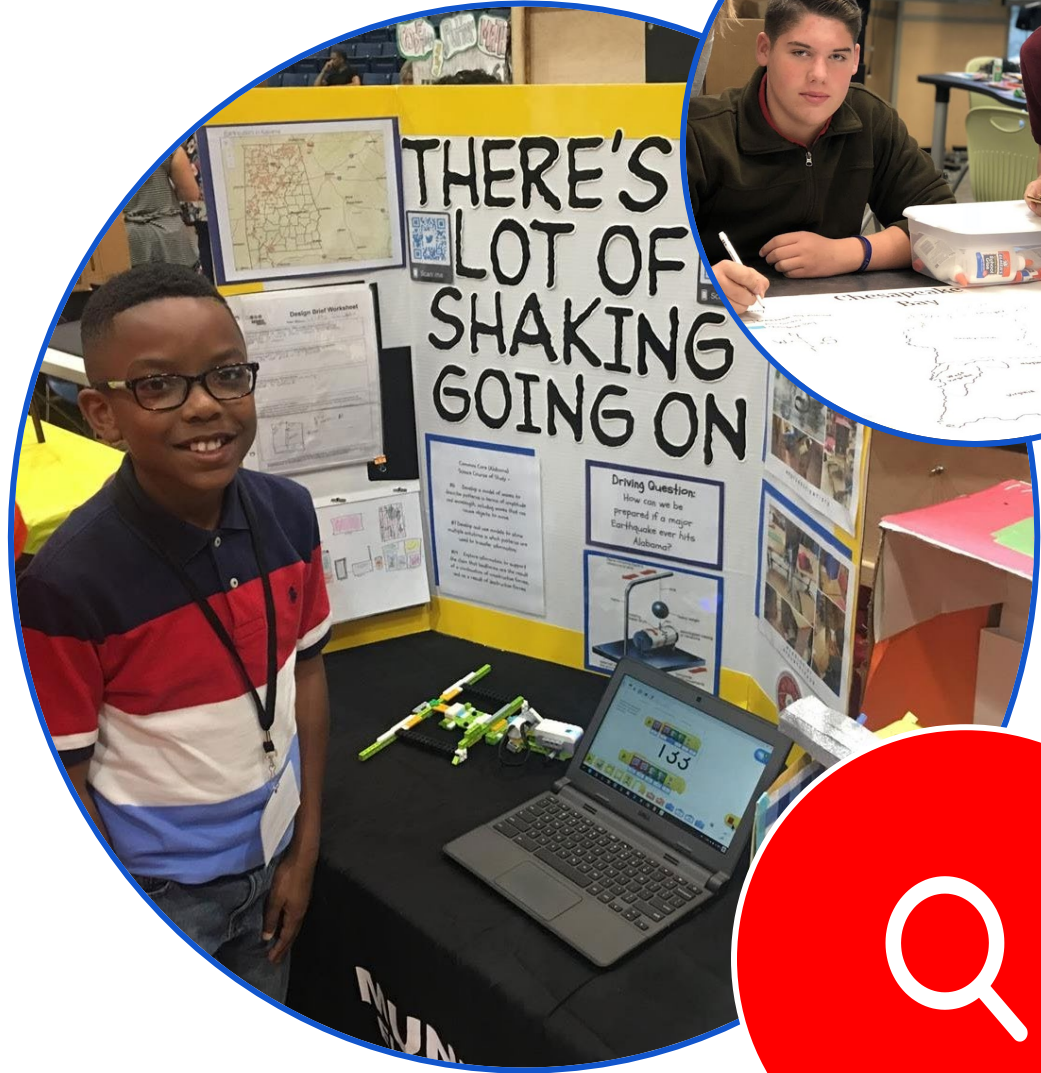


Mooreville Graded Schools

Mooreville, North Carolina

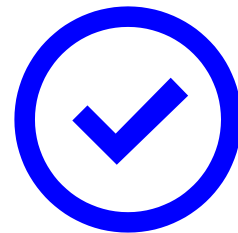


Redefining Learning in Talladega County Schools



Project Based Learning

-Teacher training and classroom redesign to enhance critical thinking and problem solving

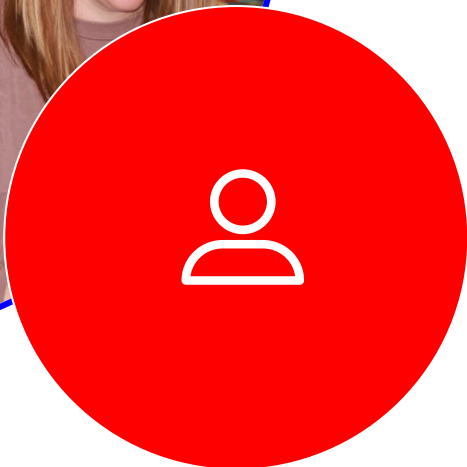


One-to-One Device Initiative

-Access to 24/7 learning and enhance communication and collaboration

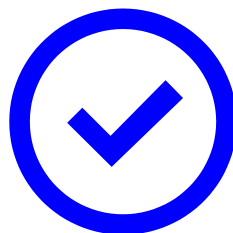


Modeling Innovative Leadership



Growth Mindset

-Set challenging goals, invite feedback, learn from mistakes, and persevere.
Model for students!



Empower Others

-Encourage school leaders and teachers to try new things
-Provide professional learning
-Realign personnel to support innovative practices

Building Partnerships for Innovation

League of Innovative Schools/Digital Promise/Google/Ed Tech Team



Highline Public Schools

Seattle, Washington



Vista Unified Schools

San Diego, Cali



Juab School District

Park City, Utah



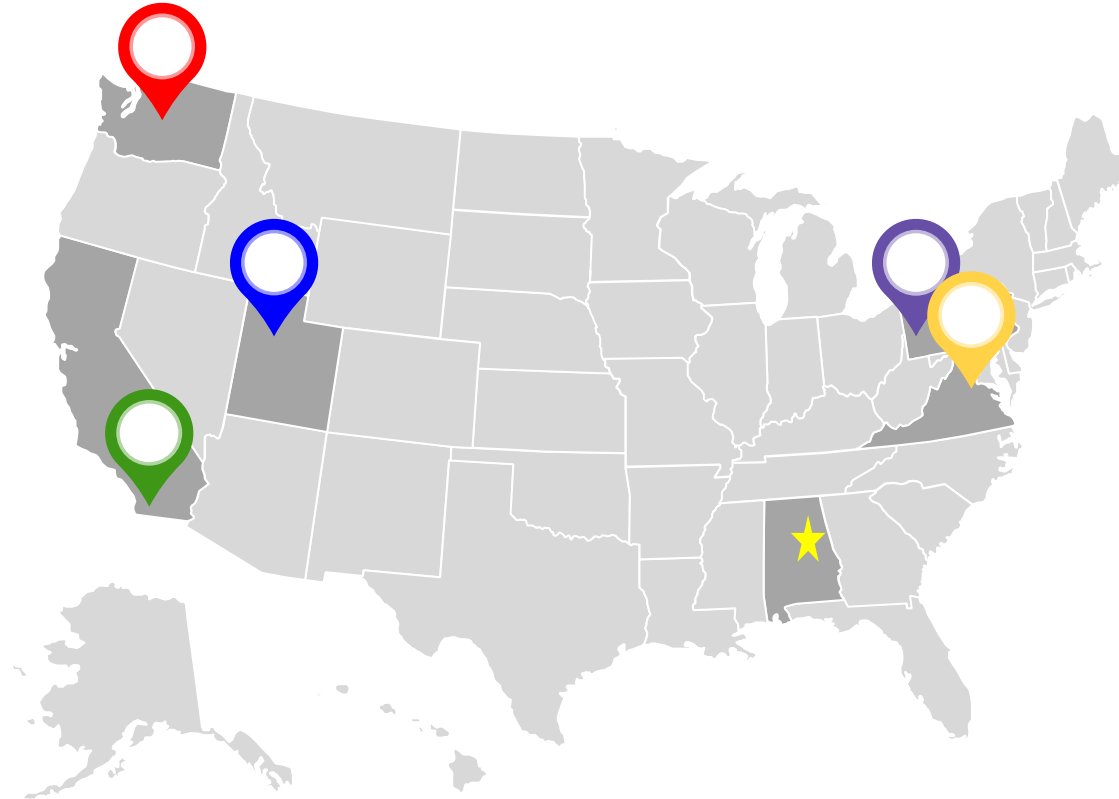
Loudoun County Schools

Loudoun County, Virginia

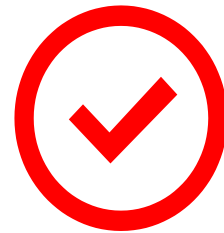


South Fayette Schools

Pittsburgh, Pen

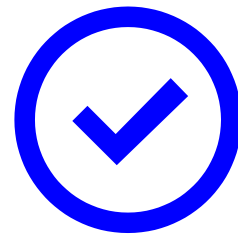


Increasing Student Engagement and Meeting Workforce Needs



STEAM Integration

-Integrated Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math into PBL Projects.



Engineering Design Process

-Followed the EDP to learn how to plan, build, test, reflect, and improve process.



Developing Student Capacity to Solve Complex Problems



Computational Thinking

-Identified and implemented key competencies such as algorithmic thinking, data collection/analysis, and building models and simulations.



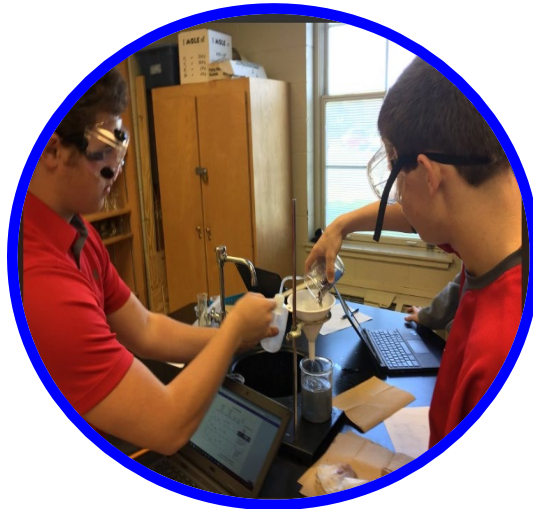
Earning STEM Certification

-To date, 11 schools have earned the distinguished STEM Certification from Cognia,

Current Innovative Learning Opportunities



Makerspaces



PBL + STEAM



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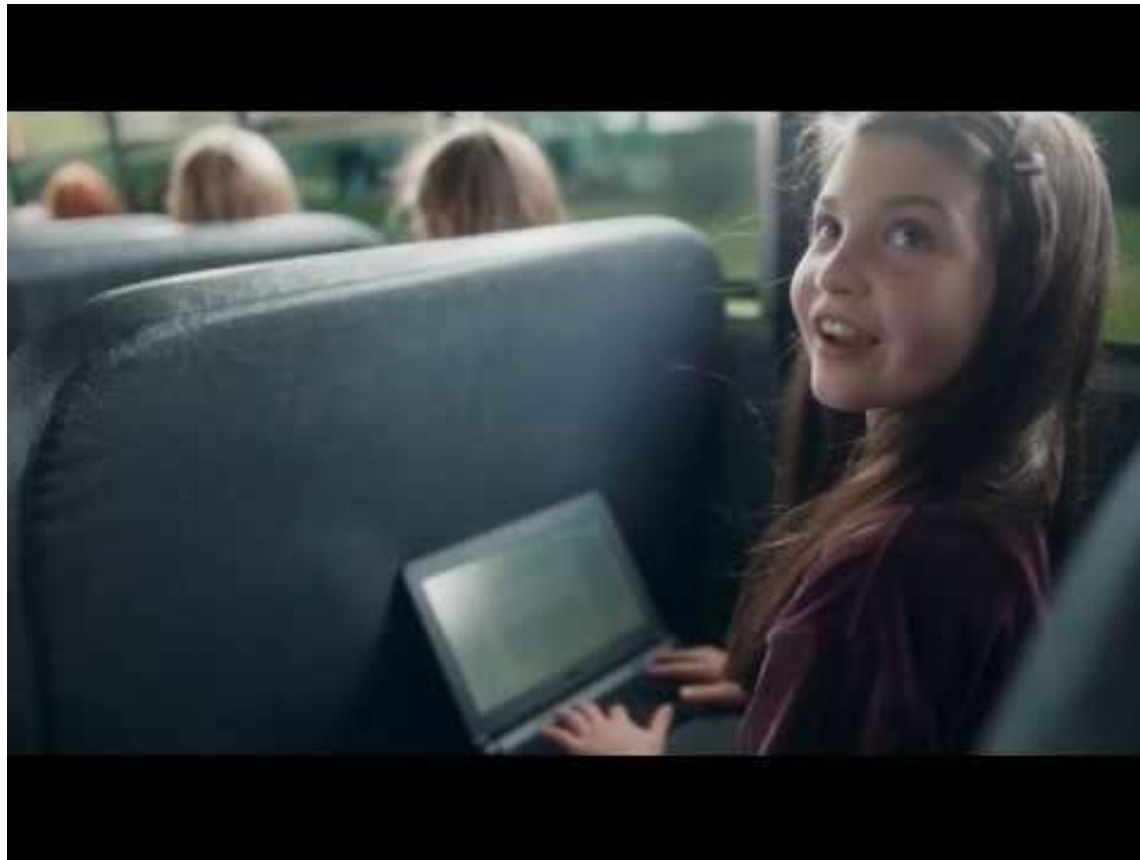


CTE: Tiny House



Rolling Study Halls

Talladega County's Rolling Study Halls



Career Tech: Authentic Learning Opportunities

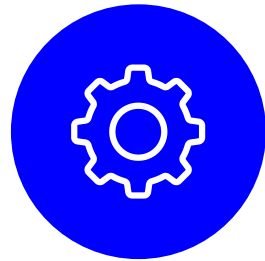


Building Constructions

Health Science



Business



Computer Science &
Engineering



Agriscience



Law and Public Safety

#LEADINGtheWAY



What's Next?



East Alabama Rural Innovation and Training Hub (EARTH)



**Zoomerang zSpace
Mobile Lab**

If we are not moving forward, the world is passing us by....

- John C. Maxwell



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