EXAMPLES OF COURSE PROJECTS

- SCHOOL LAWN MAINTENANCE
- FOOTBALL, BASEBALL, SOCCER, AND SOFTBALL ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE
- COMMUNITY LANDSCAPING PROJECTS
- IRRIGATION PROJECTS
- HOME DECORATING PROJECTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

ATTENDANCE
STUDENTS ATTEND THE TECHNICAL CENTER IN THE AFTERNOON TIMEFRAME AFTERNOONS—12:00 TO 2:30

TRANSPORTATION
STUDENTS ARE TRANSPORTED TO AND FROM THE TECHNICAL CENTER IN BUSES PROVIDED BY THEIR HOME SCHOOLS.

COURSE CREDIT
STUDENTS WHO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE COURSE WILL RECEIVE 3 STANDARD CREDITS. COOPERATIVE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES CAN BE TAKEN DURING THE SUMMER BETWEEN THE JUNIOR AND SENIOR YEARS.

Landscaping & Turf Management

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Investigating the Landscaping Industry

- Design landscapes.
- Construct landscapes.
- Maintain landscapes.
- Identify landscape plants.

Applying Science to Turf Maintenance

- Describe turf physiology and taxonomy of major turf grass species.
- Identify the role played by soil in turf growth.
- Distinguish among turf types.
- Identify factors that determine turf grass selection.
- Identify factors that influence turf grass seed selection.
- Identify practices for turf establishment
- Explain why correct mowing practices are important to the quality of turf.
- Identify the impact of turf grasses on the environment.
- Apply nutrient management practices.

Operating and Maintaining Equipment

- Identify tools and equipment used in turf grass industry.
- Select tools and equipment.
- Identify safety concerns in the turf grass industry.
- Apply pre-operational procedures.
- Demonstrate safe use of turf grass equipment.
- Service and care for turf grass equipment such as rotary mower, reel mower, tractor, string trimmer, and blower.