



# Franklin County District Schools

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Triumph Gulf Coast Board Members,

Since becoming involved in the Triumph grant process, the Franklin County School District has made huge gains in both our graduation rates and our number of students earning Industry Certifications. Our graduation rate for the 2015-2016 school year was 51%, and I am proud to say that for the 2018-2019 school year it was 81.4%. During the 2017-2018 school year our students earned 35 industry certifications, and last school year they earned 429. We have 149 students working on CTE certifications this year and are hoping for them to earn over 200 CTE certifications while our elementary and middle school students will add on another 400 digital tool certificates. Involvement in this grant process has allowed us to create an educational atmosphere that is truly helping our students to leave school job ready.

We are in the negotiation phase of acquiring our Construction Manager and are simultaneously advertising for an Architectural firm so we can begin construction of our new Welding facility. This process was delayed due to the drawn out resignation of our former Director of Facilities, but is moving expeditiously to allow us to occupy the building early next school year.

We are very thankful for the opportunities that our association with your board has provided for our students and look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Griffin  
Director of Curriculum & Instruction  
Franklin County School District

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