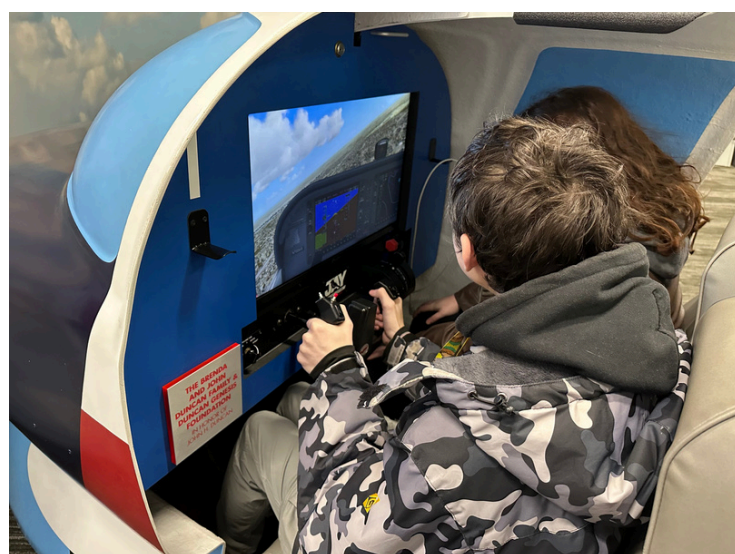


## STEM Academy Industry Trip



On February 19, 2025, STEM Academy seniors embarked on an unforgettable Industry Trip to the Lone Star Flight Museum, where they immersed themselves in the world of aviation and aerospace.

Throughout the day, students participated in hands-on experiences, including:

✈️ Ground school training, 🛩️ Aircraft safety inspections, and 🎮 Flight simulations.

In addition to these interactive activities, they explored aviation history, aerospace advancements, and the role of drones in the military. Their enthusiasm was evident as they engaged with museum experts, asked insightful questions, and demonstrated a genuine passion for learning.

A special highlight of the trip was the overwhelming praise from museum volunteers, who commended our students for their exceptional behavior, respect, and professionalism. They proudly represented GCCISD, Lee High School, and the STEM Academy—and we couldn't be prouder of them!

Way to go, STEM seniors! 🚀



# STEM Cosmetology Shines at SkillsUSA Competition



Several Cosmetology students showcased their talent and skills at the SkillsUSA District 8 Leadership and Skills Conference on February 8, 2025, bringing home an impressive array of awards!

## Gold Medalists

Alexis Atkinson, Karen Pedraza, and Daneila Mendoza – Emblem Ceremony

## Blue Ribbon Winners

Jocelyn Vasquez – Women's Cut & Color

Alexas Ibarra, Lorena Sanchez, Marcy Medina, and Valerie Lopez – Cosmetology Fantasy

Kayler Yepez, Hanna Flores, and Giselle Zuniga – Cosmetology Salon

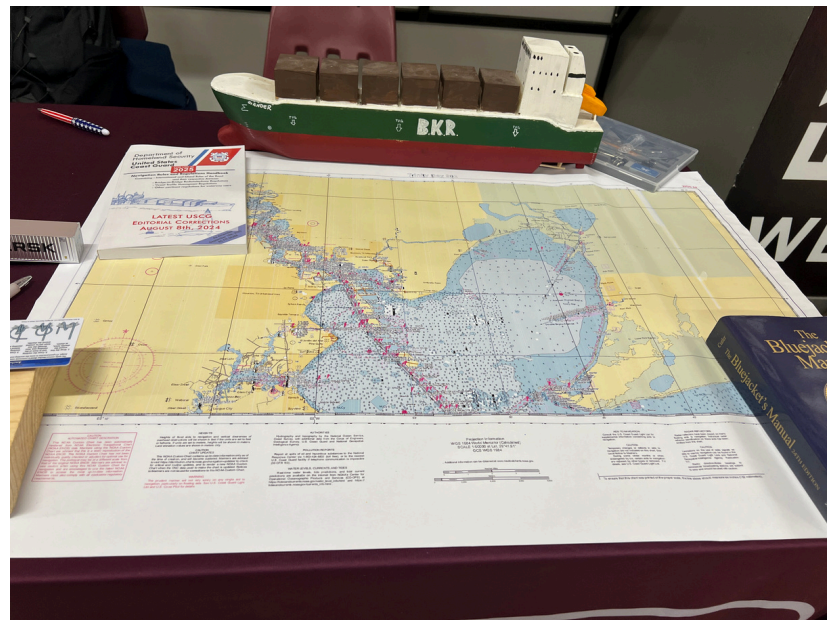
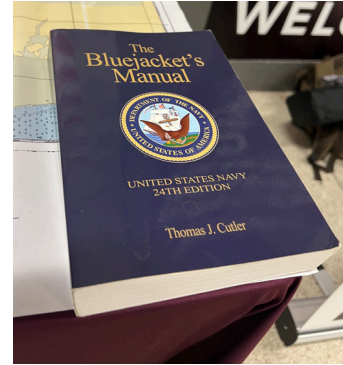
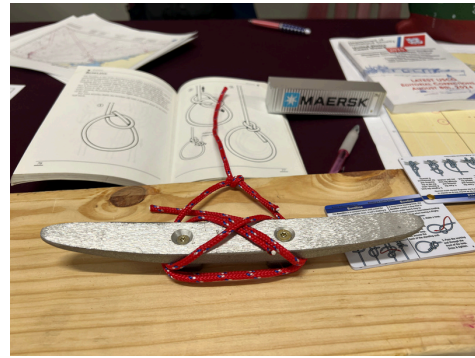
## Red Ribbon Winners

Gaby Chandler & Abigal Razo – Cosmetology Fantasy

Congratulations to all of our talented Cosmetology students for their hard work and success! Your dedication and creativity continue to make us proud!



# Maritime & Logistics Recruitment: Opportunities Still Available!



On Wednesday, February 26, 2025, the STEM Academy welcomed CTE Recruitment and Marketing Facilitator Erin Cook and Assistant CTE Specialist Cameron Jackson for a special Maritime Program recruitment event during lunches.

They spoke with current 9th graders, emphasizing that it's not too late to join the program! Students interested in exploring exciting careers in the maritime industry should reach out to their counselors as soon as possible.

Additionally, we are still recruiting for the Logistics Program! Any students interested in this high-demand field should see CTE Specialist Sara Malloy for more information.

Don't miss out on these incredible opportunities to set sail toward a successful future! 🚢🌊

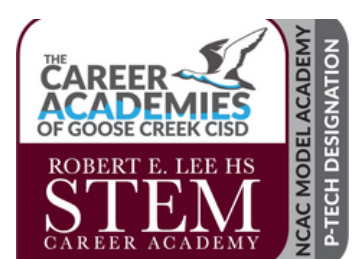
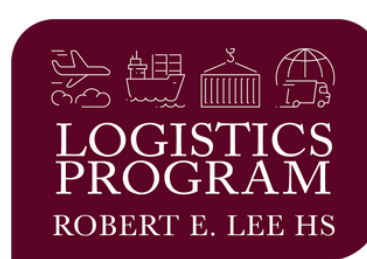
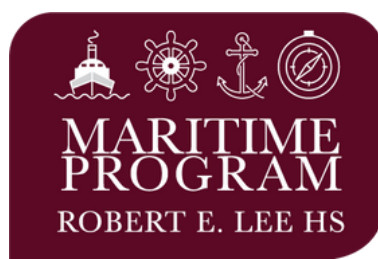


# Upcoming Events

March							
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Notes
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
				PR6 Grades in Portal	Early Release End of 3rd MP		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Spring Break							
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
			Maritime Trip to TAMU-Galveston	RC3 Grades in Portal			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
					Maritime & Logistics Youth Expo		
30	31						
STEM		Cosmetology			Maritime		

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