

**CORRELATION DIRECTORY FOR BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENTS**

**USER GUIDE**

**Rational for Updates**

Career and Technical Education (CTE) is now organized into specific programs of study named in NAC 388.803 and described in the Nevada *CTE Statewide Course Catalog*. All programs of study must follow industry validated standards and are accountable by way of a state wide end-of-program assessment for completion level students. Updates to the Business and Industry (B&I) Correlation Directory align endorsement names and assignment codes to current CTE programs per NAC 391.420. With a few exceptions, the correlation between a B&I endorsement and program assignment is one on one. The assignments include all courses in a program of study. For a complete listing of CTE programs of study and course descriptions, see the course catalog on the [Department of Education](#) website.

Additionally, B&I endorsements for the Performing Arts and JROTC have been listed separately to align to revisions to NAC 391.420.

Licenses issued after August 1, 2016, will follow the new endorsement names; old endorsement codes (seen in orange) remain in effect for those currently licensed.

**Work-based learning and Career Development Assignments**

Work-based learning in any form is a key component of CTE and may be assigned to any teacher with a CTE Business and Industry endorsement. Likewise, career exploration courses may also be taught by all CTE licensed teachers.

**Computer Literacy/Computer Applications**

The assignment codes for teaching computer literacy in elementary, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grades, and secondary are separated out in order to differentiate the level in which it is being taught. Only the secondary assignment code includes courses at the high school level.