- 1. **Industry Partnerships**: Forge strong partnerships with local employers, industry leaders, and professional organizations to provide students with mentorship, internship opportunities, guest lectures, and authentic workplace experiences.
- 2. **Student Support Services**: Provide comprehensive support services to ensure all students, particularly those from underrepresented backgrounds, have the resources and guidance they need to succeed academically and professionally. This includes academic advising, counseling, tutoring, and career readiness workshops.
- 3. **Technology Integration**: Leverage technology to enhance teaching and learning experiences, foster innovation, and prepare students for careers in the digital age. This may involve providing access to cutting-edge tools, software, and online resources, as well as promoting digital literacy and coding skills.
- 4. **College Readiness**: Equip students with the knowledge, skills, and confidence to pursue postsecondary education, whether through enrollment in two- or four-year colleges, trade schools, or apprenticeship programs. Offer college preparatory courses, SAT/ACT preparation, and assistance with the college application and financial aid processes.
- 5. **Community Engagement**: Engage families, community organizations, and other stakeholders in supporting the P-TECH program's goals and activities. Foster partnerships with local K-12 schools, colleges, nonprofits, and government agencies to create a seamless pathway from high school to
- 6. **Curriculum Development**: Design and implement a rigorous and relevant curriculum that integrates academic coursework with real-world skills and industry certifications in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) fields.