

Orange High School (OHS) Career & Technical Education (CTE)

As the 2023-2024 school year comes to a close, CTE would like to congratulate all CTE Seniors as they embark on their journey to college, career, military, or trade school. No matter their choice, they leave Orange High School prepared for the next level. We wish them well, and Orange High School doors will always be open to them. Congratulation to the CTE Class of 2024!!!!

College Acceptance by Program

Accounting

- Boston University
- Essex County Community College
- Johnson and Wales University
- Lincoln Technical Institute

Graphic Arts

- Essex County Community College
- Rutgers University
- Universal Technical Institute

Art: Digital Media and Filmmaking

- Essex County Community College
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Kean University
- Montclair State University
- Morgan State University
- North Carolina AT&T
- Rutgers University
- St. Peters University

Entrepreneurship

- Bloomfield College of Montclair State University
- Essex County Community College
- Rutgers University
- Universal Technical Institute

Culinary Arts

- Essex County Community College
- Rutgers University
- Universal Technical Institute

Health Science

- Essex County Community College
- Montclair State University
- Rutgers University
- Universal Technical Institute

ROTC

- Kean University
- New Jersey City University
- Lincoln Technical Institute
- Seton Hall University



OHS NJROTC Cadets Get Underway for Fleet Week

Eighteen cadets from Orange High School's Naval Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (NJROTC) were selected to spend five days aboard the USS Bataan (LHD-5), a Wasp-class amphibious assault ship in the United States Navy. The cadets had a unique experience as they traveled by train to Norfolk, VA, and then set sail on the USS Bataan to New York City for Fleet Week 2024.

On a significant note, our Senior ROTC cadets donned their uniforms for the final time during the annual Chain of Command ceremony at Bell Stadium on Friday, June 7, 2024. Chief Spersduto delivered opening remarks to distinguished guests, parents, and other community stakeholders, highlighting another successful year for the ROTC program. As our Senior cadets embark on their college and career journeys, the new command leaders pledge to uphold the program's traditions.

Lastly, we are excited to announce that the Secretary of the Navy has approved our request to establish a Navy Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (NJROTC) unit effective July 1, 2024. The Navy will now offer funding to partially fund two instructors' salaries, uniform support, and supplies for the unit. Congratulations to our cadets and Chief Spersduto for a job well done!!!!



Suit Up: Loop Me & Estee Lauder

Students from Entrepreneurship, Introduction to Marketing, and Graphic Arts Production recently participated in two business competitions, featuring Loop Me and Estee Lauder. The events were sponsored by Suit Up, a non-profit organization that partners corporate mentors with students through innovative business plan competitions.

Students and mentors are placed into teams and are tasked with a real-world business challenge. Students incorporated lessons learned this year as the teams engaged in brainstorming, SWOT analysis, solution development, and pitch preparation. The culminating activity involved the students presenting their pitches to a panel of judges.



Alsteade Farms Field Trip

Students from Ms. Mustafa's Diet, Nutrition, and Basic Foods class visited Alsteade Farms. During the tour with their guide "Buddy," students learned the history of the farm. They learned how to pick strawberries, and had fun navigating through the corn maze.



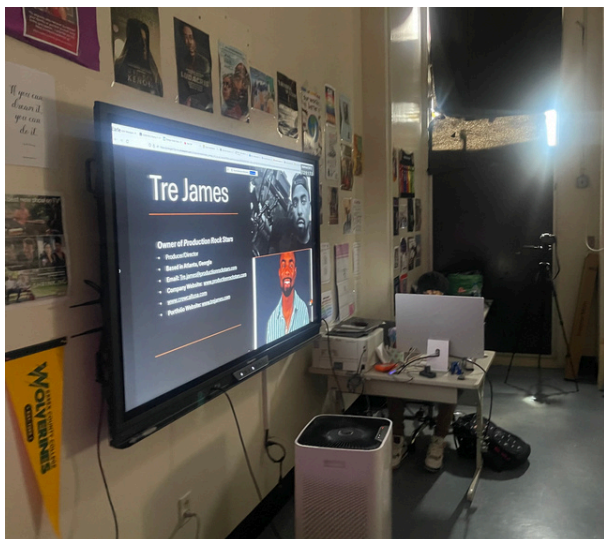
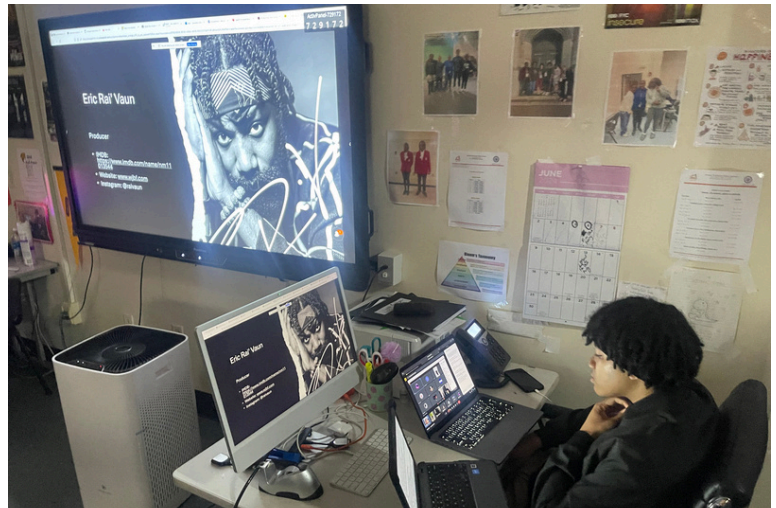
Hayden Planetarium

Students in Ms. Martin's Graphic Arts Production courses visited the Hayden Planetarium and the Invisible Worlds Immersive Experience at the Museum of Natural History in NYC. They viewed an interactive graphics exhibit where the technology responded to their movements and impacted the projections around them.



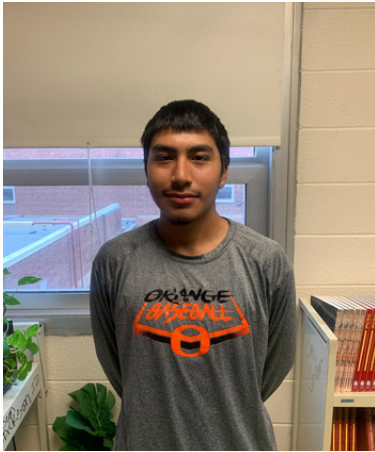
Filmmaking Roundtable Discussion

Producers Tre James, CEO and Founder of Production Rock Stars, and Eric Rai Vaun, a producer and director, held a virtual roundtable discussion with our Filmmaking class. The guest speakers talked about their career paths in the film industry, from high school and college to adulthood. Both Tre and Eric expressed how college life helped them network and collaborate with other artists and filmmakers. While studying film, they were able to obtain internship opportunities in the film industry.



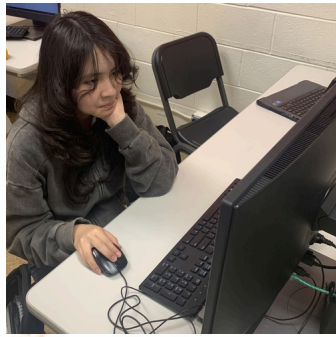
CTE Students of the Month - June 2024

Accounting



A. Giles is a delight to have in the Accounting Program and he is willing to assist his fellow classmates

Cisco



C. L. Torres is always prepared for class and has a positive attitude.

Cosmetology



B. Blanco is very eager to learn cosmetology and has improved tremendously during the school year

Culinary Arts



D. Morales and J. Brown display the necessary teamwork in the kitchen to become future chefs

Entrepreneurship



J. Nelson is always prompt, engaged, and she gives thought provoking answers

Filmmaking



J. Fernandez demonstrates excellent leadership and has perfect attendance

Graphic Arts



B. Laterion created superb design work in Graphic Arts Production

Health Science



Y. O-Gonzalez serves as a leader in the OHS HOSA chapter and her skillset is a great addition to the program

Naval JROTC



J. Guaman and V. Clement have passed their Command Staff board. Ms. Clements will be next year's Operation Officer and Mr. Guaman will be the unit's Physical Training Officer.