What is a CTSO?
A Career Technical Student Organization (CTSO) develops citizenship, technical, leadership, and teamwork skills for workforce and higher education. They connect students with industry professionals, provide skills competition events, college scholarships and more. Check out their websites and videos!

DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management.
High School and College Programs
CA Website: [https://www.californiadeca.org/](https://www.californiadeca.org/)

https://vimeo.com/174752401

Future Business Leaders of America brings business and education together through innovative leadership and career development programs.
Middle School, High School and College Programs

CA Website: [https://www.cafbla.org/](https://www.cafbla.org/)

https://youtu.be/BHQYS7ZKIE8

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America promotes personal growth and leadership development through Family and Consumer Sciences education.
High School and College Programs

CA Website: [https://www.ca-fccla.org/](https://www.ca-fccla.org/)

https://youtu.be/8-LRWyT9-Nc
**FFA, Future Farmers of America**, makes a positive difference in the lives of young people by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through *Agriculture education*.

Middle School, High School and College Programs

CA Website: [https://www.calaged.org/](https://www.calaged.org/)

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**Health Occupations Students of America** enhances the delivery of compassionate, quality *health care* by providing opportunities for knowledge, skill and leadership development of all health science education students.

Middle School, High School and College Programs

CA Website: [http://www.hosa.org/node/51](http://www.hosa.org/node/51)

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**Skills USA** is a partnership of students, teachers and *industry* working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce.

High School and College Programs

CA Website: [http://www.skillsusaca.org/](http://www.skillsusaca.org/)

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National CTSOs have granted the California Department of Education (CDE) charters for the state operation of these 6 CTSOs in California.