Affiliated with and administered by NAF, the Academy of Finance (AOF) offers students the unique opportunity to gain specialized instruction in the field of business and finance while they complete their normal academic course curriculum. This program is designed to facilitate the transition from high school to higher education and eventually the workforce.

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AOF Program

Beginning in the 9th grade, students in the Academy of Finance take one or two specialized courses a year. Students have the opportunity to take classes at Fayetteville Technical Community College (FTCC) during their senior year and can graduate with up to twelve hours of college credits.

- **Requirements for Admission:** "C" or higher in core classes, DBHS Application or District Application for Choice Students
- Work-Based Learning: Career Fairs, Field Trips, Guest Speakers, Job Shadowing and Internships
- *Community Service Opportunities*: Food Drive and Sock/Glove Drive
- Student Organization: Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)



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Career Fair @ the Crown



College Tour @ UNC-Pembroke

School Website: https://www.ccs.k12.nc.us/domain/4269

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Courses @ DBHS Business Essentials Entrepreneurship I Entrepreneurship II Honors Accounting I Accounting II Honors

Courses @ FTCC **PATHWAY: Business Foundations** Introduction to Business **Business Law** Principles of Marketing Principles of Management

