

**FAME Public Charter School
Course Description**

Regional Occupational Program (ROP)

Regional Occupational Programs (ROP) offer tuition-free career preparation training through various locations within a given county. ROP classes are open to anyone 16 years of age or older. Through partnerships with school districts, state and local governments, community organizations, and business and local industry, ROP provides course work in a wide array of current and emerging career fields. The classes are structured to provide classroom as well as hands on training and many provide a career development component. *While many ROP programs separate their high school and adult instruction, it is possible that adult enrollment would be allowed. This should be verified by the student/parent at the time of enrollment. If adult enrollment is concurrent with student enrollment the student and his/her parent or guardian will be responsible for determining if the class is a suitable venue for the student.*

In order to receive credit for ROP courses the following procedure must be followed:

1. ROP courses must be indicated on the student's Course Schedule
2. The IST must review the course description and along with the student, parent/guardian, to determine whether the course will meet the students academic goals.
3. The student must provide the IST with a log of hours attended as well as a copy of the certificate of completion from the ROP course.
4. The IST will review all assignments from the ROP course and assign a Credit/No-Credit grade, OR, if the ROP graded the course, a transcript will be submitted and the course grade will be accepted.

With a passing grade the student will receive 10 elective credits per semester not to exceed 20 elective credits total.

Any fees for clothing or other materials must be paid for by the student and will not be allocated to the student's account.

The [Directory of Regional Occupational Centers and Programs](http://www.dds.cahwnet.gov/DSPT/DSPT_list.cfm) by county may be found at: http://www.dds.cahwnet.gov/DSPT/DSPT_list.cfm