

PROJECT BRIEF



Project Name: Butler County Community College
Redler Institute of Culinary Arts

Grant Program: Legislative

Project Date: July 2022 - January 2025

Project Summary

The Butler County Community College (BC3) project used funds to construct the Redler Institute of Culinary Arts, an 8,400-square-foot facility dedicated to culinary arts. Having a state-of-the-art facility ensures that BC3's culinary arts program is aligned with employer needs, including soft skills, food safety, customer service, and management training, all essential for hospitality careers.

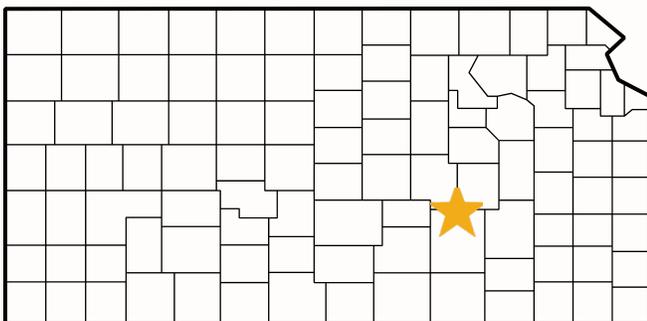
Goals and Objectives

Goal: To expand access and increase opportunities for postsecondary education in the culinary arts.

Objective: The infrastructure development of a state-of-the-art culinary arts facility to support hands-on learning and career readiness.

Location

El Dorado, Kansas



Budget Overview

- Grant: \$572,268.00
- Match: \$572,268.00
- Total Budget: \$1,144,536.00

Expense Category

- Construction: \$1,144,536.00

Target Population

The target population for this project includes individuals seeking post-secondary education in the culinary arts field.

Activities and Timeline

- **Q3 2022:**
 - Construction Completed
 - First cohort of students enrolled

Sustainability

To ensure long-term sustainability, BC3 will utilize:

- Revenue from student registration in culinary programs.
- Research grants.
- Contributions from the local community.

Outcomes

Butler County Community College finished the construction and development of the Redler Institute of Culinary Arts, an 8,400 square-foot building. The school opened to students in August of 2022 and has been providing certifications in culinary arts and food truck entrepreneurship.

Grantee Information

Butler County Community College (BC3) offers high-quality education that is both affordable and accessible, enhancing the community's vitality. BC3 provides a supportive, student-focused environment that emphasizes integrity while fostering diversity and success. Currently, the school offers career and certification programs in Business & Information Technology, Education & Behavioral Sciences, Nursing & Allied Health, Liberal Arts, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math).

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