

"TAKING ENGINEERING AND WELDING HAS TAUGHT ME BOTH SIDES OF HOW DESIGNING AND BUILDING WORK TOGETHER TO CREATE EVERYTHING YOU SEE AROUND YOU. LEARNING THIS HAS HELPED ME DECIDE WHAT I WANT TO DO FOR A CAREER PATH. I'D ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO GET IN CTE CLASSES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE SO THEY CAN START TO LEARN REAL-WORLD APPLICATIONS AND SKILLS THEY CAN USE IN THE FUTURE."

CHASE MCLEMORE



CHASE IS BEING RECOGNIZED FOR HIS DEDICATION TO CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

- Chase is in his 4th welding class and his 3rd engineering class. He is the current president of both TSA and SkillsUSA. He is also in the National Honor Society.
- Chase used his knowledge of welding and engineering to make much-needed modifications to the Engineering program's two electric race cars. On the weekends, Chase competes in short-track late model racing across the Southeast.
- Chase has been awarded a scholarship to attend the University of Alabama where he will major in mechanical engineering. After graduation, Chase plans to move to North Caroline and pursue a career as an engineer with NASCAR.