

# Appendix G

## GRANDFATHER CLAUSE – PROGRAM TRANSITION GUIDELINES

### For NEW and CONTINUING Information Technology (IT) YA Students

- If the student begins IT YA using the OLD checklist, then the student must complete the YA program using the OLD checklist. The appropriate Level One or Level Two Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) will be awarded.
- Senior graduating in 2011 **Level One** YA: The youth apprentice may complete either an OLD checklist OR use the revised IT YA checklist. The appropriate Level One Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) will be awarded.
- Senior graduating in 2011 **Level Two** YA: The youth apprentice completes the OLD checklist for the year 2 curriculum for IT- Computer Science or IT- Networking YA. An appropriate Level Two Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) will be awarded.
- Junior in 2010-2011, **Level One** YA: The youth apprentice may complete either an OLD checklist or use the revised IT YA checklist. The appropriate Level One Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) will be awarded for the Junior year participation in the YA program.
- Junior in 2010-2011, **Level Two** YA: The youth apprentice starts either the OLD checklist or uses the revised IT checklist, however, the youth apprentice must complete the YA program using the same checklist the 2<sup>nd</sup> year, their Senior year. The appropriate Level Two Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) will be awarded.
- Sophomore applying for the IT YA Program for 2011-2012: New youth apprentices must use the revised IT YA checklist **by the 2011-12** school year. A Certificate of Occupational Proficiency will not be issued to students who submit the old checklist.

**NOTE:** Additionally, Youth Apprenticeship students must maintain good academic standing and be on track for graduation to be eligible for a Certificate of Occupational Proficiency from the Department of Workforce Development.