

Objective

- Project-Based Learning
- Project and Record Management
- Budgeting and Fundraising
- Time Management
- Planning and Sourcing
- ProjectDocumentation
- Safety Procedures
- Teamwork
- Presentation Skills

Skills Required

- Curiosity
- Motivation
- Organization
- Communication
- Mechanical
- Tenacity

Materials

- Old tractor
- Source or repair parts
- Community support for resources, expertise & fundraising

instructor/advisor competition plan

For 25 years, the Chevron Tractor Restoration Competition (Chevron TRC) has provided an opportunity for high school students to learn valuable life skills they can use in their post-academic careers. Lifelong friendships are developed as students learn hands-on and engage the community for assistance in their project. Working individually or in teams, entrants compete for prizes including a top prize of \$10,000 and overall totaling \$20,000, and learn valuable life skills in the process.

"The Chevron TRC program provides the perfect opportunity not only for hands-on learning and the application of skill sets, but teamwork, leadership development, project management and interview skills. No other program has provided such a complete experience for my students. As a teacher and parent of students who have participated over the years, I've found it provides the confidence and skills to be successful in any career choice. The Chevron TRC is a tool for me to continue making a positive impact on the education and lives of my students."

-Buster Padgett, Agriscience Instructor/FFA Advisor

