

A person wearing blue work pants and black work boots stands in the center of a factory floor. The background is a blurred industrial environment with other workers in white hard hats and blue uniforms. A red safety line is visible across the scene. The floor has yellow and red markings.

Growing North Carolina's Talent Pool



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partnership

Henderson County, NC
Economic Development

Focus: Economic Development

Blue Ridge
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Focus: Curriculum & Customized Training

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Focus: K-12 Education



Focus: Workforce Development

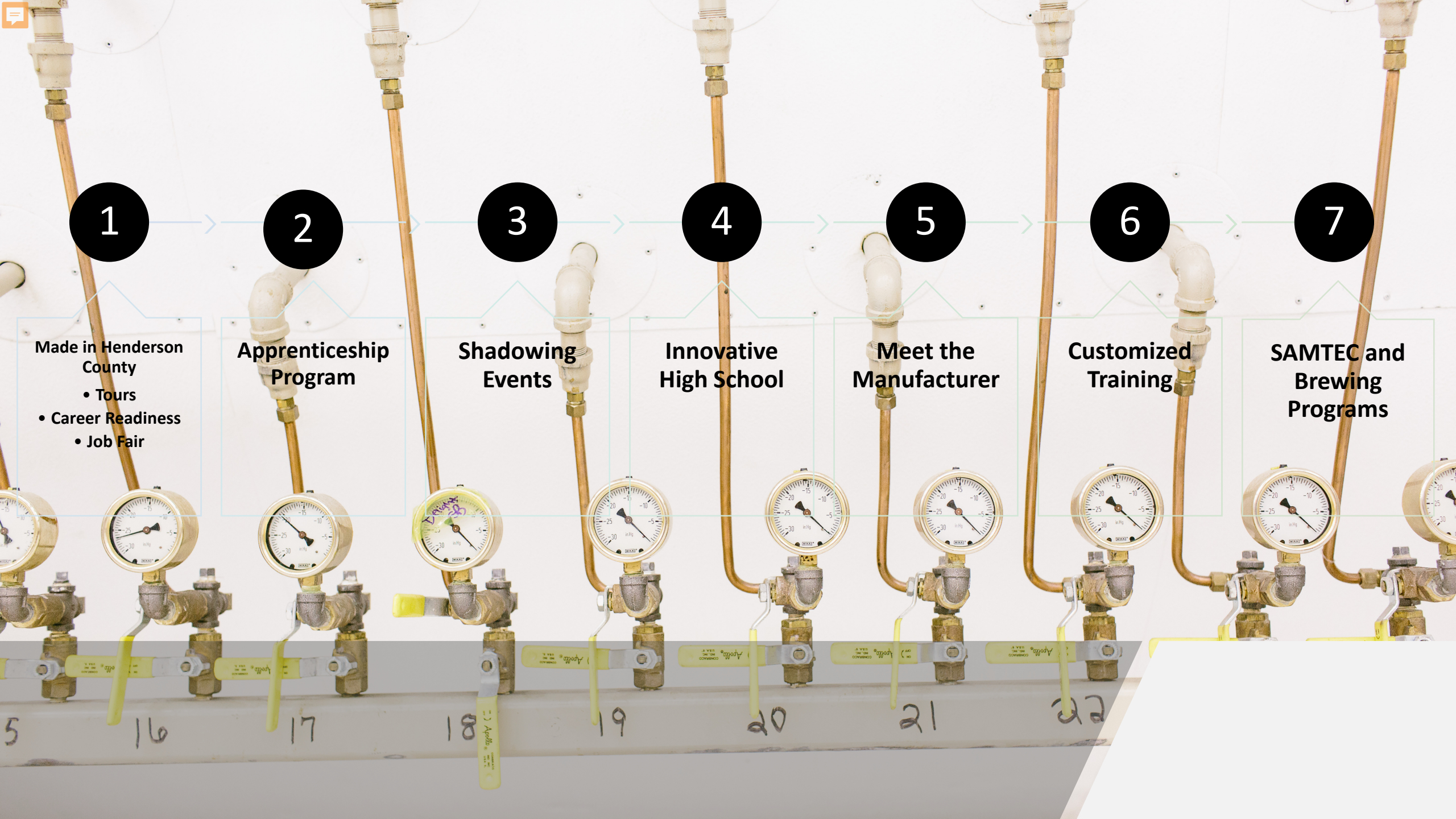
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Made in Henderson County

- Tours
- Career Readiness
- Job Fair

Apprenticeship Program

Shadowing Events

Innovative High School

Meet the Manufacturer

Customized Training

SAMTEC and Brewing Programs

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Building a Workforce Pipeline

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- A person wearing a grey t-shirt is sanding a wooden table in a workshop. The table is made of light-colored wood and has a dark brown surface. The person is using a sanding block to smooth the surface. The background is a yellow wall with some electrical outlets and a power cord. The floor is covered with a white protective sheet.
- ✓ “Base Camp” Approach
 - ✓ Flexible and Willing to try new ideas
 - ✓ Streamline communication between entities and manufacturers
 - ✓ Job Fair placed 5%+ of open positions
 - ✓ Better prepared students thanks to Career Readiness
 - ✓ Increased Community College enrollment
 - ✓ 10% High School CCP enrollment
 - ✓ State recognition
 - ✓ Scalable program

A person wearing blue work pants and black safety shoes stands in a factory. The background is blurred, showing other workers in white hard hats and industrial equipment. A red safety line is visible across the scene. The word "Questions?" is overlaid in white text in the center.

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