

## PUBLIC SAFETY



### **DESCRIPTION:**

In the Public Safety pathway students will study content area skills including constitutional law, court systems, policing issues and trends, crime scenes and evidence collecting.

Students will learn the qualifications and requirements for multiple public service careers and learn the nature, history and philosophy of law enforcement. Students will also have the opportunity to use advanced equipment and technology and learn from industry professionals through quest speakers, field trips, and more!

## **TEACHERS:**

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## **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

## **CRIMINAL JUSTICE (02):**

Explores criminal justice history, modern-day policing issues, community policing, criminal law, investigations, crime scene investigation, case law, and corrections. Students will also learn about the court system and trial while developing employability and soft skills.

## **CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION (03):**

Students will learn methods and protocols for the collection, preservation and analysis of evidence. Students research blood, DNA, bones, time of death, ballistics, fingerprints, forgery, as well as other forms of evidence. Students analyze mock crime scenes, including searching for and collection of evidence, as well as recreating the crime scene and possible motives. Students practice communication skills, report writing, and presentation skills.

COURSE TYPE	9TH GRADE	10TH GRADE	11TH GRADE	12TH GRADE
PUBLIC SAFETY	Criminal Justice	NA	Crime Scene Investigation	Professional Internship
A-G APPROVAL	G (College Prep Elective)		G (College Prep Elective)	