

LAW ENFORCEMENT

CAREER CLUSTER: LAW & PUBLIC SERVICE

STATEWIDE PROGRAM OF STUDY: LAW ENFORCEMENT

Course	Credits	Class Periods	Grade	Location
Law Enforcement I & II	2.0	2	11-12	MCTC
Criminal Investigations and Correctional Services <i>Prerequisites: Law Enforcement I & II</i>	2.0	2	12	MCTC
<u>OR</u> Practicum in Law <i>Prerequisites: Law Enforcement I & II or Court Systems & Advanced Legal Skills</i>	2.0	2	12	MCTC

CERTIFICATION OPPORTUNITY

• IAED Emergency Telecommunicator

EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS

- Willingness to participate in activities in all aspects of government and the law.
- Ability to learn theory as well as application of the law.
- Demonstrate excellent communication skills.
- Demonstrate maturity to discuss sensitive topics including murder, abuse, drug involvement, etc.

PROGRAM EXPERIENCES

Our Law Enforcement students have the opportunity to explore the history of criminal justice.

Hands-on lab time includes experiencing real world scenarios through the Judgement and Use of Force simulator.

Students will also be introduced to proper procedures for analyzing crime scenes and collecting various types of evidence to be processed.



8970V LAW ENFORCEMENT I - FALL SEMESTER

8976V LAW ENFORCEMENT II - SPRING SEMESTER

Grades: 11-12 1 Credit Each Course

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This course provides an introduction to the law enforcement industry. Students investigate the history and philosophy of criminal justice in **Law Enforcement I**. They experience real-world scenarios through a judgement and use of force simulator, analyze crime scenes and practice traffic stops. In **Law Enforcement II**, students dive into the impact, crime trends and theories related to the causes of crime. Students learn about the search and seizure process, as well as how both the interview and interrogation processes work.

8984V CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS - FALL SEMESTER

8977V CORRECTIONAL SERVICES - SPRING SEMESTER

Grade: 12 1 Credit Each Course

Prerequisites: Law Enforcement I & II

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This course provides a more in-depth application of previously learned knowledge and skills. In Criminal Investigations, students learn terminology and procedures related to investigating crime scenes. They study evidence collection, fingerprinting and courtroom presentation through case studies and simulated crime scenes. Students gain experience collecting and analyzing bodily fluids, hairs, fibers, shoe and tire impressions, bite marks, blood spatter, firearms and ammunition, and other types of evidence. In Correctional Services, students learn the roles and responsibilities of a county/municipal correctional officer. They discuss relevant rules, regulations and laws of municipal, county, state, or federal facilities as well as defensive tactics, restraint techniques, and first aid procedures used in these settings. Interrogation processes work.

8985V PRACTICUM IN LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY, CORRECTIONS & SECURITY

Grade: 12 2 Credits

Prerequisites: Court Systems & Practices and Advanced Legal Systems OR Law Enforcement I & II

Students must have a valid Driver's License and obtain a Miller parking permit by the 3rd day of school to remain eligible.

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This course provides supervised practical application of previously studied knowledge and skills in law, public safety, corrections, and security. Practicum experiences may occur in a variety of internship locations appropriate to the nature and level of student proficiency. This course is a capstone experience for students participating in a coherent sequence of career and technical education courses in the Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security Career Cluster.

CAREER POSSIBILITIES

- Border Patrol Agent
- Crime Scene Investigator
- FBI/CIA Agent
- Police Officer
- Probation Officer
- U.S. Marshal

