

Have an interest in Corrections, Law Enforcement, or Public Safety?

- This pathway will give you an idea about what employment is like in fields relating to fire services, legal services, protective services, and homeland security.
- Throughout the three courses of the pathway you will learn about employability skills, use of force, and the court system.
- Within the three courses you do more than just stay around in the classroom. There are multiple labs that take you out of the class. For example you will learn how to properly handle handcuffs, prepare for disasters, and have an in class mock trial.



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Skills USA is the Career Technical Student Organization (CTSO) for this pathway. Students will have opportunities to compete with other schools in the state and nationally. This CTSO also serves as a networking platform for students and offers scholarships for college.



**LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY,
CORRECTIONS AND
SECURITY PATHWAY**

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Introduction to Law and Justice Course 1

The first course in the pathway, “Intro to Law and Justice” is designed to provide students with an introduction to various agencies involved with public safety at the state, federal, and local levels.

This course will also introduce the criminal justice system and constitutional law.

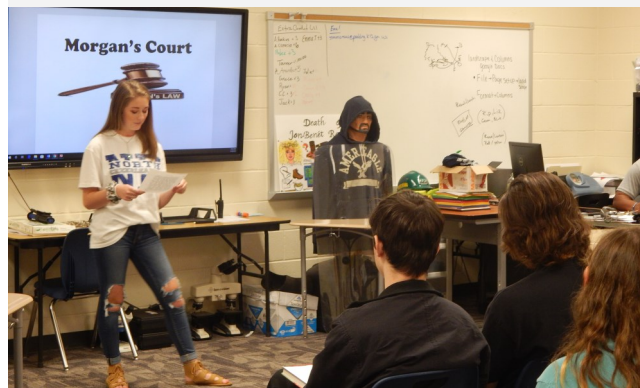


Criminal Justice Essentials Course 2

The second course in the pathway is “Criminal Justice Essentials” it will provide an overview of the criminal justice system.

Starting with historical perspectives of the origin of the systems, the course reviews the overall structure. Students will become immersed in criminal and constitutional law and will review basic law enforcement skills.

The course ends with a mock trial to provide participants with a first hand experience of the criminal justice system.



Criminal Investigations Course 3

Students will have the opportunity to explore the basic processes and principles of a criminal investigation. Students will learn about the legal responsibilities, challenges, and tasks of a Patrol Officer, Investigator, and Crime Scene Technician. Students will also learn the importance of preserving and documenting the crime scene along with the identification, collection, and processing of evidence and the contribution of the criminal investigation.

