

Students will examine the basic concepts of law related to citizens' rights and the responsibilities, and students will receive instruction in critical skill areas including: communicating with diverse groups, conflict resolution, ethics, CERT, basic firefighting, report writing, terrorism, civil and criminal law. Students will learn investigative techniques and crime scene investigation skills using the scientific method.

PATHWAY COURSES

- · Introduction to Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security
- Criminal Justice Essentials
- · Forensic Science and Criminal Investigations

RECOMMENDED COURSES

- Accounting
- Anatomy
- · Any health care science course
- Introduction to Business and Technology
- World Language
- Forensics Science Elective
- · Legal Environment of Business
- Wildlife Management
- · Work-Based Learning

POST-SECONDARY DEGREES, DIPLOMAS, AND CERTIFICATES

TECHNICAL COLLEGES

- Criminal Justice Technology
- Law Enforcement Technician

COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

- · Criminal Justice
- Criminology
- Pre-law

CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS





2024-2025 FCS Career and Technical Education

LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY, CORRECTIONS **& SECURITY CLUSTER**

LAW ENFORCEMENT/ **FORENSIC SCIENCE PATHWAY**

TOP CAREER CHOICES

Forensic Psychologist

Medical Degree \$143,000 annual salary

Forensic Investigator

Bachelor Degree \$72,000 annual salary

Police Officer

Postsecondary Certificate \$48,000 annual salary

ADDITIONAL CAREER CHOICES

Fingerprint Technician

Forensic Pathologist

Medical Examiner

Coroner

Evidence Technician

Detective

Sheriff's Officer

Special Agent



Source: GADOE Plans of Study

http://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/CTAE/Pages/Georgia-Career-Pathways-







