

LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY, CORRECTIONS AND SECURITY

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INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

- Crime Scene Investigation and Criminal Justice
- Criminal Justice
- Customer Service
- National Career Readiness
- Workplace Readiness Skills for the Commonwealth

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHWAYS

- Police Patrol Officer
- Detective
- Customs Inspector
- U.S. Marshal
- Forensic Science Technician
- Corrections Officer
- Dispatcher
- Correctional Treatment Specialist
- Probation/Parole Officer
- Loss Prevention Agent
- Private Investigator
- Security Officer
- Attorney
- Paralegal
- Legal Secretary
- Court Reporter
- Arbitrator

COLLEGE AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- ITT Tech www.itt-tech.edu/
- Know How Virginia www.knowhowvirginia.org/
- Tidewater Community College www.tcc.edu/
- College Board www.collegeboard.com/
- Virginia Career View www.vaview.vt.edu/
- Indeed Online Job Search <http://www.indeed.com/>
- Career Connection <http://jobs.hamptonroads.com/>

STARTING SALARY

\$36,200-\$60,270

Earning may vary by specialty

Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, *Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2016-17 Edition*, Police and Detectives, on the Internet at <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/protective-service/police-and-detectives.htm>



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

In this two-year program, students will learn the principles, techniques, and practices for pursuing careers within the criminal justice services system. Students will receive training in all of the following areas: Security and Protective Services, Legal Services, Law Enforcement Services, Security and Protective Services.

PROGRAM CONTENTS/SKILLS

- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Personal Qualities and People Skills
- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Professional Knowledge and Skills
- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Technology Knowledge and Skills
- Examining All Aspects of an Industry
- Addressing Elements of Student Life
- Practicing Safety
- Introducing the Criminal Justice System
- Preparing for a Career in Criminal Justice
- Understanding the Rule of Law
- Exploring Policing
- Investigating a Crime Scene
- Exploring the Courts
- Applying Criminal Justice Communication Skills
- Understanding Juvenile Justice
- Investigating a Crime Scene
- Exploring Corrections

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION contact (757) 892-3300 or schools.nps.k12.va.us/ntc

**The Criminal Justice course participates in the SkillsUSA co-curricular club.