

JUSTICE, COMMUNITY SAFETY & EMERGENCY SERVICES

Georgetown
District High School

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Justice, Community Safety & Emergency Services SHSM is designed to help students prepare and develop the skills necessary for pursuing careers in these areas. In these very competitive programs, it is critical that students demonstrate a commitment to their community at large and a genuine concern for others. Post-secondary institutions and recruiting officers are looking for individuals that have a broad range of experiences and skills that set them apart from others. Through the Justice, Community Safety & Emergency Services SHSM students will be exposed to many opportunities and challenges that extend beyond the classroom experience.

Experiential Learning Opportunities

- Trips to various JCSES related organizations and associations such as fire station, correctional facility, hospitals, and regional buildings
- Observe presentations related to different careers within the sector
- Complete 2 Cooperative Education credits
- Attend trips to colleges and universities
- Complete experiences related to math, coding or the design thinking process related to the JCSES sector

Related Careers

- Air Traffic Controller
- Correctional Officer
- Court Clerk
- Fire Fighter
- Lawyer
- Paralegal
- Paramedic
- Police Officer
- Security Management Specialist
- ...and more

Certifications & Training

- CPR Level C / AED Training & Standard First Aid / WHMIS
- Conflict Resolution
- Customer Service
- Ethical Consideration
- Fire Safety & Fire Extinguisher Use
- Leadership Skills
- Legal Terminology
- Mental Health Awareness
- Pleasure Craft Operator
- Self Defence
- Working at Heights
- ...and more

CREDITS

Course Package

Each SHSM program offers students a bundle of 8 - 10 credits. These courses are regular Ontario secondary school courses that allow students to work towards their Ontario Secondary School Diploma, but have been bundled as the most relevant courses to prepare students for a future in the justice, community safety and emergency services sector.

The Bundle Includes:

- **4 “major” credits** related to justice, community safety and emergency services in grade 11 and 12
- **Supporting credits**, which include Contextualized Learning Activities (opportunities for students to learn the subject in the context of the JCSES sector):
 - > 1 Grade 12 English credit
 - > 1 Grade 11 Math credit
 - > 1 Grade 11 or 12 Science, Business Studies or Social Sciences credit
 - > 2 Cooperative Education credits to experience life in the JCSES sector

Applying to the Justice, Community Safety & Emergency Services SHSM:

All students in Halton are able to attend the Justice, Community Safety & Emergency Services SHSM at Georgetown District High School in grade 11 and grade 12. Each student’s goals will be assessed and course selection will be determined based on their needs.

If you want to learn more about this program:

- Check out the Justice, Community Safety & Emergency Services SHSM at haltonpathways.ca
- Visit myblueprint.ca/halton
- Talk to Vanessa Hastie or Meghan Mansfield
- Come to a Pathways Planning Information Evening (see haltonpathways.ca for dates and times)

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