Navy JROTC is designed to teach high school students the value of citizenship, leadership and service to the community, personal responsibility and a sense of accomplishment, while instilling in them self esteem, teamwork and self-discipline. The curriculum focus is reflected in the mission to motivate young people to be better citizens.

Satisfactory completion of the program at the secondary level can give the student the life and career skills to significantly contribute to success in careers in government, private industry, entrepreneurship and non-profit organizations. It can also lead to advanced placement credit in the Senior ROTC program at an accredited college or university, or advanced rank in the armed forces. The military offers numerous credentials and licensing in many different and varied occupational fields.

**HIGH SCHOOL PATHWAY CLASSES**

**CADET FIELD MANUAL** combines information about military drill & ceremonies, uniform regulations, physical fitness, survival, leadership, & communications, and helps the student understand the mission, goals, and opportunities for the program. Introduction to NJROTC focuses on the understanding of our nation, our values, traditions, heritage, respect for our laws, and becoming responsible citizens.

**INTRODUCTION TO NJROTC** introduces students to the basic principles of leadership, which combined with the many opportunities for practical experience in the NJROTC program will prepare them for leadership roles in school and upon graduation. Students will gain an understanding of our nation, our values, traditions, heritage, respect for our laws, as well as becoming involved, responsible citizens.

**MARITIME HISTORY** develops the traits of citizenship and leadership in students, introduce cadets to the maritime history of the world and the United States from the American Revolution through the present time. The material includes Bosnia, the demise of the Soviet Union, and the September 11, 2001 terrorists’ attack upon the United States.

**CAPSTONE: WBL INTERNSHIP**

WBL (WORK-BASED LEARNING) connects skilled, knowledgeable and driven students to local businesses every year. Students who participate in the Government & Public Administration program and have been selected to participate in WBL will leave school early to work with our fantastic business partners. Benefits to students include a chance to put skills learned in the classroom to use in an authentic setting, getting a competitive advantage on their career and networking with industry leading professionals all while still in high school. [www.hallcowbl.org](http://www.hallcowbl.org)

**CAREER TECH STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

NJROTC: The NJROTC program was established by Public Law in 1964 and is conducted at accredited secondary schools throughout the nation, and taught by instructors who are retired Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard officers and enlisted personnel. NJROTC accredited curriculum emphasizes citizenship and leadership development, as well as our maritime heritage, the significance of sea power, and naval topics such as the fundamentals of naval operations, seamanship, navigation and meteorology. Classroom instruction is augmented throughout the year by extra-curricular activities of community service, academic, athletic, drill and orienteering competitions, field meets, flights, visits to naval or other activities, marksmanship sports training, and physical fitness training.

The program emphasizes the following attributes: patriotism; informed and responsible citizenship; respect for constructed authority; leadership potential; high school completion; promotion of higher education; community service; a high degree of personal honor, self-reliance, individual discipline and leadership; an understanding of the basic elements and need for national security; information on the military services as a possible career; an alternative to gangs; and incentive to live healthy and drug free.

**POTENTIAL CAREERS**

- County Commissioner
- Senator
- Representative
- Submarine Officer
- Munitions Officer & Specialist
- Intelligence Analyst
- City Manager
- Foreign Service Officer
- Ambassador
- Federal Aide Coordinator
- Census Enumerator
- Auditor
- Internal Revenue Investigator
- Election Supervisor
- Border Inspector

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JROTC NAVAL SCIENCE
CAREER PATHWAY - PLAN OF STUDY

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS
4 Units Must Include:
9th Grade Literature & American Literature

SOCIAL STUDIES
3 Units Must Include:
World History, US History, Government & Economics

MATHEMATICS
4 Units Must Include:
GSE Algebra I, GSE Geometry & GSE Algebra II

OR
GSE Accelerated Algebra I/Analytic Geometry A,
GSE Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II, GSE Precalculus

+ one additional GSE/AP/IB/DE Math course

SCIENCE
4 Units Must Include:
Physical Science or Physics; Biology;
Chemistry, Earth Systems, Environmental Science or AP/IB course

+ one additional Science course

HEALTH & PERSONAL FITNESS
1 Unit Must Include:
1/2 unit of each

CAREER, TECHNICAL & AGRICULTURE EDUCATION (CTAE)
3 Units Must include:
Cadet Field Manual, Introduction to NJROTC, Maritime History

ELECTIVES
4 Units
*Students planning to attend most post-secondary institutions must take 2 units of the same modern language.

TOTAL UNITS REQUIRED
23 Units

PERSONAL APTITUDES

ACTIVITIES THAT DESCRIBE WHAT I LIKE TO DO:
- Be involved in politics.
- Negotiate, defend, & debate topics
- Plan activities & work cooperatively with others.
- Work with details.
- Perform a variety of tasks that may change often.
- Analyze information & interpret it to others.

PERSONAL QUALITIES THAT DESCRIBE ME:
- Good communicator
- Competitive
- Service minded
- Well organized
- Problem solver
- Interested in travel

WHAT YOU LEARN IN SCHOOL MATTERS
You’re learning skills and knowledge that can make you a qualified candidate for in-demand careers. Industry-recognized certifications, available to all pathway students, are great signals to employers that you have the skills they’re looking for. Certifications help validate what you know, so other people know, that you know it.

QUESTIONS?
Contact your CTAE teacher, WBL Coordinator or School Counselor

PATHWAY TO FUTURE CAREER OPTIONS

HIGH SCHOOL
Pathway Courses
- Cadet Field Manual
- Introduction to NJROTC
- Maritime History

Capstone
- WBL Internship
- Dual Enrollment

POST-SECONDARY
Technical College
- Certificate
- Diploma Program
- Degree Program

4 Year College/University
- Bachelor Degree
- Masters Degree
- Graduate Studies