



Career Pathways offer new ways to achieve your education goals. Instead of studying just one program, the Career Pathways model links related academic programs in a sequence. Each program offers direct job preparation AND a path to the next higher academic program.

Criminal Justice

The Criminal Justice program provides students with training in protecting lives and property, as well as preserving the peace while upholding the law. Students are trained to investigate accident and crime scenes and carry out long-term investigations leading to the prosecution of criminal offenders, while studying strategies to maintain the confidence of the public by displaying professional conduct.

PATHWAY CERTIFICATES

INVESTMENT = EDUCATION

Emergency Telecommunications 14 credits

How fast can I complete a certificate?
 6 semesters = 3 credits/semester
 3 semesters = 6 credits/semester
 1 semester = 14 credits/semester

RETURN = JOB

Job Title Examples *Median Salary**
 Switchboard Operator \$37,128

TECHNICAL DIPLOMA

INVESTMENT = EDUCATION

Security Operations 30 credits

How fast can I complete this AFTER finishing a certificate?
 6 semesters = 3 credits/semester
 3 semesters = 6 credits/semester
 2 semesters = 9 credits/semester

RETURN = JOB

Job Title Example *Median Salary**
 Security Guard \$38,730

ASSOCIATE DEGREE

INVESTMENT = EDUCATION

Law Enforcement 66 credits

How fast can I complete this AFTER finishing the diploma?
 6 semesters = 6 credits/semester
 3 semesters = 12 credits/semester
 2 semesters = 17 credits/semester

RETURN = JOB

Job Example *Median Salary**
 Sheriff & Deputy Sheriff \$47,944

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