



Career Cluster: Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security

Career Pathway: Protective Services

JUNIOR HIGH / MIDDLE SCHOOL			
College and Career Awareness			
HIGH SCHOOL			
SUPPORTING COURSES: Suggested high school courses that support the Career Pathway (Courses DO NOT count towards the Pathway)			
Business Law *	Cyber Forensics *	Emergency Medical Technician *	Principles of Cyber Defense and Ethics
Commercial Photography 1 *	Emergency Medical Response *	Medical Forensics	
EXPLORER COURSES: Choose one or more of the following courses.			
Behavioral Health, Intro +	Exploring Computer Science	Information Technology, Intro +	
Business Leadership 1 *	Fire Science, Introduction	Law Enforcement *	
Criminal Justice, Intro *	Health Science, Intro	Unmanned Aerial Systems	
CONCENTRATOR COURSES: To be a concentrator you must pass one of the following courses AND one explorer course.			
Corrections *	Fire Science, Safety and Survival		
Criminal Law *	Fire Science, Fire Behavior and Combustion		
COMPLETER COURSES: To be a completer you must pass a concentrator course and enough courses to equal 3.0 credits in this Pathway.			
Careers in Criminal Justice *			
CTE Internship	Apprenticeship		
POSTSECONDARY: There are many options for education and training beyond high school.			
Utah System of Higher Education: ushe.edu (Utah's public colleges and universities)		UtahMajors.org: Majors Guide	

* concurrent enrollment course + recommended explorer course

HIGH SCHOOL TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING

There are several options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.

	Certificate	2-Year Associate Degree	4-Year Bachelor's Degree
	> Firefighter > First-Line Supervisor of Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers	N/A	> CTE Teacher > Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Teachers, postsecondary

Career and Technical Education provides all students access to high-quality, rigorous career-focused programs that result in attainment of credentials with labor market value. [Credentials of Value](#)

Utah CTE classes are open to all qualified students without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age.

Student Testimonial

“CTE Pathways will give you a lifetime’s worth of knowledge. When you take a CTE course put effort into it and don’t take it for granted.”

Weston Brierley
 Future Utah Highway Patrol Officer

LEARN MORE ABOUT OCCUPATIONS AND WAGES

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UtahCTE.org: [Fact Sheet](#)
 Department of Workforce Services
[Utah Occupational Explorer](#)

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are the Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSO) for the students in the Protective Services Career Pathway.

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