

# LAW ENFORCEMENT/ CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS PATHWAY



*This pathway is designed to provide students with career-focused educational opportunities in various public safety fields. Each course has elements which cover tactics, methods, and skills utilized in law enforcement and other public safety organizations.*

### PATHWAY COURSES

- Introduction to Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security
- Criminal Justice Essentials
- Criminal Investigations

### RECOMMENDED COURSES

- Accounting
- Anatomy
- Any health care science course
- Introduction to Business and Technology
- World Language
- Forensics Science Elective
- Legal Environment of Business
- Wildlife Management
- Work-Based Learning

### POST-SECONDARY DEGREES, DIPLOMAS, AND CERTIFICATES

#### TECHNICAL COLLEGES

- Criminal Justice Technology
- Law Enforcement Technician

#### COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

- Criminal Justice
- Criminology
- Pre-law

### CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS



- Alliance Academy for Innovation
- Denmark High School
- East Forsyth High School
- Forsyth Central High School
- Forsyth Virtual Academy
- Lambert High School
- North Forsyth High School
- South Forsyth High School
- West Forsyth High School

### TOP CAREER CHOICES

#### Corrections Officer

Moderate-Term On-the-Job Training needed  
\$27,498 annual salary  
470 annual average openings in Georgia

#### Forensic Science Technician

Associate Degree needed  
\$35,818 annual salary  
20 annual average openings in Georgia

#### Lawyer

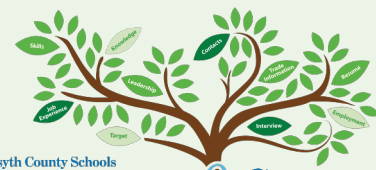
First Professional Degree needed  
\$115,960 annual salary  
460 annual average openings in Georgia

#### Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officer

Long-Term On-the-Job Training needed  
\$35,402 annual salary  
910 annual average openings in Georgia

### ADDITIONAL CAREER CHOICES

- Attorney
- Bailiff
- Border Patrol
- Correctional Officer/Jailer
- Crime Scene Investigator
- Detective
- Dispatcher and Communications Officer
- Forest Ranger and Game Warden
- Judge
- Paralegal
- Parole Officer
- Police Officer
- Private Detective and Investigator
- Private Security Guard
- Probation Officer
- Sheriff's Deputy
- Special Agent
- State Trooper



Forsyth County Schools  
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Career Pathways Showcase  
and Career Expo  
*Discovery*



Source: GADOE Plans of Study

<http://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/CTAE/Pages/Georgia-Career-Pathways-New-Rule.aspx>