Career Clusters & Pathways

Focusing Education on the Future!
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Focuses on those careers that are unique to government and not contained in another area.

Virtually every occupation can be found within government.

State and local government is projected to increase approximately 12 percent during the next decade.
Necessary Skills and Traits

- Solid background in social studies, political science, foreign language and history
- Ability to communicate with others
- Ability to inspire trust and confidence
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Pathway Major Courses

3 + 1

To complete a pathway, one must take THREE Pathway Required Concentration Courses and ONE additional Pathway Elective Course.

Pathway Concentration Courses (3)
- JROTC Naval Science I – Cadet Field Manual (Required)
- JROTC Naval Science II – Introduction
- JROTC Naval Science III – Maritime History
- JROTC Naval Science IV – Nautical Sciences

Pathway Elective Courses (1)
- JROTC Naval Science V – Naval Knowledge
- JROTC Naval Science VI – Naval Orientation & Skills
- JROTC Naval Science VII – Naval Leadership & Ethics
- JROTC Naval Science VIII – Effective Communications
- Other Pathway Concentration Course
Other Recommended Electives

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- Communications for Business
- Comparative Religions
- Current Issues
- Foreign Language
- Foundations of Public Safety
- Peer Leadership
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Speech
- World Geography
Post-Secondary Degrees, Diplomas & Certificates

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Technical Colleges
- Advanced Leadership and Management
- Leadership Development
- Management Specialist
- Supervisory Specialist
- Team Leader Specialist

Colleges/Universities
- International Relations
- Leadership Development
- Management
- Military Science - ROTC
Careers in National Security

- National Security Advisor
- Electronic Warfare Operations
- Air Defense Artillery
- Munitions
- Military Intelligence
- Submarine Officer
- Combat Aircraft Pilot/Crew
- Agent/Specialist
- Staff or Field Office
- Combat Operations
- Special Forces
- Nuclear Weapons
- Signals Intelligence
- Combat Control Officer
- Airborne Warning/Control Specialist
- Intelligence Analyst
- Officer/Specialist
- Infantry Field Artillery
- Armor
- Missile and Space Systems
- Surface Ship Warfare Officer
- Combat Engineer
- Intelligence/Counterintelligence
- Cryptographer
Enlistment and officer accessions in the military services is expected to remain steady through the year 2010.

The need to replace officers and enlisted personnel who retire or reach the end of their obligated service will produce numerous job openings annually. The most successful job applicants will have some post-secondary education.

Enlistees who have completed four courses in Naval Science are eligible for entry at an advanced rank/pay grade.
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