Law & Justice Academy

@ Lexington Junior High & Cypress High School

Can a student be college ready, earn the Seal of Biliteracy, and complete a pathway?

YES! In fact, the completion of ALL three helps a student be better prepared for higher education AND more competitive for scholarships and in college admissions.

	7 th Grade	8 th Grade	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade		12 th Grade
Coursework	Speech Communication 1	Speech Communication 2	Introduction to Criminal Justice	Legal Practices Emphasis: Civil Law in a Civil Society	Legal Practices Emphasis: Advanced Civil Law		College Credit Course
				Public Safety Emphasis: Criminal Investigation	College Credit Course		
	English P/HP	English P/HP	English P/HP	English P/HP	English P/AP		English P/AP
	Math P/HP	Math P/HP	Math P/HP	Math P/HP	Math P/HP		Math P/HP
	Science P/HP	Science P/HP	Biology P/HP	Chemistry P/HP	Science Elective P/HP/AP		Elective
	History P/HP	History P/HP	PE	PE	US History P/AP		Government/ Economics P/AP
	Elective	World Language/ Elective	World Language	World Language	World Language		Visual/ Performing Art
	PE	PE	Summer School/ eLearning: Health	Zero Period/ Summer School/ eLearning: World History	N/A		N/A
College Credit		Dual Enrollment- Cypress College COUN 150 C: Academic & Life Success		Dual Enrollment- Cypress College AJ 110 C: Introduction to Criminal Justice AJ 120 C: Concepts of Criminal Law AJ 140 C: Criminal Investigation AJ 160 C: Community & the Justice System		Articulation Fullerton College Introduction to Criminal Justice = AJ 100F Introduction to Law Enforcement (16/17, 18/19)	
Work Based Learning	AIME Career Exploration		AIME Career Mentoring		AIME Internship		
Enrichment	Peer Court Speech & Debate Tolerance Summit MIKVA Curriculum		College Visits Civic Engagement Projects Speech & Debate Mock Trial				









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Benefits of Taking this Pathway

Learn real world life skills that YOU WILL USE concerning relationships, family, employment, politics, finances, crimes, defenses, self-empowerment, Constitutional rights, human rights, adult legal responsibilities, and MUCH MORE...

Acquire job skills that will propel you onto a successful career path. Legal employment is an intriguing, secure, and financially beneficial career choice. It is not only incredibly interesting, but it is a chance to help those around you.

Determine how to become involved in your world and how to fight for justice and fairness. Become an advocate for what you believe in.

Examine what rights you have and how you can utilize them when needed. Discover your Constitutional rights AND your human rights.

Explore the human mind and find out what makes good people do bad things. Using real cases, real crimes, and real punishments, we will explore the legal system and its consequences.

Have the opportunity to intern in a law firm and get professional employment skills to enhance your resume and college applications.

Students will complete a professional career portfolio that includes an application, resume, cover letter, follow-up letter, letters of recommendation, answers to most common interview questions, and any official legal work product the student completed in class as work samples. This will not only prepare the students for the workforce, but it will give them a competitive edge to advance.

Want More Information?

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Workforce Potential

Lawyer \$171,550
Paralegal/ Legal Assistant \$61,240
Mediators \$55,590
Court Reporters \$87,750
Judges \$178,700
Police Officers \$101,380
Detective \$107,120
Correctional Officer \$75,400
Security Guard \$33,070

Other Occupations in this area:

Legal clerk Secret Service
Law Firm employee Border patrol/ Immigration

Political office services

Social worker Forestry Service/ Park Ranger Government agencies Fish and Game Department

Court employees Security officer
Court Clerk Bodyguard

Bailiff Crime Scene Investigator

Officer/Office employee Forensic Scientist Real Estate
CIA Health Care
ATF The Armed Forces
IRS Homeland Security

President of the United Department of Justice

States

Local College Programs

Pledge Partners
Cypress College
Fullerton College
California State University,
Fullerton
University of California,
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Other Local Schools
Cerritos College
Chapman University
Claremont McKenna College
Golden West College
Santa Ana College
University of California,
Los Angeles
University of San Diego

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