# Government, Public Administration & Law Program of Study

**Farmington High School Career Cluster Program of Study**

This Program of Study Template can serve as a guide, along with other career planning materials, as you continue your career path. Courses listed within this plan are only recommended coursework and should be individualized to meet each learner’s educational and career goals. **Ask your high school counselor to help you fill in the required courses you need to graduate.**

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<th>Grade</th>
<th>English (8 semesters)</th>
<th>Math (6 semesters)</th>
<th>Science (6 semesters)</th>
<th>Social Studies (6 semesters)</th>
<th>Other Required Courses, Recommended Electives</th>
<th>Career &amp; Technical Courses and/or Degree Major Courses</th>
<th>SAMPLE Occupations Relating to this Pathway</th>
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| 9     | Comm Arts I           | High School Math   | High School Science Course | High School SS Course | Personal Finance Computer Science Criminal Justice Courses | Check high school counselor for additional course offerings | ► Ambassador  
► Bank Examiner  
► City Manager  
► Combat Control Officer  
► Commissioner  
► Cryptographer  
► Election Supervisor  
► Elected Official  
► Foreign Service Officer  
► Immigration Officer  
► Intelligence Analyst  
► Internal Revenue Investigator  
► Lobbyist  
► National Security Advisor  
► Planner  
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| 11    | Comm Arts III & Comm Arts elective  
*English Comp I  
*Public Speaking  
*College Algebra  
*Social Science Stats  
*College General Biology  
*Oceanography or Astronomy  
*History & Government  
*Am History I  
*Am History II  
*College S.S. Electives | Pre-College Algebra or high school math course  
*College Algebra  
*Social Science Stats  
*College General Biology  
*Oceanography or Astronomy  
*History & Government  
*Am History I  
*Am History II  
*College S.S. Electives | High School SS Electives – History & Government  
*Am History I  
*Am History II  
*College S.S. Electives | *Personal Finance  
*Computer Science  
*CJ Electives  
*Gen Chem  
*Psychology  
*Sociology  
*Geography  
*(Available for Dual Enrollment) | Check with your high school counselor for course offerings at MAC  
*College Forensics, College Intro to Criminal Justice, College Intro to Courts, College American Political Systems  
*University of Michigan, Criminal Justice, American Studies, Political Science  
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| 12    | Senior Comm Arts & Comm Arts elective  
*English Comp II  
*Intro to Literature  
*College Algebra  
*Social Science Stats  
*College Intro to Chem  
*Oceanography or Astronomy  
*History & Government  
*Am. History I  
*Am History II  
*College S.S. Electives | Pre-College Algebra or high school math course  
*College Algebra  
*Social Science Stats  
*College Intro to Chem  
*Oceanography or Astronomy  
*History & Government  
*Am. History I  
*Am History II  
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*Dual Credit courses can often be substituted for high school credit. Check with your Counselor.*

*Dual Enrollment College courses can be taken on a MAC campus or online.*

**Assessments/Certifications:** College Placement Assessments, Compass, ACT, SAT

** Clubs/Extracurricular Activities:** Ask your Counselor what is available at your school.

**CTSO(s):** □ HOSA  □ FBLA  □ FCCLA  □ FFA  □ TSA  □ Skills USA

**Work-Based Learning:** □ After School Employment  □ Internship/Mentorship  □ Job Shadowing  □ Service Learning  □ Supervised Business Experience
Executing governmental functions to include Governance; National Security; Foreign Service; Planning; Revenue and Taxation; Regulation; and Management and Administration at the local, state, and federal levels.

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<th>Sample Career Specialties / Occupations</th>
<th>National Security Advisor</th>
<th>Ambassador</th>
<th>Business/Enterprise Official</th>
<th>Assessor</th>
<th>Business Regulation Investigator</th>
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<td>President</td>
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<td>Chief of Vital Statistics — Commissioner</td>
<td>Tax Auditor</td>
<td>Chief of Field Operations</td>
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<td>Vice President</td>
<td>Officer/Specialist</td>
<td>Consular Officer</td>
<td>Director (Various Agencies)</td>
<td>Internal Revenue Investigator</td>
<td>Code Inspector/Officer Director</td>
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<td>Governor</td>
<td>Electronic Warfare</td>
<td>Administrative Officer</td>
<td>Economic Development Coordinator</td>
<td>Revenue Agent/Officer</td>
<td>Equal-Opportunity Officer</td>
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<td>Political Officer</td>
<td>Federal Aid Coordinator</td>
<td>Tax Examiner/Assistant/Clerk</td>
<td>Inspector</td>
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<td>Mayor</td>
<td>Combat Operations</td>
<td>Diplomatic Courier</td>
<td>Census Clerk</td>
<td>Inspector General</td>
<td>Investigator/Examiner</td>
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<td>Infantry Field</td>
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Cluster Knowledge and Skills

- Academic Foundations
- Communications
- Problem Solving and Critical Thinking
- Information Technology
- Systems
- Safety
- Health and Environment
- Leadership and Teamwork
- Ethics and Legal Responsibilities
- Employability and Career Development
- Technical Skills
- Fiscal Responsibilities