

Career & Technical Education

The mission of Career & Technical Education is to prepare students to succeed in high demand occupations within the 21st century's competitive global economy and to provide students with the academic skills necessary to continue their education in post-secondary schools. Career & Technical Education can help students explore their potential and establish future career goals. Students can use the Career Programs of Study to choose courses that interest them.

Frisco ISD Career & Technical Education Center

The Frisco ISD CTE Center houses advanced CTE courses for Frisco ISD high school students. The Center will allow students to explore post-secondary and career options at an increased academic level with a relevant, industry-standard learning experience. The Frisco ISD CTE Center allows a student to pursue an interest rather than make a life-long commitment. This allows an opportunity for students to choose courses that truly interest them, providing a meaningful connection to the curriculum and school.

Programs of Study—Career Clusters Offered at the CTE Center

Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
Architecture & Construction
Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
Business Management & Administration
Education & Training
Finance
Government & Public Administration
Health Science
Hospitality & Tourism
Human Services
Information Technology
Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
Marketing
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics



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It is the policy of Frisco ISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security



Courses Available

Emergency Communications & Dispatch (CTEC)

(1 credit) 11th–12th grade

Prerequisite: Law Enforcement or Security Services, or Correctional Services

This course provides the knowledge and skills necessary to prepare for a career in law enforcement. This course includes the ethical and legal responsibilities, operation of police and emergency telecommunication equipment, and courtroom testimony.

Correctional Services (CTEC)

(1 credit) 11th–12th grade

Prerequisite: Security Services or Law Enforcement

In Correctional Services, students prepare for certification required for employment as a correctional officer. The student will learn the role and responsibilities of a correctional officer; discuss relevant rules, regulations, and laws; and discuss defensive tactics, restraint techniques, and first aid procedures as used in the correctional setting. The student will analyze rehabilitation and alternatives to institutionalization.

Forensic Science (CTEC)

(1 credit) 12th grade

Prerequisite: Law Enforcement, Security Services, or Correctional Services

Forensic Science is a course that uses a structured and scientific approach to the investigation of crimes of assault, abuse and neglect, domestic violence, accidental death, homicide, and the psychology of criminal behavior. Students will learn terminology and investigative procedures related to crime scene, questioning, interviewing, criminal behavior characteristics, truth detection, and scientific procedures used to solve crimes. Using scientific methods, students will collect and analyze evidence through case studies and simulated crime scenes such as fingerprint analysis, ballistics, and blood spatter analysis. Students will learn the history, legal aspects, and career options for forensic science. This course may count as a science credit.

Law Enforcement (CTEC)

(1 credit) 10th–12th grade

Prerequisite: Survey of Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security

Law Enforcement I is an overview of the history, organization, and functions of local, state, and federal law enforcement. This course includes the role of constitutional law, the United States legal system, criminal law, law enforcement terminology, and the classification and elements of crime.

Practicum in Law Enforcement 12th grade (CTEC)

(2 credits) 12th grade

Prerequisite: Emergency Communications & Dispatch Correctional Services or Court Systems & Practices

The Practicum is designed to give students supervised practical application of previously studied knowledge and skills. Practicum experiences can occur in a variety of locations appropriate to the nature and level of experience.

Security Services (CTEC)

(1 credit) 10th–12th grade

Prerequisite: Survey of Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security

Security Services provides the knowledge and skills necessary to prepare for certification in security services. The course provides an overview of security elements and types of organizations with a focus on security measures used to protect lives, property, and proprietary information.

Survey of Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security (CTEC)

(1/2 credit) 9th–12th grade

Prerequisite: None

Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security introduces students to professions in law enforcement, security, corrections, and fire and emergency management services. Students will examine the roles and responsibilities of police, courts, corrections, private security, and protective agencies of fire and emergency services. The course provides students with an overview of the skills necessary for careers in law enforcement, fire service, security, and corrections.

CPR certification in
Survey of LPSCS
course



Get CPR trained.
Save a life.



911 Operator
Training & Certification
with the Emergency
Communications &
Dispatch Course

Internship opportunity with
Practicum in Law Enforcement



Forensic Science can be
your 4th year science.



"I learned a lot about crimes in Texas and the punishments for them." - Lauren

"The information I learned in these courses will help me in every day life, even if I don't have a career in Law Enforcement.." - Kayla

"This class shows me what's it's really like to work in law enforcement." - Daniel