

Career & Technical Education (CTE)

INTRO TO EMERGENCY SERVICES

Grades: 11-12

Credits: .5 FA credit

Repeat for Credit: No

Prerequisite: No

Other: RCC Credits may be available

Intro to Emergency Services explores the organization, funding, and role of emergency services within the community and government. The course covers an overview of emergency medical services and fire protection services, legal and professional considerations regarding emergency response, emergency services personnel, history and trends of emergency services, evaluation and planning, disaster response, and training, leadership, and career development within emergency services.

Students will also participate in team building evolutions, creation of resumes, cover letters, and conduct research on careers in the emergency services arena and make presentations on their findings.

Students will participate in hands-on training on the use of ground ladders, fire hose deployment, and basic low angle rope rescue knots and techniques and patient packaging.