

# **INSTRUCTOR:** LISA PEARSON pearsoli@hsd.k12.or.us

## For students interested in:

- Leadership skills
- Public service
- Government
- History

- Law
- Education
- Social Work

#### SEQUENCE OF COURSES

Please refer to HSD course catalog for more information

Required courses (complete 1 credit): 1. Psychology .5 credit 2. AP Psychology 1.0 credit 3. AP Human Geography 1.0 credit 4. AP Government 1.0 credit 5. Topics in Literature .5 credit 6. Ethnic Studies .5 credit 7. Communications .5 credit 8. AP English Literature & Composition 1.0 credit



Graduation

Required course: Civic & Community Services 1 1 credit 11th grade

## **SOME LOCAL COLLEGES & MAJORS**

- PCC- Associate of Applied Science: Criminal Justice, Paralegal or Nursing, Career Pathway Certificate: Corrections Technician
- **OSU** Pre-Law Program, Bachelors of Science: Psychology or Social Science
- PSU- Bachelors of Science: Criminology and Criminal Justice, Political Science- Public Service, Psychology, Social Science, Social Work or Sociology
- U of O- Bachelors of Science: Planning, Public Policy & Management, Psychology or Family and Human Services, Juris Doctorate Degree
- Linfield College— Bachelors of Science: Psychology or Sociology

# **PATHWAY TEACHES STUDENTS TO:**

- Understand human behavior exploring topics such as memory, personality, emotions & mental illness
- Explore the dimensions of civil and criminal laws, current legal trends and constitutional interpretations as they apply to individual rights.
- Gain a better understanding of society by analyzing the nature and structure of society
- Explore topics such as race, ethnicity, nationality and culture in the United States
- Engage with different and new perspectives and approaches to politics

## **CAREER POSSIBILITIES & SALARY RANGES**

• Lawyer	\$73,050 - \$139,402
Local Government Worker	Varied
<ul> <li>Psychologist</li> </ul>	\$45,310 - \$125,770
Social Worker	\$38,605 - \$59,592
• Licensed Teacher	\$47,907 - \$79,804
• Probation Officer	\$25,820 - \$55,420
• Law Enforcement Officer	\$60,757 - \$73,050

#### POTENTIAL LOCAL EMPLOYERS

- City of Hillsboro
- Hillsboro Police **Department**
- Hillsboro School **District**
- State of Oregon
- Washington County **Corrections Center**
- OHSU
- Community Action **Organization**