The Government and Public Administration program of study explores the occupations and educational opportunities associated with examining, evaluating, and investigating conformity with laws and regulations. This program of study will also explore the opportunities related to developing comprehensive plans and programs for use of land and physical facilities of jurisdictions, such as towns, cities, counties, and metropolitan areas.

The Law and Public Service Career Cluster focuses on planning, managing, and providing legal services, public safety, protective services, and homeland security, including professional and technical support services. Students will examine the roles and responsibilities of police, courts, corrections, private security, and protective agencies of fire and emergency services.

Successful completion of the Government and Public Administration program of study will fulfill requirements of the Public Service Endorsement. Revised - July 2020

### Work Based Learning and Expanded Learning Opportunities

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<td>Attend local council and board meetings, Texas Public Service Association</td>
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### Occupations

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