

Career exploration is an important component of a student's experience at Spring Lake Park Schools. Beginning in high school, students can select courses within three Career Pathways that each align with areas of job growth. Courses provide students an opportunity to gain real-world experience, determine if a career path aligns with their interests, and earn college-level credit.

Students can sample courses in many pathways and/or take all the courses within a single pathway. Pathways courses help students prepare for additional post-secondary education, training or work opportunities after high school.



The **12x12 symbol** indicates if college credit is available.



Business and Entrepreneurship

Exposure to marketing, finance, leadership, business management and other sectors.

- Personal Money Management (grades 9-12)
- Sports and Entertainment Marketing (grades 9-12)
- Foundations of Business (grades 9-12)
- Accounting 1 & 2 (grades 10-12)
- Foundational Leadership (grades 10-12)
- DECA Coffee Shop (grades 10-12)
- Marketing & Entrepreneurship with English Research & Communication (grades 11-12)
- Internship (grade 12)



Technology, Engineering and Design

Exposure to and experience in the world of modern technology.

Computer Science

- Epic Design in Game-Making (grades 7-8)
- Intro to Coding (grades 9-12)
- 3D Video Game Design and Development (grades 10-12)
- AP Computer Science Principles (grades 10-12)

Engineering

- Introduction to Engineering Design (grade 9-12)
- Engineering Essentials (grades 9-12)
- Principles of Engineering (grades 10-12)

Digital, Design & Making

- How to Make Almost Anything (grades 9-12)
- Digital Art & Design (grades 9-12)
- How to Make Almost Anything 2 (grades 11-12)
- Introduction to Construction Trades (grades 9-12)
- Construction Trades (grades 11-12, must be age 16)
- Reading & Writing in the Digital Age (grades 10-12)



Health and Human Services

Exposure to careers that meet the basic needs of our communities, including the health of individuals and families, wellness and education.

Human Services and Education

- Teacher Education Course (grades 11-12)
- Child Development 1 and 2 (grades 11-12)

Sports & Exercise Science

- Health & Sport Performance (grades 11-12)
- Exercise Science (grade 12)

Opportunities in Emergency Care Program

- First Aid/CPR (grades 9-12)
- Nursing Assistant-Registered (grades 10-12)
- Emergency Medical Responder (grades 11-12)
- Emergency Medical Technician 1 & 2 (grades 11-12)
- EMT Internship (grade 12)
- Fire/Rescue Technician (grade 12)
- Firefighter 1 (grade 12)