

# Legal Studies @GPHS

*Why join this program?*

**Explore your interest in law**  
(as seen on tv)

**Fieldtrips to meet legal professionals**

**Mentoring throughout the program**

**Off-Campus internship for qualifying seniors**

### Courses for High School Credit

9th -Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security

10th -Court Systems and Practices  
-Legal Research and Writing

11th -Adv. Legal Skills and Professions  
-Business Law

12th -Practicum in Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security

### Aligned Advanced Academic Courses

AP or Dual Credit courses are available to you by counselor and teacher suggestion.

### Aligned Industry-Based Certifications

- General Management
- Administrative Assisting

### Example Aligned Occupations

- Court Reporters
- Paralegals and Legal Assistants
- Lawyers



The Legal studies program introduces students to the occupations and educational opportunities related to representing clients in criminal and civil litigation. the program also explores specializing in specific areas of law. You will learn skills like the Constitutional Law, Criminal and civil Law, Trial Processm, Legal Arguments and Public Speaking.

### Colleges that offer law studies majors

- Texas Tech University
- Baylor University
- Texas A&M University

### Postsecondary Opportunities

- Associate's Degrees
  - Paralegal Studies
  - Court Reporting & Captioning
- Bachelor's Degrees
  - Legal Research
  - Legal Studies
- Master's and Doctoral Degrees
  - Juris Doctorate
  - International and Comparative Law

