

Smyrna High School

Pathways

What is a career pathway?

Career pathways are courses that are aligned to career goals. They provide students with the opportunity to gain authentic industry-related knowledge & skills that prepare them for the workforce & postsecondary education.

Smyrna High School offers over 20 pathways, and each pathway offers three or more levels that must be taken in sequential order. Many of our pathways offer industry certifications or dual-enrollment credit with local higher education institutions.

How many pathways do students need to complete?

Students must finish 3 years of courses within the same pathway as part of Smyrna School District graduation requirements. Students may be able to complete two pathways during their high school career.

Students will select their top 2 pathway choices and 5 alternate choices on their 9th grade course selection sheet. It is very important that students take care in ranking their pathway choices as they may not always be able to be placed in their first choice.

How can I learn more about pathways offered at Smyrna High School?

Visit our website to explore our career pathways, courses that fit within each pathway, as well as dual-enrollment and certification opportunities that may be offered. On our website, students can also learn about extracurricular opportunities and future career possibilities that are connected to our pathways.

[Visit our website](#) for more resources about courses offered at Smyrna High School!

