

# LAW AND PUBLIC POLICY ACADEMY



## C.K. McClatchy High School

<http://www.mcclatchyhs.net/academics/programs.htm>

916-264-4400

### Mission

Immerse students in cross-curricular law and public policy based projects and activities, a rigorous academic course of study that provides avenues to success for all students, while providing work based learning experiences, and college and career planning throughout high school.

### Description

The Law and Public Policy Academy courses are taught through the lens of the law. Students study the history of the legal system, analyze DNA using forensic evidence, learn the methods behind the prosecution of criminals, and analyze and draft legal documents. Students also participate in mock trials and debate competitions.



*Law and Public Policy field trip to the California Supreme Court*

Increasing  
*creative confidence*  
through  
**Linked Learning**

WHAT I LIKE  
ABOUT **my**  
**pathway**

### Pathway Student Outcomes

Academy graduates are knowledgeable about law and public policy, can apply relevant legal concepts, communicate effectively, and critically assess and evaluate arguments and perspectives, while exhibiting leadership, compassion, respect and professionalism.

**"We learn more than law, we learn about real life."**

—Sandra Morales

"I really like the **field trips and guest speakers**, it helps to make our **learning real.**"

—Bout Khang

"I had a **great experience** this summer with my internship. It was really **cool working in an attorney's office** and **experiencing firsthand** what it would be like to be a real attorney."

—Robin Reed

**"We are more than an academy, we are family"**

—Cinthia Alvarez

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SUBJECT	HIGH SCHOOL COURSES			RELATED OCCUPATIONS
	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup> 12 <sup>th</sup>	
English	Academy English 9	Academy English 10	Academy Honors American Lit.	Civil Litigator Court Reporter District Attorney Judicial Clerk Lawyer Legal Analyst Legal Assistants Lobbyist Para Legal Policy Analyst
Math	Algebra/ Geometry	Geometry/ Algebra II	Algebra II/ Pre-Calculus	
Science	Physical Science	Biology	Chemistry	
History and Social Science	Academy Geography/CGI	Academy World History	Academy U.S. History	
Foreign Language and Art	Fine Arts, 3 years Foreign Language			
Career Technical Courses	Forensic Science	CTE Law and Equity I	CTE Law and Equity II	
Work Based Learning Opportunities	Community Service	Community Service	Work Site Visit	
Physical Education	Freshmen P.E.	Independent Study P.E.	Journey for Justice	
			Senior Project, Internship	
			Economics	

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