



Academy for Government & Leadership

In partnership with
Madison School District



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What is an Academy Program?

A full-time, comprehensive high school program with a focus on Career and Technical Education (CTE) classes in their respective career area. Part-time programs are also available.

- Currently 19 Academy Programs within the Morris County Vocational School District
 - 11 stationed at the Denville Campus
 - 8 satellite programs (Randolph, Jefferson, Madison, Morris Hills, Morris Knolls, Roxbury)
- Students across Morris County can apply
 - Competitive application process including the review of grades, recommendations, personal video submission, and an admissions test
 - Deadline to submit all application materials is December 10, 2021
 - Decisions made in late January to early February
- Accepted students become full time Madison High School students
 - Earn a Morris County Vocational School District Diploma

Why Develop an Academy Program?

- Benefits for Madison High School
 - Creates new programs to provide new opportunities for students
 - Enhances current programs and supports for students
 - Expands and grows the Senior Internship Program
 - Increases revenue to further improve programs and add staffing
- Madison Student Participation in MCVSD Academies
 - 27 Madison students currently attend a full-time Academy program at another school
 - 5 Madison High School students participate in a shared time program
 - Cost to the Madison School District - Approximately \$400,000 (including transportation)

Academy for Government & Leadership Overview

The Academy for Government & Leadership at Madison High School educates students in all aspects of governance including public policy, public administration, ethics, and international relations. Students take a deep dive into US government operations and examine the role that politics plays in shaping our country.

- ***Extra Curricular Opportunities*** - Student Council, Class Council, DECA, Junior States of America, Harvard Model Congress
- ***Wide Array of Academic Options*** - Both AP and non AP electives, Senior Internship, College Option
- ***Robust Service Learning Program*** - Day of Service



Academy for Government & Leadership Courses

COURSES:

FRESHMAN YEAR

All core Graduation
Requirements and:

Career Technical Education:

Leadership & Ethics
(Semester)

Intro to Public
Administration
(Semester)

SOPHOMORE YEAR

All core Graduation
Requirements and:

Career Technical Education:

Intro to Public Policy
(Semester)

International Relations &
Diplomacy (Semester)

JUNIOR YEAR

All core Graduation
Requirements and:

Career Technical Education:

Intro to American
Government & Politics (FY)

Or

AP American Government
& Politics (FY)

SENIOR YEAR

All core Graduation
Requirements Or:

College Option:

Eligible Seniors may complete their
Senior coursework in full or in part
at the County College of Morris

Career Technical Education:

Senior Internship
(FY - 15 credits)

Questions?

