



# CCSD CAREER PATHWAYS

## Health Sciences: Healthcare Support Services



	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Courses	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Courses	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Courses	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Courses
<b>English</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp or Advanced 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp or Advanced 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp	American Lit/Comp or Advanced American Lit or AP Lang/Comp or Dual Enrollment	British Lit/Comp or Advanced British Lit/Comp or AP English Lit/Comp or Dual Enrollment
<b>Math</b>	CCGPS Coordinate Algebra or Accelerated Coordinate Algebra/Analytic Geometry A	CCGPS Analytic Geometry or Accelerated Analytic Geometry B/Advanced Algebra	CCGPS Advanced Algebra or CCGPS Accelerated Pre-Calculus or Dual Enrollment	Advanced Mathematical Decision Making or CCGPS Pre-Calculus or AP Math course (Calculus, Statistics, Computer Sci) or Dual Enrollment
<b>Science</b>	Biology or Advanced Biology or AP Biology	Chemistry or Advanced Chemistry or Physics or Advanced Physics or Environmental Science or Earth Systems	Chemistry or Advanced Chemistry or Physics or Advanced Physics or AP Science course (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, EnvSci) or Dual Enrollment	Chemistry or Advanced Chemistry or Physics or Advanced Physics or AP Science course (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, EnvSci) or Dual Enrollment or Approved CTAE Science Pathway courses
<b>Social Studies</b>	American Govt/Civics or Advanced American Govt/Civics or AP Govt/Politics	World History or Advanced World History or AP World History	US History or AP United States History or Dual Enrollment	Economics or Advanced Economics or AP Macroeconomics or Dual Enrollment
<b>Required Pathway Courses</b>		High School Level • Intro to Healthcare Science	High School Level • Essentials of Healthcare	High School Level • Healthcare Support Services
<b>Other Courses</b>	Health & Personal Fitness+ (+Graduation Requirement) Foreign Language Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual	Foreign Language Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual	Foreign Language Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual, AP, Dual Enrollment, Career-Based Learning	Foreign Language Fine Arts, GA Virtual, AP, Dual Enrollment, Career-Based Learning

Sample Occupations Related to This Pathway
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certified Nurse Assistant</li> <li>Dietician &amp; Nutritionist</li> <li>Dietician Technician</li> <li>Home Health Aide</li> <li>Mental Health &amp; Substance Abuse Worker</li> <li>Biomedical Equipment Technician</li> <li>Nurse Aide, Orderly, or Attendant</li> <li>Medical Assistant</li> <li>Dental Assistant</li> <li>Massage Therapist</li> </ul>

*Careers in the Healthscience Support Services pathway are focused primarily on assisting in a variety of patient services. Health professionals in this pathway work directly with patients and other healthcare professionals and may provide care, counseling and health education information. Workers in the Health Science industry must have a solid background in math, science, communications and technical skills. Please visit [gacollege411.com](http://gacollege411.com) for more information about education, career planning and financial aid.*

***\*Upon completion of the 4<sup>th</sup> college course of the HealthcareNurse Aid pathway, students will earn a Technical Certificate of Credit as a Nurse Aide (CN21). Students may enter the college pathway directly or by taking the first and/or second high school level course, passing the high school course(s) and then passing the required articulation exam given by Athens Technical College. In order to be admitted to Athens Tech, students must take and pass the Compass entrance examination.***

*Please note that this is intended as a guide and is not exhaustive.*