

Navy Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (Naval Science)

Course Title	Description	Prerequisite(s)
NJROTC I	<p>This one-year course is designed to cover an initial exploration of a specific military branch. This course will fulfill one of the two physical education credits required for graduation. This course covers an initial exploration and study of Naval Science. It consists of basic NJROTC program orientation, Naval leadership, careers, goal setting, Naval ships, U.S. government, maritime geography, Naval history through 1860, navigation, basic seamanship, physical fitness, military drills and ceremonies. Participation in the NJROTC program requires maintaining military grooming standards, wearing, and maintaining a regulation Navy uniform once a week. Physical fitness training (PFT) uniforms (t-shirts and shorts) are required one day a week and may be purchased from the NJROTC department for \$20. This course fulfills the PE I credit required for graduation.</p>	Grade 9-12
NJROTC II	<p>This one-year course covers a study of selected areas of a specific military branch. Completion of Junior ROTC I (any military branch) is required as a prerequisite. This course will fulfill one of the two physical education credits required for graduation. This course involves the study of selected areas of Naval Science. Areas to be included are Naval leadership, careers, goal setting, citizenship, Naval history from 1861 to 1945, shipboard organization, Naval weapons, meteorology, navigation, small boat seamanship, physical fitness, drills and ceremonies. Selected students will assume leadership positions within the NJROTC unit. Physical fitness training (PFT) uniforms (t-shirts and shorts) are required one day a week and may be purchased from the NJROTC department for \$20. This course fulfills the PE II credit required for graduation.</p>	Grades 10-12 NJROTC I and Naval Science Teacher Approval
NJROTC III	<p>This one-year course is a continued study of selected areas of a specific military branch. Completion of Junior ROTC II (any military branch) is required as a prerequisite. This course will fulfill one of the two physical education credits required for graduation. This course continues the study of selected areas of Naval Science. Areas included are Naval leadership, goal setting, military justice, international law, sea power, strategy, national security, astronomy, Naval history since World War II, Naval operations, communications and intelligence, physical fitness, drills and ceremonies. Students will assume more leadership positions within the NJROTC unit. Physical fitness training (PFT) uniforms (t-shirts and shorts) are required one day a week and may be purchased from the NJROTC department for \$20.</p>	Grades 11-12 NJROTC II and Naval Science Teacher Approval
NJROTC IV	<p>This one-year course is intended for those students that have completed NJROTC II and have been selected for top leadership positions within the school corps. Instructor approval is required. This course will fulfill one of the two physical education credits required for graduation. This course is an advanced study in leadership behavior and practical application. Academic study consists of fundamentals, responsibilities and qualities of leadership, ethics, effective communications, case studies in leadership, physical fitness, drills, and ceremonies. Current events and their impacts are examined with emphasis on their geopolitical military significance. Students are placed in various practical leadership positions and training situations under supervision of the Naval Science Instructor, and become proficient in decision making, goal setting, and planning of unit activities. Independent research is required. Physical fitness training (PFT) uniforms (t-shirts and shorts) are required one day a week and may be purchased from the NJROTC department for \$20.</p>	Grade 12 NJROTC III and Naval Science Teacher Approval

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ROTC Drill and Leadership	This one-year course is designed to provide the ROTC student with a specialized area of military precision drill involving above-normal physical activity that will have carry-over value into future military careers. This course is not a substitute for the basic ROTC courses. Students will expend additional time and energy on military drill in preparation for participation on a performing team, i.e., Marching Drill Team, Rifle Drill Team, or Color Guard. Performances may be in competitive contests. The prerequisite for this course is enrollment in an ROTC class. This course may be repeated. This course will fulfill one of the elective credits required for graduation. This course provides the student with precision drill involving more than normal NJROTC class physical activity and leadership exercises. Areas covered include military drill, competitive exercises, air rifle and classroom and field instruction in leadership. This course may be taken only if the student is enrolled concurrently in one of the above courses (NJROTC I-IV).	Enrollment in a regular NJROTC I-IV class and Naval Science Teacher Approval

Note: NJROTC courses may be used to fulfill the two credits of physical education required for high school graduation.

***Notes:**

1. NJROTC uniforms will be provided to each student by the Navy at no cost (unless damaged or lost) and will be worn one day a week. Each student will be required to comply with Navy grooming standards.
2. There is no obligation to enlist in any branch of the military service if enrolled in NJROTC.
3. Students will be required to participate in designated parades and monthly early unit formations.
4. When available, optional cruises aboard U.S. Navy vessels and field trips to naval bases will be offered to augment the classroom instruction. Participation in such trips is subject to approval of the student's parents, teachers, and the Naval Science instructor. The cost of trips may be defrayed through unit fundraisers.
5. There are also numerous optional extracurricular activities available, including community service projects. Physical Fitness, academic, orienteering, and air rifle teams, as well as many unit service activities. Many teams compete against other JROTC units for trophies and the opportunity to participate at national level competitions. Participation in these activities is voluntary and subject to CCSD academic standards requirements when interscholastic competitions are involved.

