



Forest Grove High School

HEALTH SCIENCE

Students will learn:

- To identify various components of human anatomy and physiology
- How to provide proper patient care
- To communicate health information accurately and professionally
- How to interact with patients
- To adhere to safety, privacy, legal, and ethical practices

For students interested in:

- Caring for patients
- Exploring healthcare related careers
- Medicine
- Healthcare
- Diagnostic services
- Mental health
- Fitness

Sequence of Courses

Introductory

- Healthcare Occupations (9-12th grade, 1.0 credit)
- Anatomy & Physiology (10-12th grade, 1.0 credit)
- Medical Terminology (11-12th grade, 1.0 credit)
- Food & Nutrition (9-12th grade, 0.5 credit)

Advanced

- Exercise Physiology (11-12th grade, 1.0 credit)
- Health Science Practicum (12th grade, 1.0 credit)

Career Options

Registered Nurses	\$105,227
Exercise Trainers and Group Fitness Instructors	\$53,123
Medical Assistants	\$50,814
Nurse Practitioners	\$134,493
LPNs and LVNs	\$63,896
Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians	\$77,688
Dental Assistants	\$52,333
Dental Hygienists	\$103,002
Pharmacists	\$143,541

2022 median annual salary for tri-county area high wage and high demand
-Oregon Employment Division

Dual Credit Offerings

- PCC - FT 131 – Structure & Function of the Human Body (4 credit hours)
- PCC - MP 111 – Medical Terminology (4 credit hours)

Current Industry Partners

- Virginia Garcia Health Center
- Legacy Health Care