



ARTS & COMMUNICATION PATHWAY PROGRAM FACT SHEET

Video Production

Program Description

Students develop the fundamental knowledge and basic skills of video production, including hands-on experience, proper use of equipment, camera technique, framing, composition, light, sound and the use of video editing software.

Curriculum

Students will gain the following knowledge and skills:

- ▶ Career opportunities in the field
- ▶ The production process – budget, script, casting, etc.
- ▶ Properties and functions of consumer and professional cameras
- ▶ Operation of lighting instruments
- ▶ Audio
- ▶ Video editing
- ▶ Producing and directing
- ▶ Animation and graphics used in video production
- ▶ Legal and ethical issues related to the media

Recommended Classes

9 th Grade	Information Technology or Information Technology-Honors Video Production 1-2
10 th Grade	Visual Communications 1-2 Video Production 3-4
11 th Grade	Video Production 5-6
12 th Grade	Video Production 7-8

Student Leadership Organization

VICA/Skills USA – serving high school and college students and professional members enrolled in training programs in trade, technical and skilled service occupations, including health occupations. Programs include local, state and national competitions in which students demonstrate occupational and leadership skills.

College Credit (Tech Prep, AP, etc.)

High School Class	Type of College Credit	# of Credits	Fee
IT or IT Honors	Tech Prep	5	No
Visual Communications	Tech Prep	5	No

Employment Outlook

Job Title	Median Full-time Salary	Local Projected Growth			
		2002	2012	Change	% Change
Camera Operator	\$43,390	294	304	7	+2.4%
Video Editor	\$35,590	178	175	-3	-1.7 %
Video Producer	\$52,460	1,096	1,217	121	+11%
Audio/Video Technician	\$35,300	416	456	40	+9.6%

Source for salary and growth projections: Washington State Employment Security Department. King County data and projections used when available. www.workforceexplorer.com

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