

CYBERSECURITY

Goal: To provide Osbourn High School students with the beginnings of coursework designed to prepare them for work in Information Security positions (Cyber) while providing students the opportunity to earn dual-credit.



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Summary

The goals of the Cybersecurity and Coding/Programming programs at Osbourn High School are to prepare students to earn the A+ certification and to assist in preparing students to earn industry recognized credentials. The programs also prep students for positions in a high-wage, high-skilled career. Currently, there are 124 students enrolled in Information Technology classes and the program is expected to grow in the future.

Cybersecurity positions are in the top three unfilled employment areas and have an expected job growth rate of 28% (much faster than average), per the Bureau of Labor Statistics.