

# Unit 25: 9-12 CITIZENSHIP

Content Area: **English Language Arts**  
Course(s):  
Time Period: **Marking Period 1**  
Length: **ONGOING**  
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## Brief Summary of Unit

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## Standards

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CRP.K-12.CRP1	Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee.
CRP.K-12.CRP2	Apply appropriate academic and technical skills.
CRP.K-12.CRP3	Attend to personal health and financial well-being.
CRP.K-12.CRP4	Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.
CRP.K-12.CRP5	Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions.
CRP.K-12.CRP6	Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
CRP.K-12.CRP7	Employ valid and reliable research strategies.
CRP.K-12.CRP8	Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
CRP.K-12.CRP9	Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective management.
CRP.K-12.CRP10	Plan education and career paths aligned to personal goals.
CRP.K-12.CRP11	Use technology to enhance productivity.
CRP.K-12.CRP12	Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.
HPE.2.1.12.A.CS1	Developing and maintaining wellness requires ongoing evaluation of factors impacting health and modifying lifestyle behaviors accordingly.
HPE.2.1.12.C.CS1	Personal health is impacted by family, community, national, and international efforts to prevent and control diseases and health conditions.
HPE.2.1.12.D.CS1	Evaluating the potential for injury prior to engaging in unhealthy/risky behaviors impacts choices.
HPE.2.1.12.E.CS1	Respect and acceptance for individuals regardless of gender, sexual orientation, disability, ethnicity, socioeconomic background, religion, and/or culture provide a foundation for the prevention and resolution of conflict.
HPE.2.1.12.E.CS2	Stress management skills impact an individual's ability to cope with different types of emotional situations.
HPE.2.2.12.A.CS1	Effective interpersonal communication encompasses respect and acceptance for individuals regardless of gender, sexual orientation, disability, ethnicity, socioeconomic background, religion, and/or culture.
HPE.2.2.12.A.CS2	Effective communication is the basis for strengthening interpersonal interactions and relationships and resolving conflicts.
HPE.2.2.12.A.CS3	Technology increases the capacity of individuals to communicate in multiple and diverse ways.
HPE.2.2.12.C.CS1	Individual and/or group pressure to be successful in competitive activities can result in a positive or negative impact.

HPE.2.2.12.C.CS2	Core ethical values impact behaviors that influence the health and safety of people everywhere.
HPE.2.2.12.D.CS1	Effective advocacy for a health or social issue is based on communicating accurate and reliable research about the issue and developing and implementing strategies to motivate others to address the issue.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.1	Review career goals and determine steps necessary for attainment.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.2	Modify Personalized Student Learning Plans to support declared career goals.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.3	Identify transferable career skills and design alternate career plans.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.4	Analyze how economic conditions and societal changes influence employment trends and future education.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.5	Research career opportunities in the United States and abroad that require knowledge of world languages and diverse cultures.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.6	Investigate entrepreneurship opportunities as options for career planning and identify the knowledge, skills, abilities, and resources required for owning and managing a business.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.7	Examine the professional, legal, and ethical responsibilities for both employers and employees in the global workplace.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.8	Assess the impact of litigation and court decisions on employment laws and practices.
CAEP.9.2.12.C.9	Analyze the correlation between personal and financial behavior and employability.

## Essential Questions

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- How can I utilize technology to my advantage for my career goals?
- How does an individual understand the workforce?
- How does an individual's knowledge of self relate to exploring potential career options?
- To what extent does knowing one's strengths and interests affect career exploration?

## Essential Understandings

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- Knowing one's strengths and interests aids in career exploration.
- Students will understand the relationship between personal qualities, education, training and the workforce in order to make informed career decisions.
- There is a relationship between one's strengths, interests, education and career choice.
- Time management and organization are necessary foundation skills to achieve future career goals.

## Students Will Know

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- Employability skills such as problem solving, conflict resolution and organization are essential.
- Personal preferences and interests influence career choice and success, which may change over time.
- The workforce is comprised of traditional and nontraditional careers.
- There are careers that correspond to various interests.
- There is education and training associated with specific career goals.

## **Students will be able to**

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- Define at least two career clusters.
- Identify strengths and interests through an interest inventory.
- Identify the steps in the career planning process.
- Investigate the workforce in relation to knowledge of self.
- Research career interests and options through the internet.

## **Instructional Strategies**

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- reflective discussion,
- utilizing technology resources such as Naviance
- correlating college and career searches to personal assessments,
- didactic questioning,
- grade-specific small group presentations
- individual and group counseling,
- individual student and parent/guardian meetings (including Junior Conferences),
- parent contact through phone calls, meetings and emails
- Problem-solving
- resume-building
- role-playing
- visual aids,

## **Suggested Strategies for Modifications**

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