



Oak Park High School
CyberSecurity
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Mr. Amerikaner



Semester Course Grades 9-12

Today's interconnected world makes everyone more susceptible to cyber-attacks. Whether you're attracted to the relative new world of cybersecurity as a professional, or just interested in protecting yourself online and in social media, this introductory course is the answer. It explores cyber trends, threats—along with the broader topic of cybersecurity in a way that will matter to YOU. For instance, you'll learn how to protect your personal privacy online while gaining additional insight on the challenges companies, and governmental and educational institutions face today. You'll Learn These Core Skills:

- Learn what cybersecurity is and its potential impact to you.
- Understand the most common threats, attacks and vulnerabilities.
- Gain insights for how businesses protect their operations from attacks.
- Find the latest job trends and why cybersecurity continues to grow.

Course Expectations:

- ✓ **Students will adhere to OPUSD Student Handbook policies.**
- ✓ Students are responsible for following all District, OPHS, and classroom rules and directions.
- ✓ Students will be using their school G accounts. DO NOT share this information with other students. Students will not be excused from assignments if the work "is lost" from the student's work folder. Students are responsible for their own folders and correct saving of their work.

Academic Honesty:

Students will not misrepresent class work, research assignments, class projects, examinations and homework assignments as their own, when in fact, they are the work of someone else.

Grading Policy:

Students will be graded on the point systems. Students will receive grades for their submitted assignments, lab work, quizzes, tests, individual and group projects. In addition, students will receive points for class participation, which includes ability to collaborate, behavior and cooperation. Grades will be posted on the District Q Website and GClassroom. Each student and family will have access to the student grade.

Parents and students are welcome to contact me anytime through email - eamerikaner@opusd.org.

I will return your message as soon as possible.

I look forward to working with your student this semester.

Students will access classroom materials from Google Classroom and Gmeets.

Please follow the instructions below:

Assignment # 1

This is a graded assignment, worth 10 points.

1. From your **school** Email address send an Email to: eamerikaner@opusd.org
2. In the Subject Line: **Your First and Last Name and Class Period-** For example: Steven Spielberg Period 3
3. In the Body of the Email: Three (3) complete sentences giving **your** goals for this class---What do you want to learn?

Assignment # 2

This is a grade assignment, worth 10 points.

1. Ask your **parents** to send an Email to: eamerikaner@opusd.org
2. In the Subject Line: **Student: First and Last Name and Class Period-**For example: Steven Spielberg Period 3
3. Please confirm you have reviewed the syllabus; **AND tell me THREE (3) wonderful facts about your student.**