

**DEPARTMENT OF NAVAL SCIENCE  
PALOMA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL NJROTC**

**School Year:** NS1-4 Syllabus (Current)

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This course is a one-year progressive course where each Naval Science syllabus builds upon each other and is designed to provide our students with the knowledge required of an NJROTC Cadet. The course provides two days per week (Alt. week) of physical fitness training, one day per week of drill, and two days per week (Alt. week) of academics. The course consists of various modules of the Naval Science curriculum. Leadership will be discussed throughout the course. The objectives of this course support all three areas of the SNSI's command philosophy which include:

1. NJROTC Academic and Close Order Drill excellence
2. Personal and Professional Development
3. Program and Campus Leadership/Citizenship

**GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE NJROTC PROGRAM**

The NJROTC program goals are to provide an opportunity for secondary school students to learn about the basic elements and requirements for national security and their personal obligations as American citizens to contribute toward national security. The NJROTC has the following basic objectives:

- a. Promote patriotism

- b. Develop informed and responsible citizens
- c. Promote habits of orderliness and precision, and develop respect for constituted authority
- d. Develop a high degree of personal honor, self-reliance, individual discipline, and leadership
- e. Promote an understanding of the basic elements and requirements for national security
- f. Develop respect for and an understanding of the need for constituted authority in a democratic society
- g. Develop an interest in the military service as a possible career

## **CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK**

This course is designed in modules across the spectrum of naval ships and aircraft, naval operations, ethics, leadership, strategy, and nautical sciences. These courses are designed to provide a basic awareness and understanding of the United States Navy and how it operates.

## **ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION**

Attendance and participation are necessary to achieve learning and understanding. Group discussion and interaction are integral to achieving the goals of the class. Quizzes will be given to assess retention of knowledge.

## **GRADING**

The whole performance in this course is counted toward your overall Naval Science grade. Your final grade is based upon the following factors:

Academic:	25%	A = 100-90
Military:	25%	B = 89 - 80
Physical Training:	25%	C = 79 - 70
Aptitude/Conduct:	25%	D = 69 - 60
		F = 59 - 0
Total:	100%	

## **REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS**

Naval Science 1-4, Cadet Field Manual, Cadet Reference Manual (provided in class) and the school provided Chrome Book.

## **PREREQUISITES**

All cadets are required to have completed the following forms to participate in this program (current year).

- Cadet Handbook "Preface Page"
- Heath Screening
- Physical Participation
- Personal Data

## **NOTE**

This is a snapshot of the basic requirements to be apart of Paloma Valley High School NJROTC program. An in-depth look with more details and requirements surrounding the program can be found in the "Cadet Handbook" Standard Operation Procedures (SOP) located on our website:  
[www.palomavalleynjrotc.com](http://www.palomavalleynjrotc.com).

**Welcome to the course. Where the future leaders of tomorrow, begin TODAY!!!**

**- Discipline Above All Else.**