

# Emergency Medical Technician

The Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) course introduces students into the world of EMS. Students will be able to get their EMT license and be eligible to work in a hospital or on an ambulance right out of high school. Students will learn how to talk to patients to find out what health issues they have and how to best treat those patients. Students will ride along at Mercy Hospital, Shasta Regional hospital, and Mercy Ambulance. During their ride along they will do everything a normal EMT would do to show them if this is the career they want. Students will also earn 7.5 college credits.

## Major Topics

- Patient assessments
- Anatomy
- Pharmacology
- Bleeding control
- Childbirth
- Ambulance driving
- Splinting
- BackBoard
- KED

## Certifications Earned

- Emergency medical Technician
- Hazmat FRA
- ICS 100 & 700