# **COURSE SELECTION**

Class of 2028 (Current Freshmen) February 3, 2025

### **FRESHMEN:**

Next year you will be sophomores!

In middle school, your counselor helped each of you register for your classes.

Now that you are older, you will be signing up for your classes yourself!

### **GOALS FOR TODAY:**

Learn about new courses and timeline for course selection.

Start looking for courses you are interested in and start conversations with your teachers about your choices

#### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

4.0 credits of English

• 0.5 Personal Finance

• 3.0 credits of Math

• 0.5 credit of Health

• 3.0 credits of Science

• 1.5 credits of PE

3.0 credits of Social Studies

• 7.5 credits of electives

### WHAT YOU NEED

#### **ENGLISH - 1.0 CREDIT**

English 10 (1.0)

#### MATH - 1.0 CREDIT

Geometry (1.0)

<u>OR</u>

Algebra 2 (1.0)

AND/OR

Trigonometry (0.5)

#### PHY ED. - 0.5 CREDIT

PE 10 or other Phy Ed elective (0.5)

#### SOCIAL STUDIES-1.0 CREDIT

US History (1.0)

<u>OR</u>

AP US History (1.0)\*

#### **SCIENCE - 1.0 CREDIT**

Chemistry (1.0)

ELECTIVES -AT LEAST 1.5 CREDITS

Pick at least 2 classes to be alternates in case something doesn't fit. THIS IS REQUIRED!!!

### **NEW COURSES**

Exploring Computer Science (0.5)

Technical Math (0.5)

AP Computer Science A (1.0)

AP Seminar (1.0)

Pharmacy Technician Certification (1.0) - Hybrid

Sports Medicine (0.5) - Hybrid

### "RETURNING" COURSES

Ecological Science (0.5)

Construction 1 (0.5)

## Things to think about

- Am I choosing rigor that is appropriate for me?
- Are my choices relevant to my academic and career goals?
- Am I taking classes that are required for graduation?
- Are my choices in line with my personal interests?
- Have I looked at all of the options?

NEED MORE
INFORMATION ABOUT A
CLASS BEFORE YOU
MAKE A DECISION?

**READ** course descriptions IN the **Academic & Career Planning** Guide

- Talk to teachers about their recommendations!
- GO to Elective Fair during 7th hour today!

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Consider your courses carefully, NO SCHEDULE CHANGES!
- STUDY HALLS ARE ONLY USEFUL IF YOU WILL USE THEM! IF YOU DO NOT USE THE TIME, THEN TAKE EXTRA ELECTIVES
- COLLEGES PREFER TO SEE YOU TAKING A RIGOROUS COURSE LOAD RATHER THAN PARTIAL DAYS
- YOU CANNOT DROP AP CLASSES IF YOU SELECT THEM
- MAKE SURE YOU PICK ELECTIVES AND CLASSES YOU LIKE, BECAUSE YOU ARE COMMITTED TO THOSE CLASSES
- Students need to select alternate courses they are interested in in case they cannot get into their first choices.

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The Infinite Campus portal to choose your classes opens **Thursday Feb 6th** at 3:00 pm!

### **CLICK HERE**

for a list of instructions!

### Interested in taking a class over the summer?

- Trigonometry (0.5 credit)
- Health 9 (0.5 credit)
- Strength & Conditioning (NO credit)

SUMMER SCHOOL: JUNE 16th -

**JULY 31st** 

Register for summer school class(es) between February 24th - March 14th in Infinite Campus

# Other Summer Opportunities (non-credit)

Trades Program
Band Camp

Watch your grade level google classroom for more information

# YOUR CLASS CHOICES MUST BE IN INFINITE CAMPUS BY FEBRUARY 16TH

Print the course request page once you have courses submitted, have your parent/guardian sign it and turn into student services

If you do not select and put your classes into Infinite Campus by this date, your classes will be picked for you, and cannot be changed.

# Still have questions?

No appointment needed, Counselors will be at the Concessions Stand for questions 10 am-2pm on

Feb 4, 5, 6, 12, 13. Stop by and chat with us!

Mrs. Wauer last names A-Hd: <a href="https://calendly.com/mwauer">https://calendly.com/mwauer</a>

Mr. Barke last names He-Pe: <a href="https://calendly.com/jbarke">https://calendly.com/jbarke</a>

Mrs. Erickson last names Pf-Z: <a href="https://calendly.com/kerickson-ghs">https://calendly.com/kerickson-ghs</a>

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#### YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELORS



Mrs. Wauer (A - Ha)



Mr. Barke (He - Pe)

Ms. Erickson (Pf-Z)

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