
COURSE SELECTION

Class of 2025 (current Juniors)

January 29th, 2024

JUNIORS

Next year you will be SENIORS!

**Remember to check your credits - you
need 23 to graduate!**

GOALS FOR TODAY:

Learn about new courses and timeline for course selection.

Think about courses you are interested in and start conversations with your teachers about your choices

TOTAL = 23 CREDITS

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 4 credits of English
 - 3 credits of Math
 - 3 credits of Science
 - 3.5 credits of Social Studies
 - 0.5 credits of Health
 - 1.5 credits of PE
 - 7.5 credits of electives
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WHAT YOU NEED

ENGLISH - 1.0 CREDIT

English 12 (1.0)
AP Lang & Comp (1.0)
AP Lit & Comp (1.0)

PHY ED. - 0.5 CREDITS (IF NOT COMPLETE)

PE Elective (0.5)

Pick 2 classes to be
alternates in case
something doesn't fit

SOCIAL STUDIES- 0.5 or 1.0 CREDIT

US 45 (0.5)
Economics (0.5)
AP Economics (1.0)
American Gov't (0.5)
World Affairs (1.0)
Sociology (0.5)
Psychology (0.5)
AP European History (1.0)
AP Psychology (1.0)

ELECTIVES

Choose courses to reach 23
credits and help you reach your
post high school goals.

You may choose to apply for either
Late Arrival or Early Release

- *not* both
- you *cannot* have other study halls
- Indicate which one you would like for each semester.

Review your credits by looking
at your transcript in Infinite
Campus.

NEW COURSES

Concert Band (1.0)

Creating Character (0.5)

Digital Media Production (0.5)

Workplace Learning (0.5-1.0)-Application in Spring

Service Learning (0.5-1.0)-Application in Spring

“RETURNING” COURSES

Mythology (0.5)

Mystery, Science Fiction and Horror (0.5)

Entrepreneurship (0.5)

Business Computer Applications (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?
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**NEED MORE
INFORMATION ABOUT A
CLASS BEFORE YOU
MAKE A DECISION?**

**CHECK OUT
Our
Academic &
Career Planning
Guide**

- Talk to your teachers about their recommendations!
 - Look at the Career Pathways Guide for connections to your future
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The Infinite
Campus portal to
choose your
classes opens
TODAY!

[CLICK HERE](#)

for a list of
instructions!

Off Campus Options

IF you have exhausted all GHS course options in a high interest area, you may be eligible for the *Start College Now/Early College Credit* program.

See your counselor for details.

Are you hoping to find a job related to your future career?

Taking classes related to the job you hope to have in the future?

Lining up an apprenticeship in a field you love after high school, training and making real money?

Contact your school counselor, or reach out to Mr. Hermann!

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THINGS TO REMEMBER

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**

Interested in taking a class over the summer
to get ahead?

**SUMMER SCHOOL:
JUNE 10th
-
JULY 25TH**

Trigonometry
Economics

*Register for any of these summer school
classes between February 26th - March 22nd
in Infinite Campus*

Other Summer Opportunities

(non-credit)

Trades Program

Band Camp

Strength and Speed

**Watch your grade level google classroom
for more information**

YOUR CLASS CHOICES MUST BE IN INFINITE CAMPUS BY **FEBRUARY 15TH**

*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.

Follow Student Services on Instagram!

HELPFUL
STORY
TUTORIALS!

GHS UPDATES!



COLLEGE
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FUTURE-PLANNING
TIPS!

[@studentsservicesghs](https://www.instagram.com/studentsservicesghs)

Still have questions?

Schedule an appointment with your counselor!

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

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

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

**CHECK OUT OUR MONTHLY
NEWSLETTER!**



YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELORS



Mrs. Wauer (A - Ha)



Mr. Barke (He - Pe)

Ms. Erickson (Pf-Z)