

Sophomore Year Course Selection

Academic Advising for Rising Sophomores

Subject Required credits	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
English 4.5 credits	Honors Ancient Literature (1.0)	Honors Medieval and Renaissance Literature (1.0)	Rhetoric (0.5) Honors Enlightenment and American Literature or AP English Language and Composition (1.0 each)	Honors Senior English or AP English Literature and Composition (1.0 each)
History 4.5 credits <i>(includes 0.5 credits Washington State history and government)</i>	Honors Ancient and World History (1.0)	Honors European History or AP European History (1.0 each)	Honors U.S. History or AP U.S. History (1.0 each)	Art History (0.5) U.S. Government and Politics (0.5)
Science 3.0 credits	Conceptual Physics (1.0)	Chemistry or Honors Chemistry (1.0 each)	Marine Biology, Biomedicine, or AP Biology (1.0 each)	Engineering, AP Physics 1 or AP Chemistry (1.0 each)
Math 3.0 credits	Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, or Honors Precalculus (1.0 each)	Geometry, Algebra 2, Precalculus, Honors Precalculus, or AP Calculus AB (1.0 each)	Algebra 2, Precalculus, Honors Precalculus, AP Statistics, AP Calculus AB or AP Calculus BC (1.0 each)	Precalculus, Honors Precalculus, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, Multivariable Calculus or AP Statistics (1.0 each)
Christian Studies 3.0 credits	Early Christian Thought and Practice (0.5)	Medieval Christian Thought and Practice (0.5) Logic (0.5)	Modern Christian Thought and Practice (0.5)	Worldview Capstone (1.0)
Languages 3.0 credits	French, Spanish, or Latin Level ____	French, Spanish, or Latin Level ____	French, Spanish, or Latin Level ____	French, Spanish, or Latin Level ____
Health 0.5 credits	Health (0.5)			
Physical Education 1.5 credits Ski & Snowboard Program (0.25) or BC sports team (0.5)	F			
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Fine Arts 1.0 credits	S1			
	S2			
Additional 1.5 credits	S1			
	S2			
Senior Capstone 0.5 credits	N/A	N/A	N/A	Senior Capstone Project (0.5)

Graduation Requirements

English	4.5 Credits
History	4.5
Science*	3
Math*	3
Christian Studies	3
Languages*	3
Health	0.5
Physical Education	1.5
Fine Arts	1
Additional Credits	1.5
Senior Capstone	0.5
Total	27

* 4.0 credits are required in math, science, or languages.

Course Selection for Grade 10

Subject	Courses
English	Honors Medieval and Renaissance Literature (1.0)
History	AP European History (1.0) or Honors Ancient and World History (1.0)
Science	Honors Chemistry (1.0) or Chemistry (1.0), other
Math	Next course in math progression (Geometry, Algebra 2, Precalculus, Honors Precalculus), 1.0
Christian Studies	Medieval Christian Thought and Practice (0.5) and Logic (0.5)
Languages	Latin 3, French 2, or Spanish 2 (1.0)
Elective	Fine Arts (1.0 or 0.5), General Elective (1.0 or 0.5), or Study Hall (no credit).

Science

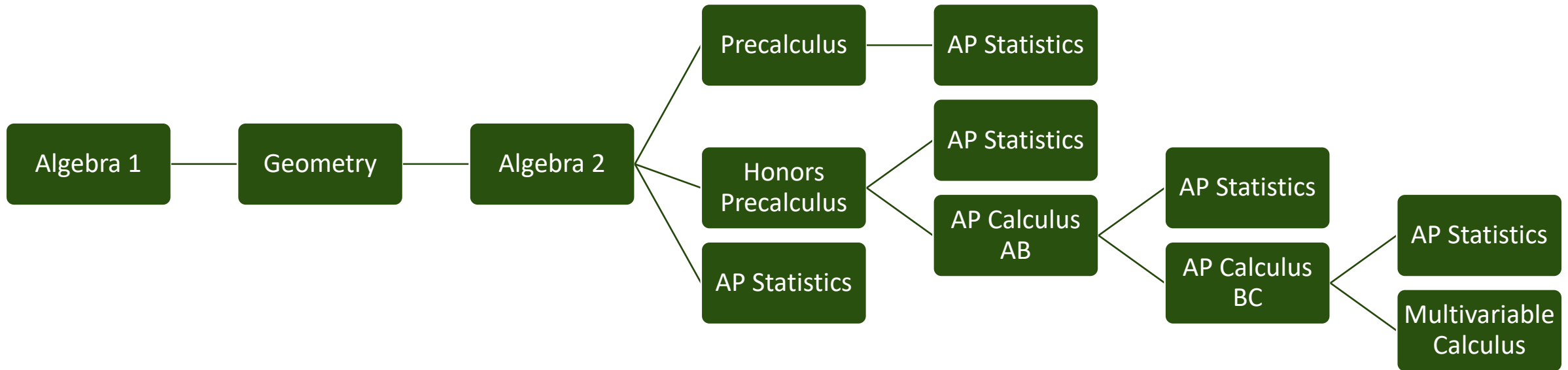
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Conceptual Physics (1.0)	Chemistry (1.0)	Marine Biology (1.0) or Biomedicine (1.0)	Engineering (1.0)
	Honors Chemistry (1.0)	AP Biology (1.0)	AP Chemistry (1.0)
			AP Physics 1 (1.0)

**3 credits of Science required for graduation – including 1 physical science and 1 biological science.
(A 4th credit is needed for Bear Creek graduation in either science, math, or a language.)**

History

- Honors European History
- AP European History

Math



- **3 credits of Math required for graduation, starting at Algebra 1. (A 4th credit is needed for Bear Creek graduation in either science, math, or a language.)**
- **Math courses listed above taken in MS count toward the graduation requirement. They do not appear on the transcript or impact the GPA.**

Physical Education

- Graduation Requirement: 1.5 credits
- Can be met through
 - Ski & Snowboard Program (0.25 w/ski lessons)
 - Bear Creek sports (0.5 per season)
 - Outside workout program (25+ hours) approved by P.E. and Health Department Chair (.25). Talk with Ms. Miller.
 - Strength Training (0.5 per semester)

The 7th Block

- Electives

Fine and Performing Arts			General Electives
Visual Art Graphic Design 1 (0.5) Graphic Design 2 (0.5) Photography 1 (0.5) Photography 2 (0.5) Studio Art 1 (0.5) Studio Art 2 (0.5) Studio Art 3 (0.5) Sculpture and Mixed Media (0.5) Advanced Studio Art (1.0)	Drama Fall Drama (0.5) Spring Drama (0.5)	Music Choir (1.0) Jazz Band (0.5) Concert Band (1.0) Vocal Ensemble (0.5) Mixed Ensemble (0.5)	Yearbook (1.0) Sports Anatomy (0.5)
		AP Music Theory (1.0)	AP Computer Science (1.0)

- Study Hall
- Extra academic classes

The Four Year Plan

- Using the Course Planning Worksheet
- Advising and Student support
- Make an appointment with Mrs. Schuldt to discuss a plan to create right sequence for you

So you can have

A full, meaningful, challenging, balanced, fun, character-building experience in high school that prepares you to meet your college goals.