



# Crystal Lake South High School



## Curriculum Night 2020

Welcome to the Class of 2024!



# Welcome to the GATOR Family!



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# The Purpose for Tonight



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FOUR YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

Leave with  
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# You have a whole GATOR community cheering you on!

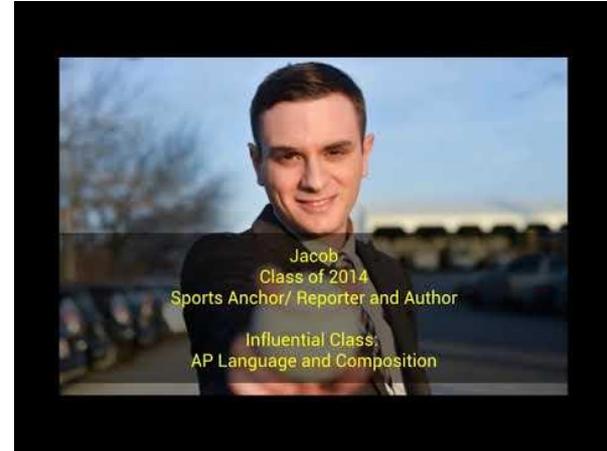


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**Advice for the Class of 2024 from Generations of Gators**

**Class of 1982-** Be yourself and embrace change. Get involved in a variety of activities and take elective classes as well as those that are challenging. Also know that your teachers truly care about you and that there is more than one teacher out there to build connections with.

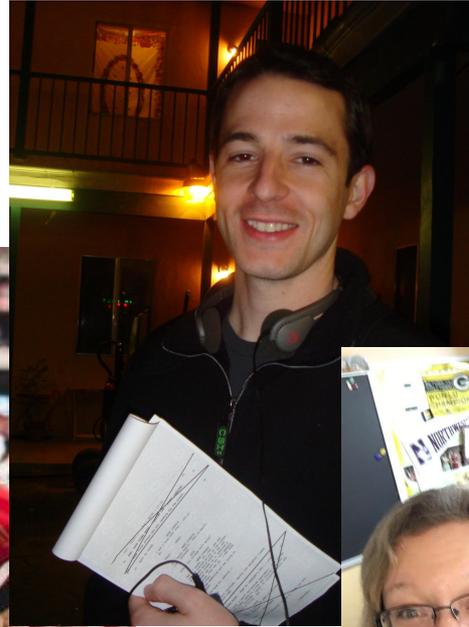
**Class of 1998-** Be kind to people, even if it's not the popular thing to do. You never know how much your kindness might mean to someone. No single test, or class, or college acceptance, is going to determine the rest of your life — but some of the good or bad habits you develop now can have a huge impact on it. Get enough sleep! Don't wait until the last minute to do that massive project. Allow yourself the time and space to do your best work. If you fail at something, be kind to yourself, but try again. Don't hide from the things that scare you. Face them, work through them, and ask for help.



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# Your Journey Starts Now!



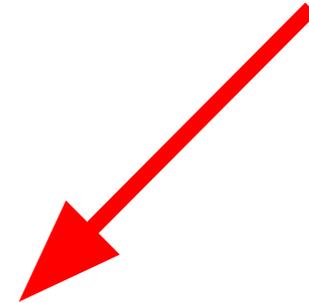
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# Tonight's Overview: Empowering YOUR Purpose

<u>Time</u>	<u>Green</u>	<u>Yellow</u>
6:00- 6:20	Welcome and Overview- Theater	
6:30-6:40	Elective Session 1	Counselor Presentation
6:45-6:55	Elective Session 2	
7:00-7:10	Elective Session 3	
7:20-7:30	Counselor Presentation	Elective Session 1
7:35-7:45		Elective Session 2
7:50-8:00		Elective Session 3
8:05-8:15	Optional 4th Session or Building Tour. AVID Session (C32).	

Room Change-  
The AVID session  
will be in room  
G18.



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# Personalized Schedules For Each Student

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Elective Session 2	6:45-6:55	
Elective Session 3	7:00-7:10	
Counselor Presentation	7:15-7:55	
Optional Session	8:00-8:15	4 <sup>th</sup> Elective Session or Building Tour (See building map for locations)

After tonight, we have five steps we would like you to complete prior to 8<sup>th</sup> grade night.

1. Take a moment to fill out our short feedback form to let us know how the evening went for you and ask us any questions you might have: <http://bit.ly/CLSQuestions>
2. Follow us on social media for answers to your questions and more. Please follow @CLS\_SS on Twitter for informational updates, and like Crystal Lake South on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/CrystalLakeSouthHS/>) where we will be answering your questions on future Facebook Live broadcasts airing each Friday at 3:30 p.m. You can also follow Crystal Lake South on Instagram (@cls\_gators) for photos of daily life in high school.
3. **If you have not already, please make sure you fill out the activity/ interest form for 8<sup>th</sup> grade night (<http://bit.ly/CLS8thGradeNight>) by Friday. We use this information to create tour groups for 8<sup>th</sup> grade night.**
4. Notify us if you need to change your 8<sup>th</sup> grade night time by calling 815-455-3860 x3226.
5. Create a draft four-year plan and course selection sheet. To help you with this process, we have provided several resources on our Crystal Lake South Student Services website (<http://bit.ly/gatorSS>). Scroll down to Course Selection Guide and Course Selection Resources. You will find tonight's counselor presentation, course wish lists for all four grade levels, our course selection guide, and more. If you have questions about course placement in English, math, or science, those questions will be addressed at 8<sup>th</sup> grade night.

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\*If you do not have all three sessions assigned, please fill in the rest of your schedule with the locations available on the building map.

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# The Two Night Progression

## Tonight: Curriculum

- Preparation for course selection at 8th grade night

## 8th Grade Night: Culture

- Q and A, tours, student guides, **final course selection**

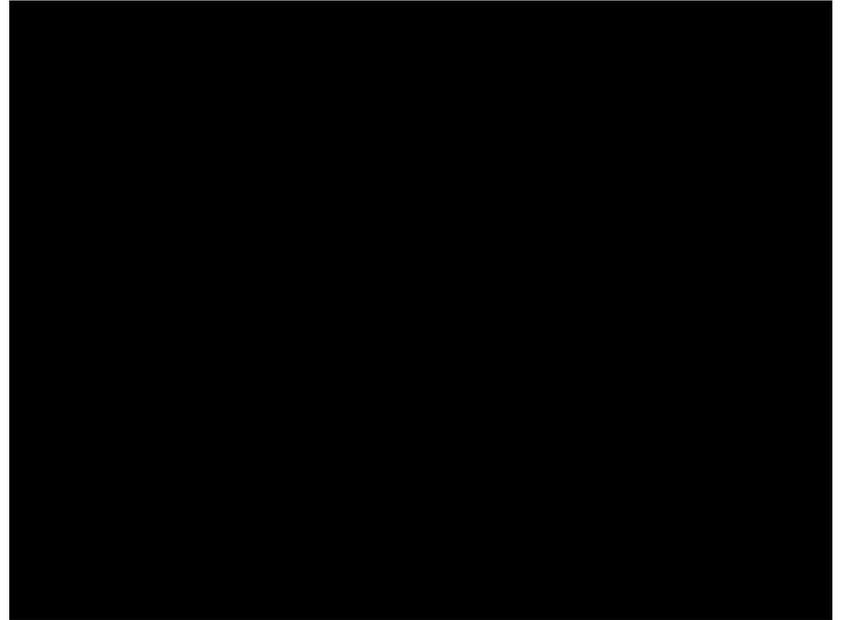


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# 8th Grade Night Instructions

- Come a little early, and enter through the main entrance doors
- Be in theater by assigned time
- Optional stations: photo booth and gator spirit wear



# 8th Grade Night Time Reminders

Thursday, January 16th, 5:00-6:30:

A, C, D, H, I, J, K, N, O, P, Q, S, Z

Thursday, January 16th, 6:45-8:15:

B, E, F, G, L, M, R, T, U, V, W, X, Y

# Next Steps: A Checklist



1. Fill out the feedback form, ask our team questions, and provide questions you'd like answered by the parent panel at 8th grade night
2. Follow us on Twitter (@cls\_ss, @clsouthhs, @joshuatnobilio, @clsratliff, @clsouthathletic), like us on Facebook, and/or follow us on Instagram
- 3. Make sure you have filled out the activity/ athletic interest survey for 8th grade night by Friday afternoon**
4. Notify us if you need to change your 8th grade night time BY FRIDAY
5. Create a draft four-year plan and course selection sheet

# Next Steps: Paperwork

Name \_\_\_\_\_



**HIGH SCHOOL FOUR-YEAR PLAN**  
SUNBELT CLUB

**DISTRICT 655**  
Graduation Requirements:

English – 4 Credits Math – 3 Credits Science – 3 Credits Social Science – 2 Credits	Physical Ed. – 1.75 Credits Health – 1 Credit Computer Ed. – 3 Credits Consumer Ed. – 2 Credits	Drivers Ed. – 2 Credits Electives – 8 Credits (Anything above & beyond graduation requirements)	
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**Time Only/Student**  
2022

FRESHMAN YEAR	I	II	III	IV
1. English	✓	✓	✓	✓
2. Math	✓	✓	✓	✓
3. Science	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.	✓	✓	✓	✓
5.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physical Education	✓	✓	✓	✓
Freshman Foundations/Freshman Seminar	✓	✓	✓	✓
6 <sup>th</sup> Major			optional	

SOPHOMORE YEAR	I	II	III	IV
1. English	✓	✓	✓	✓
2. Math	✓	✓	✓	✓
3. Science	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.	✓	✓	✓	✓
5.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physical Education/Health	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sophomore Seminar	✓	✓	✓	✓
6 <sup>th</sup> Major				optional

JUNIOR YEAR	I	II	III	IV
1. English	✓	✓	✓	✓
2. Math	✓	✓	✓	✓
3.	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.	✓	✓	✓	✓
5.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physical Education	✓	✓	✓	✓
Junior Seminar	✓	✓	✓	✓
6 <sup>th</sup> Major			Optional	

SENIOR YEAR	I	II	III	IV
1. English	✓	✓	✓	✓
2.	✓	✓	✓	✓
3.	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.	✓	✓	✓	✓
5.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physical Education	✓	✓	✓	✓
Senior Seminar	✓	✓	✓	✓
6 <sup>th</sup> Major			Optional	

**Minimal college requirements are listed below:**

- English – 4 years
- Math – 3 years
- Science – 3 years
- Social Science – 3 years
- Five of Applied Arts – 2 years (generally art, music, or one world language)

**SUMMER SCHOOL COURSES:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Four Year Plan Draft



## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Night – Course Selection Form

**PART I.** Here you will find your core recommendations and your required PE and Freshman Seminar classes. If you are interested in enrolling in Band or Choir, please place a check on the appropriate line. We are asking that you complete a "rough draft" of this document prior to attending 8<sup>th</sup> grade night. Please bring this "rough draft" document to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Night as a reference.

**English 101/102**  
**Honors Geometry 371/372**  
**Biology 300/310**

Freshman PE  
Please circle the appropriate uniform size (Small, Medium, Large, XL or XXL)

Freshman Seminar  
\_\_\_\_\_ Band \_\_\_\_\_ Choir

**Part II.** Enter two elective courses per semester

**Semester One**

#	Course Name
1.	_____
2.	_____

**Semester Two**

#	Course Name
1.	_____
2.	_____

**6<sup>th</sup> Major Requests:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

**FRESHMAN COURSES**

301	32		
302	308	Studio Art I 220/232	
303	309	Visual Arts II Technology	
304	366	Photo Imaging I	

**BUSINESS EDUCATION**

401C	401C	Introduction to Business	
402	402	Dual Credit Comp. Bus. App I	

**WORLD LANGUAGES**

403	404	French I	
405	406	Spanish I	

**MUSIC**

701	701	Music Theory	
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**TECHNOLOGICAL EDUCATION**

801	801	PLTW Engineering Design (Senior)	
518	518	Woodshop I	
519	519	Woodshop II	
520	520	Metals I	
521	521	Metals II	
522	522	Electronics I	
523	523	Electronics II	
1000D	1000D	Robotics & Science Tech.	
531	531	Steel Engines	
541	541	Technology Education I	
542	542	Technology Education II	

**FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE**

900C	900C	Careers and Transitions	
500C	500C	Careers Arts & Commercial	
501	501	Home & Interior Design	
574	574	Home & Interior Design	

**SOCIAL SCIENCE**

201	201	World Studies I	
202	202	World Studies II	
203	203	World Studies III	
204	204	World Studies III Honors	
205	205	AP Human Geography	

**MATH**

301	301	AP Computer Science A	
302P	302P	AP Computer Science A	
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Finalize Course Selection Sheet at 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Night

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# Feedback, Questions, and Answers

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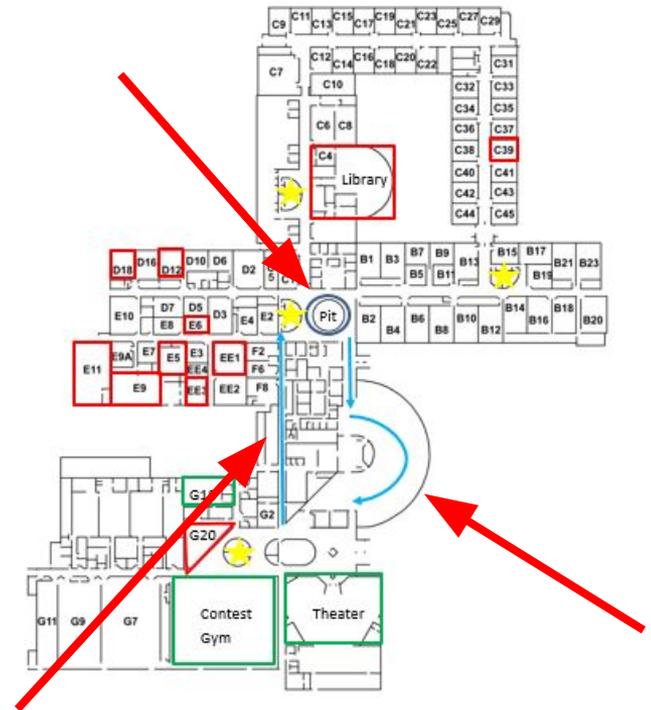


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# Tips and Requests for the Evening

1. When you are headed TO the pit area, use F hall.
2. When you are headed TO the theater/ gym area, use the cafeteria.
3. If you'd like a building tour from a current student at the end of the evening, meet in the pit.
4. Where do I go if two rooms are listed for a session?



# Exiting the Theater

- Green Forms headed to B or D Hallway or the Library
- Green Forms headed to E or EE Hallway
- Green Forms headed to G20
- Yellow Forms to G18 with Kyle McCaughn
- Yellow Forms to Contest Gym with Brett Collins and Kerri Bowers
- All Yellow Forms with Mike Collins and Tammy Freund will remain in the theater