



10<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Course Selection  
**2022-2023 School Year**

**Duncanville High School**  
**Presented by Academic Counselors**

# Course Request Presentation Rules

## ☐ Listen while the Counselor is talking

Class rules include:

- ❖ Be responsible for completing your course request online
  - ❖ Follow directions
  - ❖ Be prepared
  - ❖ Take notes
  - ❖ NO TALKING
- ☐ Hold all questions until the end of the course request selection presentation. Counselor will answer **ALL** questions.



# Hello Students!!!

Welcome to the 2022-2023 Course Selection Process

- At the end of this presentation you will know:
  - What core classes to sign up for?
  - What Endorsement Class you need to take for 10<sup>th</sup> grade year?
  - Step by step guide on how to select your classes in Xello



# DHS ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ It takes 18 credits to be classified as a Senior (12<sup>th</sup>)
- ❖ 6 credits to be classified as a Sophomore (10<sup>th</sup>)
- ❖ **12 credits to be classified as a Junior (11<sup>th</sup>)**

Don't Assume you can skip any requirements!

- ✓ 16 Core Classes (English, Math, Science, Social Studies)
- ✓ 2 semesters of Physical Education (PE)
- ✓ 1 Fine Arts (one credit)
- ✓ 2 years of the same foreign language
- ✓ 4 credits of Endorsement classes
- ✓ Additional elective

Graduation = 26 credits & passing all 5 EOC's.





# DHS Graduation Plan



English 1  
English 2  
English 3  
English 4

Algebra 1  
Geometry  
+2 Math Classes

1 CREDIT of PE  
-----\*\*Sp  
each(1/2)-can be  
substituted for a year  
credit in a Principles  
Course

World Geography  
World History  
US History  
GOV / ECO

Fine Arts  
(1 Credit)  
Art, Dance, Band,  
Theatre Arts or  
Choir

ENDORSEMENT  
4 Credits or more  
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Biology  
IPC/Chemistry/  
Physics  
Any Science

Foreign Language  
=  
2 Credits of the  
Same Language

**Total of 26  
credits**

# **\*MUST PASS ALL STAAR TESTS\***

Algebra I-  
9<sup>th</sup> grade

English 1-  
9<sup>th</sup> grade

Biology-  
9<sup>th</sup> grade

English 2-  
10<sup>th</sup> grade

US History-  
11<sup>th</sup> grade



# ENDORSEMENT

- You may change your endorsement with written parental consent.
- Before 10<sup>th</sup> grade year, during 10<sup>th</sup> grade registration course selection time

**IT IS TOO LATE TO CHANGE YOUR  
ENDORSEMENT AND SCHEDULE FOR THIS  
SCHOOL YEAR**

## ATHLETICS

English 3
AP English 3
On-Ramps Eng 3
<b>MATH</b>
Algebra 2
Algebra 2 HONORS
Pre-Calculus
Pre-Calculus HONORS
On-Ramps Pre-Calculus
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
<b>SCIENCE</b>
Chemistry 1
Chemistry 1 HONORS
Physics 1
Physics 1 AP
Physics 2 AP
Food Science
Forensic Science
Chemistry 2 AP
Biology 2 AP
Anatomy & Physiology (H)
Biology DC (Virtual)
<b>SOCIAL STUDIES</b>
US History
US History AP
US History DC
World History
World History HONORS
World History AP
Law Studies (½ credit)
Sociology (½ credit)
Psychology (½ credit)
Psychology AP (1 credit)
Psychology DC (Virtual)*
Sociology DC (Virtual)*
TX Government DC (Virtual)*
<b>FOREIGN LANGUAGE</b>
Spanish 1
Spanish 2
Spanish 2 DC
Spanish 3 HONORS
AP Spanish Language 4
AP Spanish Lit 5
French 1
French 2
French 3
AP French 1
American Sign Lang 1
American Sign Lang 2
American Sign Lang 3
Latin 1
Latin 2

## ATHLETICS

Girls Basketball*
Softball*
Girls Soccer*
Girls Track*
Girls Cross Country*
Volleyball*
Cheerleader*
Boys Basketball*
Boys Track*
Boys Soccer*
Boys Cross Country*
Football*
Golf*
Tennis*
Swimming*
Baseball*
PE – Individual Team Sports
<b>FINE ARTS*</b>
Varsity Band*
Concert Band*
Symphonic Blue*
Honors Band* ( 2 Blocks)
Wind Ensemble* (2 Blocks)
Jazz Ensemble*
Applied Music*
AP Music Theory
Music Appreciation DC (Virtual)
Concert Choir Women's
Concert Choir Men's
Intermediate Choir*
Varsity Choir*
A Cappella Choir*
Velocity Ensemble Choir*
Piano*
Art 1
Art 2
Art 1 Honors*
Art 2 Honors*
AP Art 3: 2 Dimensional*
AP Art Portfolio*
AP Art History
AP Art 3: 3 Dimensional*
Art Appreciation DC (Virtual)
Dance 1
Dance 2
Drill Team*
Drill Team Officer*
Color Guard*
Theatre Exploratory
Musical Theatre*
Technical Theatre*
Theatre Production*

## BUSINESS &amp; INDUSTRY

Prin of Agriculture
Livestock Production
Veterinary Medicine
Floral Design
Horticulture Science
Practicum in Agr (2)

## BUSINESS & INDUSTRY

Principles of Construction
Construction Tech 1 (2)
Construction Tech 2 (2)
Interior Design 1
Interior Design 2
Practicum in Construction (2)
Principles of Architecture
Principles of Architecture DC
Architecture Design 1
Architecture Design 1 DC
Architecture Design 2 (2)
Architecture Design 2 DC (2)
Practicum in Architecture (2)
Practicum in Arch DC (2)
Automotive Basics
Automotive Basics DC
Auto Tech 1 (2)
Auto Tech 1 DC (2)
Auto Tech 2 (2)
Auto Tech 2 DC (2)
Basic Collision Repair
Collision Repair (2)
Paint & Refinishing (2)
Practicum in Transportation (2)
Practicum Transportation DC (2)
Intro to Welding
Welding 1
Welding 2 (2)
Practicum in Manufacturing (2)
Prin Business & Marketing
Accounting 1
Banking and Finance
Accounting 2
Project Based Research
Principles of Arts & AV Tech
AV Production 1
AV Production 2 (2)
Video Game Design
Practicum in Audio Video (2)
Animation 1
Animation 1 DC
Animation 2 (2)
Animation 2 DC (2)
Practicum in Animation (2)
Graphic Design 1
Graphic Design 2 (2)
Practicum in Graph Des (2)
Commercial Photo 1
Commercial Photo 2 (2)
Practicum Comm Photo (2)
Fashion Design 1
Fashion Design 2 (2)
Practicum Fashion Des (2)
Digital Audio Tech 1
Digital Audio Tech 2
Principles of Info Technology
Principles of Info Tech DC
Digital Media
Digital Media DC
Web Technologies
Debate 1
Debate 2
Debate 3
Debate 4

## BUSINESS & INDUSTRY

Oral Interpretation 1  
 Oral Interpretation 2  
 Oral Interpretation 3  
 Oral Interpretation 4  
 Journalism 1  
 Journalism 2  
 Professional Comm (1/2)  
 Professional Comm DC  
 Printing & Imaging Tech 1  
 Printing & Imaging Tech 2 (2)  
 Photojournalism 1 (1/2)  
 Photojournalism 2 (1/2)  
 Entrepreneurship  
 Social Media Market (1/2)  
 Advertising (1/2)  
 Fashion Marketing (1/2)  
 Sports Marketing (1/2)  
 Advance Marketing (2)  
 Practicum in Marketing (2)  
 Business Management  
 Business Info Management 1  
 Business Info Management 2  
 Business Law (1/2)  
 Principles of Cosmetology\*  
 Intro into Cosmetology\*  
 Cosmetology 1\* (3)  
 Cosmetology 2\* (3)  
 Intro into Culinary Arts  
 Culinary Arts 1 (2)  
 Adv Culinary Arts 2 (2)  
 Practicum in Culinary (2)

## PUBLIC SERVICE

Principle of Human Service  
Lifetime Nutrition  
Interpersonal Studies (1/2)  
Child Development  
Counseling & Mental Health  
Practicum in Human Svc  
Principles in Education  
Child Guidance  
Human Growth & Dev  
Instructional Practice (2)  
Practicum in Education (2)  
Principles in Health Sci  
Medical Microbiology  
Pathophysiology  
Medical Terminology  
Health Sci Theory/Clinical (2)  
Pharmacology  
Clinical Nurse Asst (2)  
World Health Research  
Principles in Government  
Political Sci 1  
Political Sci 2  
Practicum in Government (2)

**STEM**

Principles of Info Tech  
Computer Programming 1  
Computer Programming 2  
Practicum in Info Tech (2)  
Principles of Applied Engineer  
Engineering Design 1  
Engineering Design 2  
Engineering Design 2 DC  
Practicum in STEM (2)  
AC/DC Electronics 1  
Solid State Electronics  
Robotics 1  
Robotics 2  
Fundamentals of Computer Sci  
AP Computer Sci Principles  
Computer Science 1  
AP Computer Science A  
PLTW Intro to Eng Des  
PLTW 10 Principles of Eng  
PLTW11 Eng Des Develop  
PLTW Prac in STEM

### General Electives

Sports Medicine*
Peer Mediation*
Student Council*
Ambassadors*
NHS Officers*
Partner PE*
College Prep ELAR*
College Prep Math*
College Readiness*
Pathway to College I
Pathway to College II

## OTHER




# Please Note:

- ✓ You will add courses to your course planner for every subject until they have 8 classes/credits.
- ✓ Some classes take up two class blocks or double blocked.
- ✓ There is a course selection sheet to assist with your planning.
- ✓ **Remember:** Do not make changes that affect your endorsement. If you wish to change your endorsement, contact your counselor for a endorsement change form. It requires a signature from your parent and counselor.
- ✓ **IMPORTANT:** If you select a course that you don't have permission to take, your counselor will change and select another choice for you .

## Duncanville High School Courses for Rising 11th Graders

1. English 3
2. Geometry or Algebra 2
3. US History
4. Chemistry 1
5. Foreign Language 2
6. Endorsement - 2<sup>nd</sup> year
7. Elective- (Endorsement Elective)
8. Elective

**Please note: You can select Honors for Core Classes.**

**A Honors contract must be signed by you and your parents.**



# Special Electives: VERY IMPORTANT

- ❖ If you are **currently enrolled** in an Athletic Sport, Band, Drill Team and wish to continue during 10<sup>th</sup> grade year; you can select the course for one of the elective choices.

Example: Football 2, Band 2, Drill Team 2

- ❖ If you **are not currently enrolled** in an Athletic Sport, Band, Drill Team this year; **you cannot select the course**. Once you tryout for the Team/Band with the coach/teacher and make the team, your 9<sup>th</sup> grade Counselor will enroll you in the course. Please don't select the course, because if you do; your counselor will select an elective from your endorsement pathway.



# Duncanville ISD

## House Bill 5

### Career Endorsements

#### Arts & Humanities

The Arts & Humanities Endorsement can be earned by taking a coherent sequence of courses directly related to fine and performing arts, political science, world languages, cultural studies, and English literature.

**Six Options:**

- A) A total of five social studies courses
- B) Four levels of the same language in a language other than English
- C) Two levels of the same language in a language other than English and two levels of a different language in a language other than English
- D) Four levels of American Sign Language
- E) A coherent sequence of four credits by selecting courses from one or two categories or disciplines in fine arts or innovative courses
- F) Four English Elective credits

#### Business & Industry

The Business & Industry Endorsement can be earned by taking a coherent sequence of courses directly related to the following:

Architecture & Construction

Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communication

Business Management

Finance

Information Technology

Marketing

Manufacturing

Transportation, Distribution, & Logistics

Cosmetology

Culinary Arts

English Electives:

- Broadcast Journalism
- Newspaper
- Debate

#### STEM Science, Technology, Engineering & Math

The STEM Endorsement can be earned by taking a coherent sequence of courses directly related to the following:

Engineering

Electronics

Emphasis in:  
Mathematics  
Science

Computer Science

#### Public Service

The Public Service Endorsement can be earned by taking a coherent sequence of courses directly related to the following:

Education & Training

Human Services

Health Science

#### Multi-disciplinary Studies

The Multidisciplinary Studies Endorsement can be earned by completing foundation and general endorsement requirements and:

Three options:

(A) Four advanced courses that prepare a student to enter the workforce successfully or postsecondary education without remediation from within one endorsement area or among endorsement areas that are not in a coherent sequence.

(B) Four credits in each of the four foundation subject areas to include English IV and chemistry and/or physics.

(C) Four credits in Advanced Placement or dual credit selected from English, mathematics, science, social studies, economics, languages other than English, or fine arts

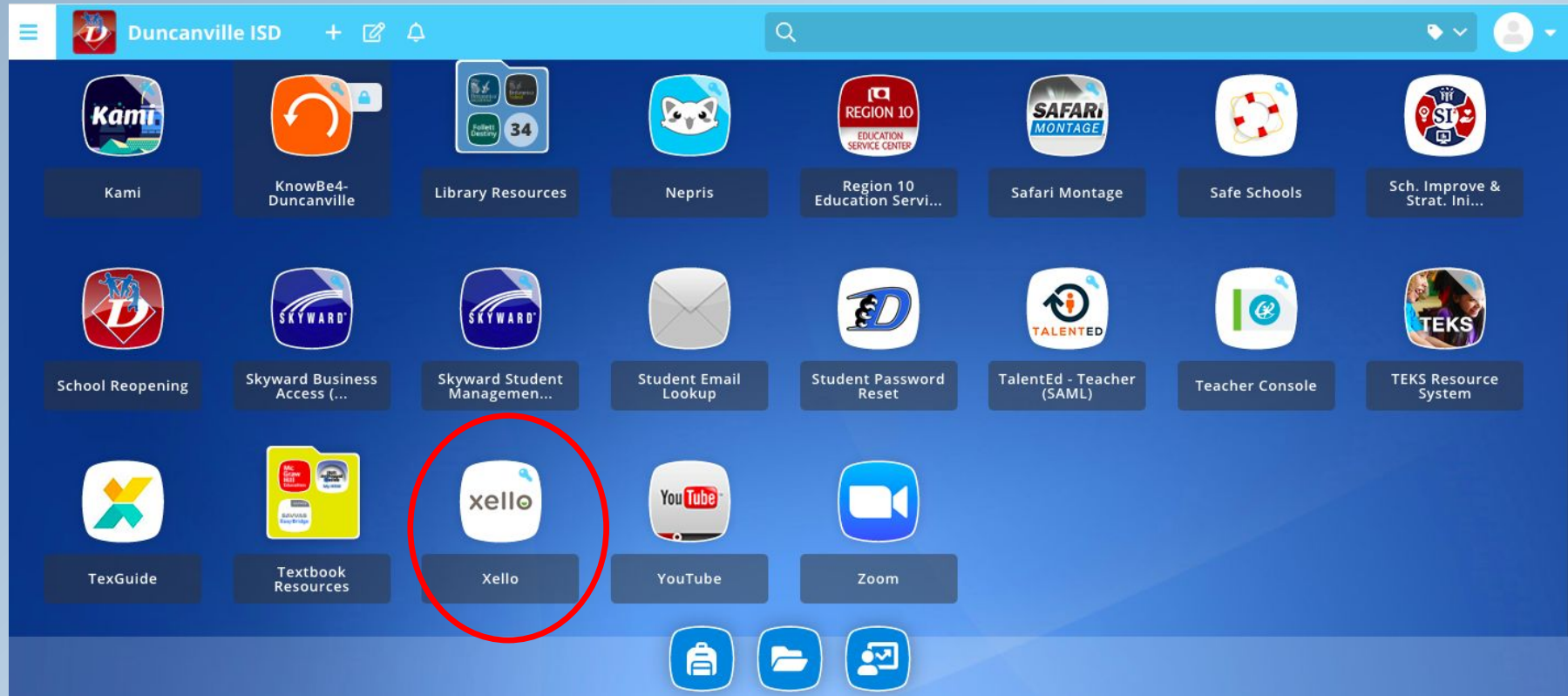


# XELLO: Getting Started



- ✓ You will need a computer device, course planning worksheet, paper to take notes or all of the above.

# Step 1: Log into Xello - Using ClassLink, look for the Xello tile on the ClassLink Dashboard.



# Xello: Video Overview



Introduction to Course Planner

# Let's Select All Your Courses...

English

Math

Science

Social Studies

Endorsement

Elective

Elective

Elective



# Helpful Websites:

## CTE/Endorsements:

- <https://www.duncanvilleisd.org/departments/career-and-technical-education>

## Academic Handbook:

- <https://www.duncanvilleisd.org/parents/handbooks>

## Clubs/Activities:

- <https://dhs.duncanvilleisd.org/activities>

## MyFuture, MyChoice:

- <https://www.duncanvilleisd.org/choice>

## DHS Counselors Webpage:

- <https://dhs.duncanvilleisd.org/counselors>

## ClassLink:

<https://launchpad.classlink.com/duncanville>

# Academic Counselors

Mrs. Prince

Mrs. Irvin

Ms. Johnson

Mrs. Wash-Jackson

Ms. Carson

Mrs. Irving

Mrs. Satcher

Mrs. Jackson

Mrs. Cross

A-BURNI

BURNL-DELA

DELE-GONZ

GOOD-J.JOHN

K.JOHN-MATA

MATE-PARKMAN

PARKS-ROMI

ROMO-TORRENCE

TORRES-Z



# QUESTIONS

