

SMW Freshman Courses 2023-2024

Course descriptions can be found in the SMSD High School Program Planning Guide under the Academics/Curriculum and Instruction link at www.smsd.org.

English Language Arts

ELA 1	1082	Year
ELA 1 Honors	1088	Year
Communication Skills 1	1060	Sem
Debate, Novice (Fall)	1424	Sem
Comp. Speech/Drama-Beg (Spring)	1064	Sem
Introduction to Theatre (prerequisite)	1450	Year
Writer's Workshop	1410	Sem

Math - Teacher Recommends Your Level

Integrated Algebra/Geometry 1	2054	Year
Integrated Algebra/Geometry 2	2056	Year
Geometry Honors	2114	Year
Intermediate Algebra	2070	Year
Algebra 2	2060	Year
Algebra 2 Honors	2064	Year

Social Studies

World Regional Studies (WRS)	3396	Year
World Regional Studies Honors	3397	Year

Science

Biology 1	4130	Year
Biology 1 Honors	4131	Year

Computer Science

Intro to Computer Programming	2033	Sem
Computer Science Principles Honors	2216	Year

Project Blue Eagle

Blue Eagle Academy (Social Studies elective)	6610	Sem
Intro to Study of Legal Systems (Social Studies elect)	6611	Sem

Art

Dark Room Photography	7696	Sem
Digital Photo	7698	Sem
Introduction to Studio Art (prerequisite)	7536	Sem
Ceramics*	7670	Sem
Drawing 1*	7645	Sem
Graphic Design - Art*	7627	Sem
Jewelry/Sculpture Studio*	7683	Sem
Painting*	7650	Sem

Business

Introduction to Business	6030	Sem
Business Law	6120	Sem
Business Management	6031	Sem
Digital Design	6010	Sem

Family & Consumer Science

Culinary Arts & Event Management

Focus on Foods (prerequisite)	6330	Sem
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Fashion, Apparel, Interior Design

Fashion, App & Inter Design Essent (prerequisite)	6383	Sem
Apparel Production 1*	6390	Sem
Career & Life Planning	6427	Sem

World Languages

French 1	5010	Year
French 2	5020	Year
French 3	5030	Year
German 1	5090	Year
Spanish 1	5160	Year
Spanish 2	5170	Year
Spanish 3	5180	Year

Physical Education/Health - apply with Callaghan

Health 1 (prerequisite)	9220	Sem
Health 2*	9225	Sem
Physical Education Concepts	8032	Sem
Dance	8171	Sem
Individual Fitness	8467	Sem
Weight Training – Coed	8256	Sem
Weight Training – Girls	8257	Sem
Advanced Weight Training (apply)	8260	Sem
Yoga	8470	Sem

Industrial Technology

Manufacturing

Metal Production	6927	Sem
Wood Design 1 (prerequisite)	6908	Year

Mobile Equipment Maintenance

Automotive Essentials	6601	Sem
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Industrial Technology cont.

Project Lead the Way

Intro to Engineering Design (prerequisite)	6769	Year
Principles of Engineering Honors*	6784	Year
Robotics	6773	Year

Digital Media - apply w/Morgan & Gill

21st Century Journalism	1481	Sem
News Media - Digital Production (apply)	1440	Year
Photo Digital Production (apply)	1441	Year
Yearbook - Digital Production (apply)	1442	Year
Video Production 1 (prerequisite)	1521	Sem
Video Production 2* (apply)	1522	Year

Music - apply w/specific teacher

Freshman Band	7196	Sem
Symphonic Band	7198	Sem
Wind Ensemble	7199	Sem
Jazz Ensemble 1 Lab	7253	Year
Orchestra - Chamber	7164	Year
Orchestra - Symphonic (apply)	7165	Year
Choir - Black & Gold Singers	7119	Year
Choir - Treble Singers	7120	Year
Choir - Bella Voce (apply)	7130	Year

Specialized Programs - apply w/alpha counselor

SEEK (Fall)	0147	Sem
SEEK (Spring)	0148	Sem
Citizen/Leader Dev Naval Sci 1 (NJROTC)	9050	Year
Jobs for America's Graduates (JAG 9/10)	9030	Year

*indicates course requires prerequisite

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eSchool Courses - fee based, taken outside school day

See your counselor for more information

COST \$180 per class

Art History	ES7615	Sem
Fitness for Life 1	ES8165	Sem
Fitness for Life 2	ES8166	Sem
Health Education 1	ES9220	Sem

SCHEDULE CHANGES

Course selection at West is a carefully arranged series of steps from January through June.

Every effort is made to honor your requests. Counselors will make schedule changes based on the following:

- ~Conflicts appearing due to a computer error
- ~Changes needed to meet a graduation requirement
- ~Failure of a prerequisite course
- ~Changes required for the health of the student with a doctor's documentation
- ~Successful completion of the course in summer school
- ~Inappropriate placement as determined by teacher, counselor, administrator with parent consultation

HONORS/AP COURSES

By requesting an Honors/AP course, you are making a commitment to staying in the first semester of the class. Honors/AP classes can be adjusted until June 1st by contacting your counselor. After June 1st you will be able to make changes for 2nd semester, but you must stay in the course for 1st semester.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Shawnee Mission School District Graduation Requirements can be found in the SMSD High School Planning Guide under the Academics/Curriculum & Instruction link at www.smsd.org and in your Skyward Account under Graduation Requirements.

Fine Arts Graduation Requirement (FA)

The following courses may be applied toward the fine arts graduation requirement.

VISUAL ARTS

Credit in all visual art courses may apply toward FA.

BUSINESS

Digital Design

Digital Design Studio

Web Design

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE

Apparel 1 & 2

Foods, Advanced

Foods, International

FAID Essentials

Interior Design

Fashion Merchandising

MANUFACTURING

Wood Design 2

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Intro to Theater

Actor's Studio

Technical Theater

Competitive Speech & Drama

Video Production 2

News Media - Digital Production

Photo - Digital Production

Yearbook - Digital Production

PERFORMING ARTS

Credit in all performing arts courses may apply toward FA

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Dance

CENTER FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Intro to Engineering Design

Commercial Baking 1 & 2

Culinary Art 1 & 2

Game Design & Development

2D Animation & Motion Graphics 1 & 2

3D Modeling & Animation 1 & 2