

9th Grade Course Selection



Santa Clara High School

Class of 2025

Expectations for Today's Meeting

Every student needs **all** of this important information.

We need **YOU** to enter your classes for next school year. The more accurate you are, the better your schedule will be.

Student Expectations:

Pay close attention

Camera On

Mic off

Respond when prompted

Please stay on task

Who is my Counselor?

Last Name:

Counselor:

A-Be

Jeanne Mustille

Bh-CI

Amoreena Fidani

Co-G

Victoria Aguaristi

H-Lo

April Anderson

Lu-Ot

Lynn Camacho-Light

Ou-Se & AVID 9

Cindy Menezes

Sf-Z

Katy Weeks

Course Selection Agenda

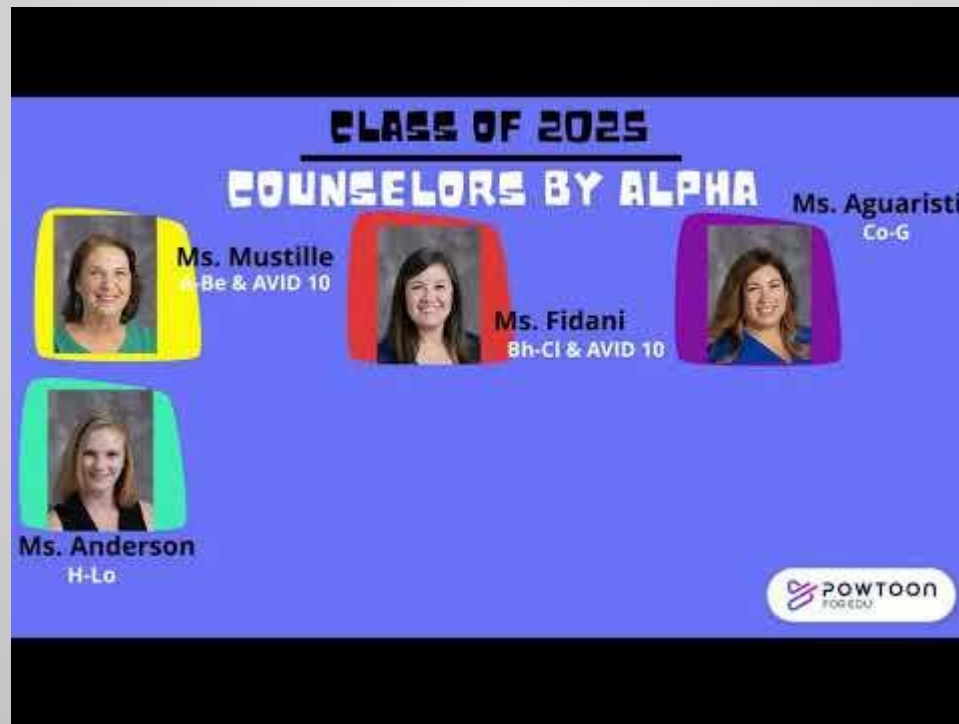
WHOLE GROUP

- ❑ Select 6 classes for 9th grade
- ❑ Select your desired start time:
 1st-6th period (7:30 am – 2:08 pm)
 OR
 2nd-7th period (8:26 am – 3:04 pm)
- ❑ Enter Courses & Start Time into Aeries

SMALL GROUP

- ❑ Meet with your Counselor & ask questions

We are so glad you are coming to SCHS!

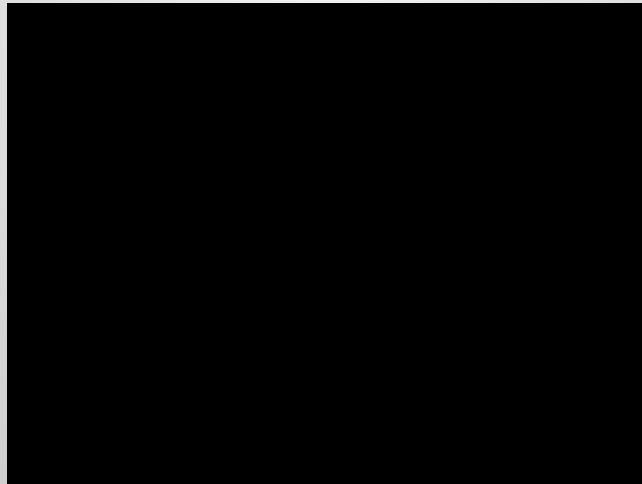


Sample 9th Grade Schedule

1. English	10 credits
2. Math	10 credits
3. Science	10 credits
4. PE	10 credits
5. Elective 1	10 credits
6. <u>Elective 2</u>	<u>10 credits</u>
Total	60 credits

Aeries Demo Video

Watch this video for a demonstration of how to enter your courses for next year



English

Graduation: 4 years

College Admission: 4 years

Choose 1 of the following year-long classes:


- English 9 ^{UC}
- English 9 Honors ^{UC}
 - Summer homework
 - application required (see English teacher for details)
 - Should have a strong grade in 8th grade English

Add An English Class In Aeries



1. Go to **“Classes”**
2. Go to **“Course Request Entry”** from the drop-down
3. Locate the **“Subject Area”** drop down menu
4. Select **“English”** from the drop down menu
5. Select your course (click the name)
6. Select **“Request Primary”**
7. Watch it appear in your course list to the left


1. Click on **Classes**
2. Go to **Course Request Entry**


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Dashboard Grades **Classes** Change Student

Course Requests

General Contact Programs 0

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 Scheduling for grade: 10 Course Requests

Primary Course Requests

Subject Area	Name or Nbr:	Sbj Area:	Search
English		English	
Mathematics			
World History			
US History			
Civics			
Economics			
Science: Physical			
Foreign Language			
Fine Arts			
Practical Arts			
Fine/Practical Arts			
PE			
Health			

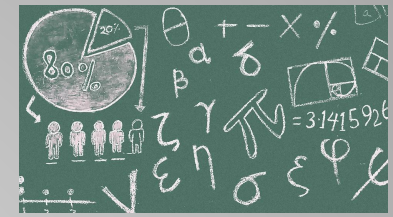
Filter Courses

Click A Course To Request or ? for Info

 English 10 (100025)  English 10 H (120525)

3. Locate **Sbj Area** Drop Down Menu
4. Select **English**
5. Click on the course name of your choice
6. Select **Request Primary**
7. Your selection should appear on the list to the left

Mathematics

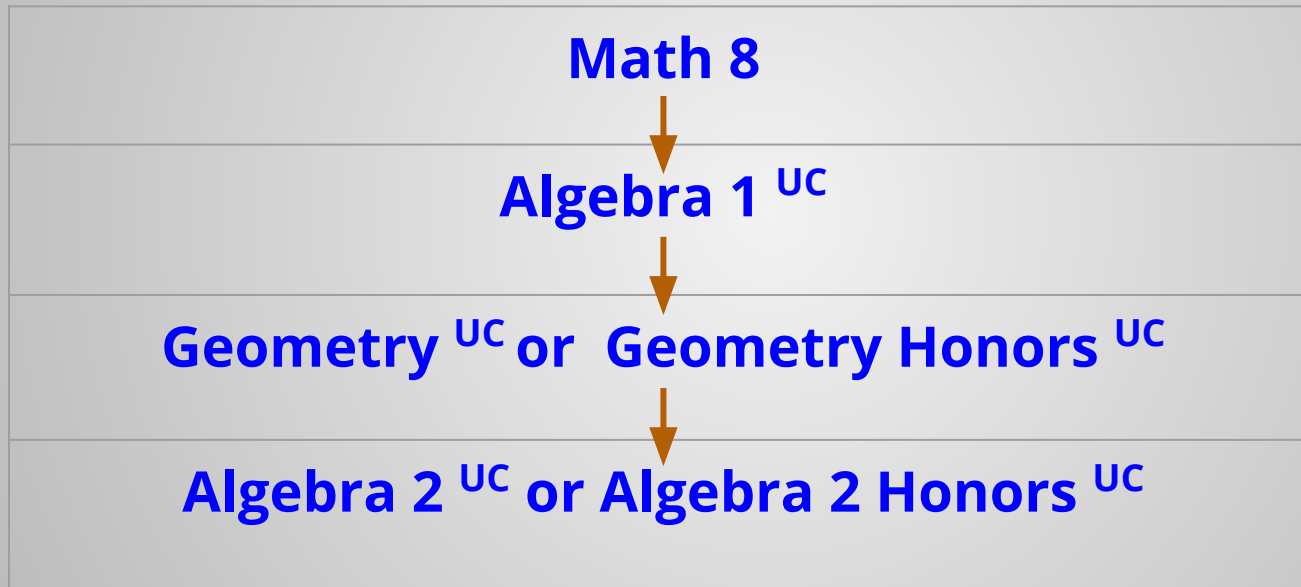


Graduation: 2 years

Must pass Alg 1

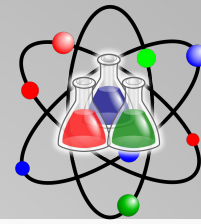
College Admission: 3 (req), 4 (rec)

Must pass Alg 2



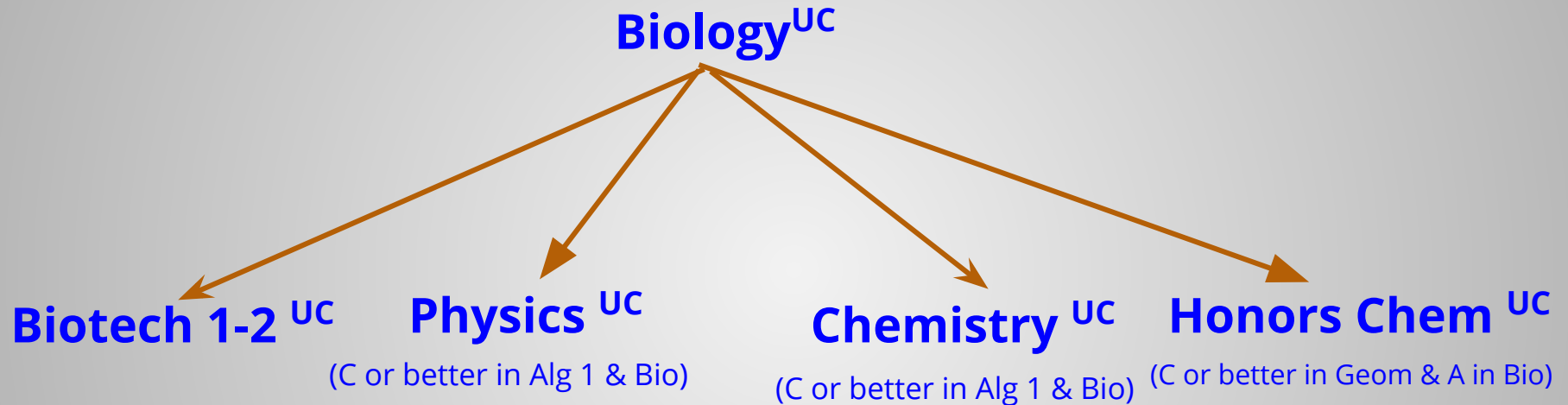
- You need a "C" or better to advance to the next level in math.
- All students in Math 8 will take Algebra 1 in 9th grade
- Students choosing honors math should have an A or high B in current math

Science



Graduation: 1 year Life Science
1 year Physical Science

College: 1 year Life & 1 year Physical
3+ yrs of science rec



- All Freshmen will sign up for Biology for 9th grade

Physical Education

25 Credits Required = **2.5** years

22.5 PE Credits 2.5 Health Credits



All 9th graders take **PE Core 9**
for all of freshmen year

Electives

- You get to select **two electives** in 9th grade (**and two alternate** electives).
- Many students like to start taking their World Language as one of their 9th grade electives.
- While elective options may seem limited in 9th grade, there will be more available to you as you progress through high school.

Let's explore your options!

World Language



Graduation: 1 year **College Admission:** 2 years of same language, 3+ rec

French 1^{UC}	Spanish 1^{UC} Spanish 2^{UC}
American Sign Language 1 (ASL 1)^{UC}	Spanish for Native Speakers 1^{UC}

- We have 3 language options at SCHS

Fine and Practical Arts

- Must complete 15 credits to graduate

**10 Practical Art and 5 Fine Art
OR
10 Fine Art and 5 Practical Art**



Fine Art vs. Practical Art

FINE ARTS

Intro to Art^{UC}
Symphonic Band 1^{UC}
Symphonic Band 2^{UC}
String Orchestra^{UC}
Theater 1^{UC}
Theater 2^{UC}
Concert Choir 1^{UC}

PRACTICAL ARTS

Exploring Computer Science^{UC}
Construction 1
Yearbook (application only)
Journalism (application only)^{UC}
IT Essentials^{UC}
Digital Media
Cybersecurity

Choosing Alternate Electives

1. You should have 6 classes entered (or 5 classes + 2 semester electives)
2. Now, enter in two alternate electives.

The screenshot shows the 'Alternate Requests' section of a course selection system. At the top, there is a 'Filter Courses' section with a search bar for 'Name or Nbr' and a dropdown for 'Sbj Area' set to 'Practical Arts'. Below this is a table of courses with 'Manage' buttons. A modal window for 'Construction 2 (674305)' is open, showing details: Subject Area #1: Practical Arts, Subject Area #2: Elective, Type: Academic Course, UC Area: Mathematics, CSU Area: None. The modal has two buttons: 'Request Primary' and 'Request Alternate', with the latter circled in orange and an arrow pointing to it.

Filter Courses	
Name or Nbr:	Sbj Area: Practical Arts
<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="Search"/>	
Click A Course To Request or ? for Info	
Manage	<input type="button" value="AP CompSci Prin (756105)"/> <input type="button" value="Culinary Arts1 (676200)"/>
Manage	<input type="button" value="Cmpr Graph Dsgn (712005)"/> <input type="button" value="Cyberse"/>
Manage	<input type="button" value="Construction 1 (674205)"/> <input type="button" value="Digital M"/>
	<input type="button" value="Construction 2 (674305)"/> <input type="button" value="Expl Con"/>

Construction 2 (674305)

Subject Area #1: **Practical Arts**

Subject Area #2: **Elective**

Type: **Academic Course**

UC Area: **Mathematics**

CSU Area: **None**

The screenshot shows the 'Alternate Course Requests' section. It has a blue header bar with the title 'Alternate Course Requests' and a 'Priority Sort' button. Below the header is a message box stating 'The school allows a maximum of 3 alternate course requests'. At the bottom, there is a list of courses with a trash icon and a question mark icon next to 'Construction 2 (674305)'. The 'Priority Sort' button is circled in orange with an arrow pointing to it.

Alternate Course Requests

The school allows a maximum of 3 alternate course requests

3. Rank alternates in order of preference using this feature

AVID

Watch our AVID
Promotional Video

What is AVID?

AVID is a college prep program that will prepare students to apply to a 4-year college after school. Students are encouraged to take rigorous coursework and pass all their classes with a “C” or better, including their AVID class, all 4 years of high school. AVID is a 4-year commitment.

Who is AVID for?

AVID is for the average student who is motivated to succeed and has the desire to attend college. You may be the first person in your family to attend college and need extra support with academics/college planning.

How do I apply for AVID?

- You must [apply](#) by April 16 and interviews will begin on April 26
- You will be notified of your acceptance by June 2
- You should add AVID as an *alternate elective* and we will add it to your schedule if you are accepted

Which Schedule Would You Like?

At SCHS, students get to choose between two schedule options:


Early start/early dismissal or Late start/late dismissal

Enter the 6-digit **Course Number** for your preferred start time into the ***Name or Nbr*** field

999907 (Early Start) for 1st – 6th (7:30 – 2:10 tentative)
(recommended for school athletes)

999901 (Late Start) for 2nd – 7th (8:26 – 3:04)

Choosing Your Start Time


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US History

Civics

Economics

Science: Physical

Foreign Language

Fine Arts

Practical Arts

Fine/Practical Arts

PE

Health

Science: Life

Filter Courses

Name or Nbr: 999907 Sbj Area: Show All Courses Search Remove Filter

Click A Course To Request or ? for Info

? No 7th Period (999907)

Type in the six-digit course number of the schedule that you want into the Name or Nbr field:

- 1st - 6th period (No 7th): **999907**
- 2nd - 7th period (No 1st): **999901**

What's Next?

- ❑ Click on the name of **your counselor** to meet with her and get your scheduling questions answered.
- ❑ Review your desired classes with parents; make sure they are finalized by due date.
- ❑ Make sure you have entered **6 classes, 2 alternate electives, and a schedule preference** into Aeries.

Link for Counselor Meets

- Counselor will now paste below link into chat for you to click on to meet with **your** counselor.
 - Link will take you to below image, then click on your counselor's name!
 - Be sure to notice who your counselor is, based on your last name, as indicated on the slide.
 - https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1z00nUhjN8QDgXysdQnMJQHpnR-UMF_uqP3knByEkbK0/edit?usp=sharing

