Student/Parent Handbook

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Clear Horizons Early College High School

Mission:

Equipping all students for success in college, career, and community leadership.

Vision:

The programs and practices of Clear Horizons Early College High School reflect our commitment to creating a transformative educational experience that drives students and staff to achieve at the highest level.

Motto:

In all you say and do, #RizeUp!

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The purpose of this handbook is to document for students and parents the structures, procedures, systems, and practices that direct the work of Clear Horizons ECHS. Students who are enrolled in Clear Horizons ECHS are required to abide by the policies of both Clear Creek ISD and San Jacinto College. Throughout this handbook the following acronyms will be used: CHECHS (Clear Horizons Early College High School), CCISD (Clear Creek Independent School District), SJC (San Jacinto College).

The following documents should be reviewed in addition to this handbook.

Clear Creek ISD Educational Planning Guide

Clear Creek ISD Grading and Reporting Procedures (Regulation EIA)

Clear Creek ISD Student Code of Conduct and Student Handbook

San Jacinto College Catalog

San Jacinto College Student Handbook

Academic Calendars
CCISD and SJC calendars are not always identical. Students are responsible for attending all high school and college classes every day. Transportation will be provided every day class is in session. In the event that CCISD is closed, transportation to and from the zoned high schools will be provided.
The Texas Education Agency requires that high school students attend school every day on the high school calendar. CHECHS students will be required to attend even when college classes are not in session. Please review the CHECHS Calendar (Appendix A) for specifics.

Diplomas – Programs of Study
The following are the minimum expectations for CHECHS students:

- Fulfill the CCISD Distinguished Level of Achievement (DLA) diploma requirements, as defined by TEA HB5.
- Complete all State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) End of Course (EOC) test score requirements.
- Work toward completing three years of the same world language to facilitate acceptance to a 4-year university.
- Obtain at least 60 hours of college credit to be used towards a four-year bachelor's degree.
- Meet the requirements for an Associate of Arts in General Studies.
    - All other majors must be preapproved by CHECHS Administration and the SJC Office of Dual Credit.

To ensure students are on track for both the high school diploma and the associate degree, all CHECHS students will meet with a high school counselor at least once per year. Students can also meet with the SJC Dual Credit Educational Planners for advising sessions.

TSIA
The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board requires all institutes of higher learning assess the academic skills of each entering undergraduate student to determine college readiness by taking the Texas Success Initiative Assessment (TSIA). Students must meet criteria on the math, reading, and writing portions of the TSIA to obtain eligibility to enroll in certain college level courses. Students who do not meet the appropriate criteria are required to pursue remediation and to retest. Students will not be charged for up to 5 attempts. The form to retest is requested by the CHECHS counselor and signed by the SJC Dual Credit office. The student can only test with this signed form.

In some cases, students are exempt from passing the TSIA. Students with the following scores can be exempt:

- ACT – composite score of 23 with a minimum of 19 on the English test and 19 on the mathematics test.
- SAT – students with a minimum score of 480 on the Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) test and a minimum score of 530 on the mathematics test.

***Students who are unable to pass the Reading and Writing portions of the TSIA, by August of the 11th grade year, will have to withdraw from CHECHS.**

Alternative High School Enrollments and High School Credits
CHECHS students must be enrolled in the CHECHS courses according to the sequences outlined in the CHECHS Pathways (See Appendix B.1- B.7). CHECHS students must obtain preapproval from CHECHS Administration before enrolling in any outside courses (private, distance learning, credit by exam. . .etc.) including those offered by CCISD in Clear Access, Clear Stars, and CCISD Summer School. Students who do not get preapproval may not be awarded credit. Please note that any outside credits earned may be awarded as local credits only and are not factored into GPA.

CHECHS Course Registration
Course selection takes place for high school courses in February for the following Fall semester. The process is based on the four-year planning process with the CHECHS counselors. The course selection card does require a parent and student signature.

The most up-to-date copies of the student's schedule will be provided before classes begin. SJC rooms and professors are not printed on the high school schedule. To obtain SJC course information students will log into their SOS account. Students are encouraged to print their SJC schedule info from the SOS. Students are encouraged to review the SOS for any possible hold that may slow down the registration process. Holds may include overdue library fines, college residency questions, vaccinations, etc.
A reasonable college load is 12-15 credit hours per semester. Special permission is needed from both CHECHS administration and SJC Dual Credit to enroll in more than 18 college credit hours per semester. Instructor change requests are not accepted at CHECHS or for SJC courses. All SJC courses are requested through the CHECHS counselors and are scheduled based on four-year planning, timeline, high school course conflicts, and schedule availability. CHECHS students take SJC courses that are face-to-face and meet during the regular high school day. In extenuating circumstances online courses and/or mini-semester courses may be considered. Any course outside of the CHECHS Pathways or outside of the high school calendar requires prior approval from the CHECHS Administration and SJC Dual Credit office.

Schedule Changes
All high school schedule changes will follow the procedures outlined in the CCISD Educational Planning Guide. SJC typically does not honor schedule changes. If because of extenuating circumstances SJC or CCISD permits a course drop, the CHECHS student will be scheduled in a CHECHS Teacher Tutorial for the remainder of the semester.

Academic Expectations
- College and advanced high school courses may require up to two hours of study time outside of class each week.
- All assignments should be turned in on time and complete.
- Students are expected to utilize all resources offered by CHECHS and SJC to ensure passing of each course.
- Monitor and participate appropriately in both Blackboard and Canvas daily.
- Communicate with SJC professors via SJC email.
- Communicate with CCISD teachers via CCISD email.
- Monitor both SJC and CCISD email accounts daily.

Dual Credit Courses, Grades, and Credits
Dual credit is not available for every SJC course. In order for a student to receive dual credit, both high school and college credit, the course must be cross-walked with courses identified by TEA. The available course crosswalk can be found in Appendix D.

CCISD determines the courses for which dual credit is awarded. To receive high school credit the college course grade must be at least a C. Although a grade of a D is considered passing on the college level, high school credit is not awarded. Students who earn a D in a college course that is required for high school graduation, must retake the course.

SJC courses taken for dual credit will count toward the academic UIL rule, commonly known as "No Pass, No Play." Students will follow the CCISD eligibility calendar. All college courses in progress are considered passing until notification is received from the instructor.

SJC courses are managed by SJC faculty. Any disputes regarding grades, course content, schedules, calendar, attendance, or other issues are to be addressed with the SJC instructor and/or the SJC Office of Dual Credit.

Students with a disability (IEP or 504) should contact the SJC Disabilities Services Director through the Dual Credit Office. Students can bring a copy of the IEP or 504 for consideration of SJC.

Academic Integrity
CHECHS students must adhere to both the CCISD Honor Code and the SJC Policy on classroom behavior. Students who are found cheating or plagiarizing will be subject to consequences based on these policies.

GPA & Class Rank
Policies regarding GPA, Class Rank, and Classification are in the CCISD Educational Planning Guide. SJC will only issue letter grades beginning with the Fall of 2023. The table below outlines how those grades will be converted for CCISD transcripts and GPA calculations. Unlike the comprehensive high schools, CHECHS dual credit courses are included in the GPA calculations. To receive dual credit towards the high school diploma a student must earn a C or higher in a college class.

Clear Horizons Early College High School Transfer Grades and Grade Points for Dual Credit Coursework

Note: The following provisions shall apply only to students attending Clear Horizons Early College High School (CHECHS) beginning with the 2023-2024 school year.

COLLEGE LETTER GRADE	CHECHS NUMERIC GRADE	CCISD GRADE POINTS LEVEL 1
A	95	5.5
B	85	4.5
C	75	3.5
D	65	0
F	60	0

Semester Averaging for SJC Courses
Semester Averaging for credit is allowed for SJC courses that are taken within the same academic school year and within the same subject. For example, a 60 in first semester BIOL and an 80 in second semester BIOL would grade average to a passing, yearlong average of 70.

Academic Resources
CHECHS Resources
All CHECHS teachers are available upon request for tutorials two days a week during advisory. Teachers also publish at least one more hour a week during lunch or after school for tutorials. A late bus is offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout the school year to assist with late transportation and allow students to stay for tutorials. Students who want to take the late bus must sign up by 1:00 PM in the front office. National Honor Society students offer tutorials for high school classes once a week. Watch the morning announcements for details.
SJC Resources
Students who are struggling in a college course should always reach out to the instructor for help. All instructors have office hours and may be available to assist. The Student Success Center, located on the first floor of the SJC library, offers tutoring in a variety of subjects. Students can stop by and request help.

Academic Concerns
Students who do not meet the academic requirements for the CHECHS program will be referred to the CHECHS Faculty Committee for review. This committee reviews student data and will make recommendations to the CHECHS administration regarding continuation in the program. The following will be considered for review:

- Completion of 6 credits each school year
- TSIA proficiency
- SJC academic standing
- Attendance
- Discipline

Based on the committee's recommendation the student may have to withdraw from CHECHS or may be placed on an academic contract to remain at CHECHS for the following semester.

Student Conduct
Students are responsible for all conduct mentioned in both the CCISD Student Code of Conduct and the SJC Student Handbook. Disciplinary consequences may be incurred based on the CCISD Code of Conduct and/or SJC Student Handbook. CCISD and SJC handle each incident independently and a student may incur consequences from both CCISD and SJC for a single incident.

Attendance Expectations

- Attend every high school class, including Advisory, and every college class, every day.
- Arrive on time to every class.
- Attend SJC classes whenever they are in session even if it falls on a CCISD holiday. (See CHECHS Calendar Appendix A)

Students leaving early must sign out in the front office. 11th & 12th grade students may qualify for early release when the college classes are not in session. Proper documentation and permission must be obtained. When returning from an absence, students should bring a parent or doctor's note with the reason for the absence noted. This note needs to be turned in within one week of the absence. Students who miss multiple times in a SJC class may be issued an FX. This means the student fails the course because of excessive absences. An FX is equivalent to an F on the high school and college transcript. Students who receive an FX will be referred to the CHECHS Faculty Committee for review. Students may be required to withdraw if an FX is issued.

Disciplinary Removal

CHECHS students will abide by the CCISD Student Code of Conduct and model the CCISD Core Values: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship. Should a student behavior require student placement at DAEP (Disciplinary Alternative Educational Placement), the student will be required to withdraw from CHECHS and enroll in his/her zoned high school.

Program Costs

The CHECHS program is designed for students to earn a high school diploma and an associate degree at no cost. During the Fall and Spring semesters all costs associated with CHECHS Pathway courses be covered by CCISD and with generous support from the Clear Creek Educational Foundation.

Textbooks

Textbooks, including online resources, for both high school and college classes are provided at no cost when students are completing courses on the CHECHS Pathways (See Appendix B). Every effort will be made to issue students SJC textbooks prior to the start of the SJC course. There may be a time when the textbook isn't available. In this case, CHECHS will notify the SJC Dual Credit office to inform the SJC instructors of the extenuating circumstances. When materials become available, students will be notified via CCISD email. Students who are "not clear" from the prior semester will not be issued textbooks until all fees/fines are cleared, in alignment with CCISD procedures. Students will return all textbooks on or before the last class meeting. Materials returned with damage or lost materials may result in fines, based on CCISD policy.

Laptops

CCISD provides a laptop for every student. If a student chooses to bring his/her own device, it must be a laptop with the capabilities of accessing all CCISD and SJC online curriculum and resources.
For more information regarding CCISD devices, including insurance, privacy, and responsible use guidelines, please visit: https://www.ccisd.net/student-devices.

Parking
Students who have a valid driver's license and park a vehicle must obtain a free SJC parking permit from the SJC Business office. Students should review all parking requirements in the SJC Student Handbook. Students must also register the SJC permit with the CHECHS front office. Parking permits may be revoked for disciplinary reasons at the discretion of CHECHS or SJC Administration.

Instructional Technology Resources
Clear Horizons ECHS Website: https://chechs.ccisd.net/
On the CHECHS website students can easily locate the "Calendar" from the top right corner and stay up to date with the latest "Coyote Connection" newsletter linked on the Home Page.

Skyward
Access student information, report cards, emergency contacts, pay fees or fines.
Located on the CHECHS website. Click on "Logins" on the top right corner of the home page.

Naviance Family Connection
Stay connected with information regarding colleges, scholarships, and careers.
Located on the CHECHS website. Click on "Logins" on the top right corner of the home page.

Blackboard
SJC uses Blackboard as the Learning Management System. Students have access to course materials and grades for college courses. Students should monitor Blackboard daily.

SJC Secure Online System (SOS)
The SJC Portal, often called SOS, is where all college student information is held, including schedules, transcript history, grades, professor contact, and class locations.

SJC AlertMe
SJC communicates all emergency and safety information through SJC AlertMe. Students can sign up for notification through their SOS account. Parents and guardians can sign up for alerts as well using a cellphone or email: https://www.sanjac.edu/alert-me.

SJC Email
SJC faculty and staff will only communicate with students through the SJC email. Students should monitor SJC email daily.

CCISD Email
Students should communicate with CHECHS staff using CCISD email. Students should monitor CCISD email daily. The CCISD email can be accessed through the CCISD SSO Portal.

Canvas
CCISD's new learning management system is Canvas. CHECHS teachers utilize Canvas to provide instructional material, announcements, assignments, and grades. Students should be monitoring Canvas daily. The Canvas app can be downloaded on to a device and is also found in the CCISD SSO portal.

Clubs and Events

Students have full access to clubs and events at both CHECHS and SJC.

CHECHS Clubs

Students should review opportunities and participate in multiple clubs. Students who wish to start a new high school club must find a teacher sponsor, create a proposal with the sponsor, complete a club application, and request approval from the CHECHS principal. Stay connected with clubs through Remind, morning announcements, and weekly newsletter, the Coyote Connection.

SJC Clubs

SJC Clubs are governed by the Office of Student Life. Visit with the coordinator in S11.115 (Student Center). Students who miss a high school class while participating in a SJC event must request approval from CHECHS administration in advance or the absence will be unexcused.

Service Learning

CHECHS students receive up to 60 hours of college credit at no cost. To instill gratitude and payback to the community who supports our students, service learning is required each year.

- All CHECHS students must complete 20 hours each school year.
- Hours can be earned from the first day of school of the 9th grade year.
- Hours must be completed and documentation submitted by May 1st each year.
- Hours must be documented on company letterhead and/or in the form of official communication. Documentation must include the following:
    - Name of student
    - Number of hours served
    - Date of hours served
    - Name, signature, and contact information of the on-site supervisor
- All hours must be submitted on Canvas by May 1st
- A reflection paper is required each year to validate the hours for the year. Papers are written during advisory in the Spring semester.
- Students who do not complete and turn in documented hours, along with the reflection paper, by May 1st, will not be exempt for Semester 2 Final Exams.

Withdrawal

Families are asked to make a four-year commitment to CHECHS. This commitment is reiterated annually with the Parent/Student Agreement (See Appendix C). The CHECHS staff is committed to helping each student and family work through difficulties that may cause a student to consider withdrawal. A meeting with the CHECHS Principal is required prior to a withdraw request.

Appendix A

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Appendix B.1

Clear Horizons ECHS

Students Entering CHECHS beginning FALL 2021-2022

- NSL = no skill level required from SJC TSI
- R7 = Reading must be a 7 on TSI
- W7 = Writing must be a 7 on TSI
- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	**SJC Math 1314** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 or 4 hours*
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	**SJC Econ 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Arts - General Studies (1G-STUDY)

Appendix B.2

Clear Horizons ECHS

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- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	**SJC Math 1324** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math 1325** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 hours*
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2302** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC ACCT 2301** R7/M9 *3 hours*	**SJC ACCT 2302** R7/M9 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC BCIS 1305** NSL *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Arts – Business (1BUSINESS)

*12 SCH in the following classes BCIS 1305, ACCT 2301, ACCT 2302, BUSI 2301, ECON 2302.

Appendix B.3

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- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	(Alg I Honors – 8th) Geom Honors	(Alg I Honors – 8th) Geom Honors	Alg II Honors	Alg II Honors	**SJC Math 1314** M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math 2412** M9 *4 hours*	**SJC Math 2413** M9 *4 hours*	
SCIENCE	(Bio Honors – 8th) Chem Honors	(Bio Honors – 8th) Chem Honors	Physics or Physics AP	Physics or Physics AP	**SJC Science*** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science*** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science*** (5th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science*** (5th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*			**SJC Science*** SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science*** SL will vary *4 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Science – Natural Science (2NATSCI)

*18 SCH in any BIOL, CHEM, PHYS, or GEOL (except BIOL 1308/1108 and1309/1109; BIOL 1322; CHEM 1305/1105).

Appendix B.4

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Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	(Alg I Honors – 8th) Geom Honors	(Alg I Honors – 8th) Geom Honors	Alg II Honors	Alg II Honors	**SJC Math 1314** M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math 2412** M9 *4 hours*		
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science*** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science*** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED** **HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC COSC 1436** *4 hours*	**SJC COSC 1437** *4 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary (COSC/MATH/ PHYS) *3-4 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary (COSC/MATH/PHYS) *3-4 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC BCIS 1305** NSL *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Science – Computer Science (2COSCI)

*6-8 SCH. in either COSC 2325, COSC 2436, MATH 2413, MATH 2414, PHYS 2325/2125 or PHYS 2326/2126.

Appendix B.5

Clear Horizons ECHS

Students Entering CHECHS beginning FALL 2021-2022

- NSL = no skill level required from SJC TSI
- R7 = Reading must be a 7 on TSI
- W7 = Writing must be a 7 on TSI
- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	(Alg I Honors – 7th Geom Honors – 8th) Alg II Honors	(Alg I Honors – 7th Geom Honors – 8th) Alg II Honors	**SJC Math 1314** M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math 2412** M9 *4 hours*	**SJC MATH* 2413** M9 *4 hours*	**SJC MATH* 2414** M9 *4 hours*	**SJC MATH* 2415, 2318, or 2320** M9 *3 or 4 hours*	
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*			
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC Academic Elective** *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*		Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Science – Mathematics (2MATH)

*12 SCH in MATH 2318, 2320, 2413, 2414, or 2415.

Appendix B.6

Clear Horizons ECHS

Students Entering CHECHS beginning FALL 2021-2022

- NSL = no skill level required from SJC TSI
- R7 = Reading must be a 7 on TSI
- W7 = Writing must be a 7 on TSI
- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	**SJC Math 1314** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 or 4 hours*
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Arts – Social and Behavioral Sciences (1SOC-BEHV)

*12 SCH in ANTH, HIST, HUMA, PHIL, PSYC, or SOCI (For 2nd SJC Math – MATH 1342 is recommended for this associates degree)

Appendix B.7

Clear Horizons ECHS

Students Entering CHECHS beginning FALL 2021-2022

- NSL = no skill level required from SJC TSI
- R7 = Reading must be a 7 on TSI
- W7 = Writing must be a 7 on TSI
- M9 = Math must be a 9 on TSI

Subject	9th Grade Fall	9th Grade Spring	10th Grade Fall	10th Grade Spring	11th Grade Fall	11th Grade Spring	12th Grade Fall	12th Grade Spring
ENGLISH	Eng I Honors	Eng I Honors	Eng II Honors	Eng II Honors	**SJC English 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC English 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	AP Literature	AP Literature
MATH	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Alg I Honors Geom Honors Alg II Honors	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Geom Honors Alg II Honors or College Math	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	Alg II Honors or College Math (4th HS Math)	**SJC Math 1314** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 hours*	**SJC Math** (4th HS Math) M9 *3 or 4 hours*
SCIENCE	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Bio Honors Chem Honors	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Chem Honors Physics or Physics AP	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	Physics Physics AP or College Sci	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*	**SJC Science** (4th HS Sci) SL will vary *4 hours*
SOCIAL STUDIES	AP Human Geography	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP World History	**SJC History 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC History 1302** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2305** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC ECON 2301** R7/W7/M8 *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC PHED HS requirement** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC PHED 1164** NSL *1 elective hour*	**SJC Speech** R6 *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Govt 2306** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*
ELECTIVES	**SJC EDUC 1100** *1 elective hour*	**SJC Fine Arts** SL will vary *3 hours*	**SJC PHIL 1301 or HUMA 1301** R7/W7 *3 hours*	**SJC Elective*** SL will vary *3 hours*	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Independent Study Mentorship	Dollars and Sense
WLC	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span I Honors Span II Honors Span III Honors	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span II Honors Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	Span III Honors AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang	AP Span Lang

PATHWAY PLAN: Associate of Arts – Fine Arts (1FINEARTS)

*12 SCH in ARTS, DRAM, DANC, or MUSI.

Appendix C

Clear Horizons Early College High School

2023-2024 Student and Parent/Guardian Agreement

I, _____ understand enrollment in Clear Horizons Early College High School is a commitment to an alternative high school campus. I will meet the obligations and complete all requirements for this high school. I will be dedicated and committed to becoming a self-motivated and independent learner. Students and parents/guardians should initial by each statement below to indicate that you understand and will follow the following expectations and understand the unique aspects of attending CHECHS, a school of choice.

Student	Parent	
_____	_____	Students report to advisory every day by 8:00 AM.
_____	_____	Students attend all high school classes following the CHECHS calendar.
_____	_____	Students attend all college classes even when CCISD is closed.
_____	_____	Students meet all requirements of a CHECHS Pathway Plan on an annual basis.
_____	_____	Students always maintain appropriate behavior.
_____	_____	Students check CCISD and SJC email daily and respond appropriately.
_____	_____	Students log in and monitor Blackboard and Canvas daily.
_____	_____	Students complete 20 hours/year of service learning and provide documentation by May 1st.
_____	_____	Students register vehicle with both SJC and CHECHS if driving on campus.
_____	_____	Students sign out of the office before leaving campus. (parent or guardian permission required)
_____	_____	Breakfast and Lunch service is provided by CCISD but the menu may vary from other campuses.
_____	_____	Students who receive an FX in a SJC course will be referred to the CHECHS Faculty Committee for review.
_____	_____	CHECHS program is provided at no cost to students who complete the program outlined in a CHECHS pathway during the regular school year.
_____	_____	Any behavioral violation resulting in assignment to DAEP will result in withdrawal from CHECHS.
_____	_____	Academic or behavioral suspension from SJC will result in withdrawal from CHECHS.
_____	_____	Materials in SJC are designed for mature learners. CHECHS students will have access to all SJC library material.
_____	_____	Students who utilize non-CCISD issued devices will not have CCISD filters. CCISD and families should work together to ensure safe and secure Internet use.
_____	_____	SJC dual credit courses are taught by SJC-employed instructors. Any disputes regarding college courses are to be addressed to the SJC instructor and/or the SJC Dual Credit Office.
_____	_____	Students and Families should read and adhere to the following documents: CHECHS Student Handbook, CCISD Student Handbook and Student Code of Conduct, CCISD Grading & Reporting Procedures, SJC Student Handbook.

By signing below I agree that I have read and understand the components of the CHECHS 23-24 Student Handbook.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Appendix D.1

CROSS-WALK OF CCISD COURSES AND SJC COURSES

CCISD ID	SJC ID	Course Description	Codes	CCISD ID	SJC ID	Course Description	Codes
7348	ACCT 2301	Principals of Financial Accounting		2816	COSC 1436	Programming Fundamentals I	
7349	ACCT 2302	Principals of Managerial Accounting	P	2817	COSC 1437	Programming Fundamentals II	P
4889	ANTH 2351	Cultural Anthropology		2828	COSC 2325	Computer Organization	P
8008	ARTS 1301	Art Appreciation		2829	COSC 2436	Programming Fundamentals III	P
8258	ARTS 1303	Art History I		8908	DANC 2303	Dance Appreciation	
8259	ARTS 1304	Art History II		8408	DRAM 1120	Theatre Practicum I	
8058	ARTS 1311	Design I		8338	DRAM 1310	Theatre Appreciation	
8059	ARTS 1312	Design II	P	8339	DRAM 1341	Stage Makeup	
8238	ARTS 1316	Drawing I		8358	DRAM 1351	Acting I	
8031 SJC	ARTS 1317	Drawing II	P	8359	DRAM 1352	Acting II	
8057	ARTS 2316	Painting I		8348	DRAM 2366	Film Appreciation	
8203	ARTS 2348	Digital Art I		4518	ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	
8009	ARTS 2356	Photography I		4528	ECON 2302	Principles of Microeconomics	
7329	BCIS 1305	Business Computer Applications		7707	EDUC 1100	Learning Framework	
3868	BIOL 1306	Biology for Science Majors I		7718	EDUC 1301	Intro to the Teaching Profession	
3869	BIOL 1307	Biology for Science Majors II		7719	EDUC 2301	Intro to Special Populations	
3865	BIOL 1308	Biology for Non-Science Majors I		1328	ENGL 1301	Composition I	
3866	BIOL 1309	Biology for Non-Science Majors II		1329	ENGL 1302	Composition II	P
7048	*BIOL 1311*	*General Botany*	*P*	1518	ENGL 2307	Creative Writing	
7519	BIOL 1322	Nutrition & Diet Therapy		*1519*	*ENGL 2308*	*Creative Writing Studies*	*P*
3848	BIOL 2301	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	P	1529	ENGL 2311	Technical and Business Writing	P
3849	BIOL 2302	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	P	1333	ENGL 2322	British Literature I	P
3038	BIOL 2320	Microbiology for Health Sci Majors	P	1338	ENGL 2323	British Literature II	P
3048	BIOL 2321	Microbiology for Science Majors	P	1997	ENGL 2327	American Literature I	P
7313	BUSI 2301	Business Law		1998	ENGL 2328	American Literature II	P
3228 SJC	CHEM 1305	Intro to Chemistry I		1523	ENGL 2332	World Literature I	P
3229 SJC	*CHEM 1307*	*Intro to Chemistry II*	P	1528	ENGL 2333	World Literature II	P
3528 SJC	CHEM 1311	General Chemistry I	P	1558	ENGL 2341	Literature & Film	P
3529 SJC	CHEM 1312	General Chemistry II	P	7910 SJC	ENGR 1201	Introduction to Engineering	P
3523	CHEM 2323	Organic Chemistry I	P	7900 SJC	ENGR 1304	Engineering Graphics I	P
3524	CHEM 2325	Organic Chemistry II	P	7911 SJC	ENGR 2305	Electrical Circuits I	P
5408	CHIN 1411	Beginning Chinese I		5008	FREN 1411	Beginning French I	
5409	CHIN 1412	Beginning Chinese II	P	5009	FREN 1412	Beginning French II	P

Appendix D.2

CROSS-WALK OF CCISD COURSES AND SJC COURSES

CCISD ID	SJC ID	Course Description	Codes	CCISD ID	SJC ID	Course Description	Codes
3808	GEOL 1303	Physical Geology		6085	PHED 1114	Jogging	
3809	GEOL 1304	Historical Geology	P	6023	PHED 1119	Exercise for Health & Fitness	
5108	GERM 1411	Beginning German I		6084	PHED 1121	Slow Pitch Softball	
5109	GERM 1412	Beginning German II	P	6086	PHED 1122	Soccer	
4328	GOVT 2305	Federal Government		6089	PHED 1126	Team Sports	
4329	GOVT 2306	Texas Government		6063	PHED 1134	Yoga I	
7518	*HECO 1322*	*Nutrition & Diet Therapy*		6043	PHED 1140	Martial Arts	
4218	HIST 1301	United States History I		6068	PHED 1143	Fitness Walking	
4219	HIST 1302	United States History II		6033	PHED 1145	Kickboxing for Fitness	
4258	HIST 2311	Western Civilization I		6028	PHED 1164	Intro to Physical Fitness/Wellness	
4259	HIST 2312	Western Civilization II		6087	PHED 2140	Advanced Martial Arts	P
1557	HUMA 1301	Introduction to the Humanities I		4758	PHIL 1301	Intro to Philosophy	
7328	ITSC 1309	Integrated Software Applications I		4759	PHIL 1304	Introduction to World Religions	
2297	MATH 1314	College Algebra		4748	PHIL 2303	Logic I	
2298	MATH 1324	Math for Business & Social Sciences		4888	PHIL 2306	Introduction to Ethics	
2728	MATH 1325	Calculus for Business & Social Sciences	P	4783	PHIL 2307	Intro to Social & Political Philosophy	
2731 SJC	MATH 1332	Contemporary Mathmatics		3733	PHYS 1301	College Physics I	P
2628	MATH 1342	Statistics		3738	PHYS 1302	College Physics II	P
2529	MATH 2318	Linear Algebra	P	3878	PHYS 2325	University Physics I	P
2629	MATH 2320	Differential Equations	P	3879	PHYS 2326	University Physics II	P
2329	MATH 2412	PreCalculus Math	P	4718	PSYC 2301	General Psychology	
2428	MATH 2413	Calculus I	P	4798	PSYC 2308	Child Psychology	P
2429	MATH 2414	Calculus II	P	4768	PSYC 2314	Lifespan Growth & Development	P
2528	MATH 2415	Calculus III	P	4728	PSYC 2315	Psychology of Adjustment	P
8616	MUEN 1122	Concert Band		4788	PSYC 2317	Statistical Methods in Psycholgy	P
8888	MUEN 1141	College Choir		4778	PSYC 2319	Social Psychology	P
8618	*MUSI 1163*	*Jazz Improvisation I*		4738	SOCI 1301	Intro to Sociology	
8848	MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation		4739	SOCI 1306	Social Problems	
8868	MUSI 1307	Music Literature		5208	SPAN 1411	Beginning Spanish I	
8849	MUSI 1310	American Music		5209	SPAN 1412	Beginning Spanish II	P
6053	PHED 1101	Beginning Tennis	P	1607	SPCH 1315	Public Speaking	
6058	PHED 1102	Advanced Tennis		1608	SPCH 1318	Interpersonal Communications	
6054	PHED 1112	Badminton		1609	SPCH 1321	Business & Professional Speech	

Codes: P = Prerequisites JANUARY 2023 *Inactive classes are Italicized*