

Course Registration For 24-25

Class of 2026

AGENDA:

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Graduation Requirements

Class of 2026

Department	# of Credits
English	8
Social Studies	7
Math	6
Science	6
Fine Arts	2
Health	1
PE	1
Electives	12
Total Credits	43



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Registration Process

Please keep in mind the following when selecting your courses:

1. Know the requirements to graduate
2. Review the course information located in the [Course Description](#) section of this document
3. Talk to your parents/guardians
4. Talk to your teachers & counselors (math pathway & science pathway)
5. Pay attention to GPA, Class Rank and test scores (on your transcript)
6. Check admission requirements for post secondary education (4 yr, 2 yr, etc...)
7. Base your course choices on the above information

✓ **Complete your [Registration Planning Worksheet](#)**

✓ **Enter course #s online in Campus by [Friday, December 15.](#)**

Grading Scales

Grades are assigned based on the percentage earned in each course. The chart (below) is used by high schools in ISD 728. PSEO courses are NOT weighted.

Grade	%	Regular GPA	Weighted GPA
A	100-94	4.00	4.34
A-	93-90	3.67	4.00
B+	89-87	3.34	3.67
B	86-83	3.00	3.34
B-	82-80	2.67	3.00
C+	79-77	2.34	2.67
C	76-73	2.00	2.34
C-	72-70	1.67	2.00
D+	69-68	1.34	1.34
D	67-66	1.00	1.00
D-	65	.67	.67
F	64 & below	.00	.00

College Credit Opportunities

1. Advanced Placement (at RHS)
2. Concurrent Enrollment (at RHS)
3. Articulated College Credit (at RHS)
4. Post-Secondary Enrollment Options (PSEO)

Advanced Placement (AP)

Classes use nationally recognized college-level curriculum offered in the high school setting. Students who complete the course work can take an AP test which may lead to college credit(s). [College Credit Policy](#)

English	Social Studies	Science	Math	Electives
*AP Eng Language & Composition 11	*AP Human Geography	*AP Biology	*AP Calculus AB	*AP Studio Art
*AP Eng Literature & Composition 12	*AP U.S. History	*AP Chemistry	*AP Calculus BC	*AP Computer Science
	*AP World History	*AP Physics	*AP Statistics	*AP Music Theory
	*AP U.S. Gov/Politics			*AP Art History
	*AP Macroeconomics			

Concurrent Enrollment

- ISD 728 partners with Pine Technical and Community College, St. Cloud State University, and the University of Minnesota to offer college-level classes in high school.
- Students can earn college credits while fulfilling high school graduation requirements.
- These courses are "**weighted**," because they are offered on the RHS campus
- Prerequisites are in the Course Description Guide.
- Students entering these courses start their college transcript.

Concurrent Enrollment Options

Pine Technical College

- *College Algebra
- *College Intro to Psychology
- *College Intro to Sociology
- *College Pre-Calculus

St. Cloud State University

- *French 102 & 201
- *German 102 & 201
- *Spanish 201 & 202

University of Minnesota (Twin Cities)

- *Human Physiology, Technology & Medical Devices

Chippewa Valley Technical College (Wisconsin)

- *Blended Advanced Marketing/DECA (DECA 4)



Articulated College Credit (ACC)

- 10th, 11th & 12th graders can take technical and community college courses at their high school. (Business, Marketing, FACS)
- Eligible high school students may earn college credit and high school credit at no cost.
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- ACC credits are ***not*** weighted.
- More information about participating schools can be found at www.CTECreditMN.com. Check this website to confirm if the credit will be accepted at the college YOU plan to attend.



Post-Secondary Enrollment (PSEO)



- 10th, 11th, and 12th graders can earn high school & college credit at the same time.
- Classes are F2F and Online
- Admissions criteria vary by college.
- Check the RHS Website for additional information about [PSEO](#)
- If you plan to apply for PSEO, you will still register this week as if you are a full time RHS student. Mandatory meeting in February for interested students & parents/guardians.

Unique Opportunities for YOU

- **Nursing Assistant Course:** offered through ISD728. Space is limited.
- **CTE Internships:** Business, Health Science, Industrial Tech, or FACS
 - Must have taken one related course at RHS prior to Internship
 - Internship is paid \$\$\$
 - Class meets once a week during 6th hour
 - Earn high school credit for working

Blended Course Offerings

Blended Learning integrates the effective use of digital learning along with the best practices of face to face instruction.

Flexibility:

Classes offered in person 2-3 times per week

Time Management & Life Skills:

Blended learning encourages students to develop time management and digital literacy skills and prepare for the modern workforce.

Please see the Course Registration Guide for Blended Course Offerings

Online728 Course Offerings

Full or Part-Time Options

- Students can take anywhere from 1-6 of their classes online.
 - Depending on scheduling, students who take partial online classes can leave the building or work in the Media Center.

Flexibility

- No live course meetings - Utilize teacher office hours or schedule an appointment
- Attendance based on work completion - follow your course schedule and stay on track!

Engagement

- Students may be required to attend in person intervention if unsuccessful academically (WIN)
 - If progress grades are unsuccessful, students may be transitioned to blended learning or in person learning



Four Year College Admissions

STATE COLLEGE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Minnesota public colleges and universities are aligned with either the University of Minnesota (U of M) system or the Minnesota State College and University system. In addition to **class rank and standardized test score requirements**, both systems recommend completing the following requirements for admission:

- * 4 years of English,
- * 3 years of math (4 years of math at U of M),
- * 3 years of science,
- * 3 years of social studies,
- * 2 years of a single world language
- * 1 year of visual and/or performing arts (2 credits of Fine Arts)

Example: Automatic admission to Mankato State University if ONE of these criteria is met:

- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Class Rank of 50% or higher
- ACT composite score of 21 or higher & minimum GPA 2.7

Two Year College Admissions

- The majority of two year programs (technical and community colleges) require a high school diploma to be admitted.
 - **There is no GPA or class rank requirement**
- Some specific degrees may have higher admission requirements, such as nursing.
- Examples of two year colleges:
 - **Anoka Ramsey Community College**
 - **Hennepin Technical College**



College Athletic Eligibility

Do you plan to try to play Division I or Division II sports in college?

- You must register with the NCAA Initial Eligibility Clearinghouse prior to graduation.
- Follow the application directions on the Clearinghouse website: www.eligibilitycenter.org.
- Meet with Bartus or Miller before the start of 2nd semester this year to confirm you are on track with your course choices and grades.

Four Year Planning Guides

Class of 2026

	9th Grade	10th Grade	11th Grade	12th Grade	Total
English	2	2	2	2	8
Math	2	2	2		6
Science	2	2	2		6
Social Studies	1	2	2	2	7
Fine Arts	1	1			2
Physical Education	1				1
Health		1			1
Electives	3	2	4	8	17
Total	12	12	12	12	48

Miscellaneous Stuff

- **2nd semester schedule:**
 - **Check for mistakes**
 - **Will not make changes for a different lunch or teacher**
- **Look at your transcript on Campus and find your GPA and class rank. Also, check your total number of credits. This is updated after each semester.**

Semester One ends on January 25th!

REGISTRATION DUE: Friday 12/15

- Enter Course Numbers into Infinite Campus
ACCURACY MATTERS

QUESTIONS?

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