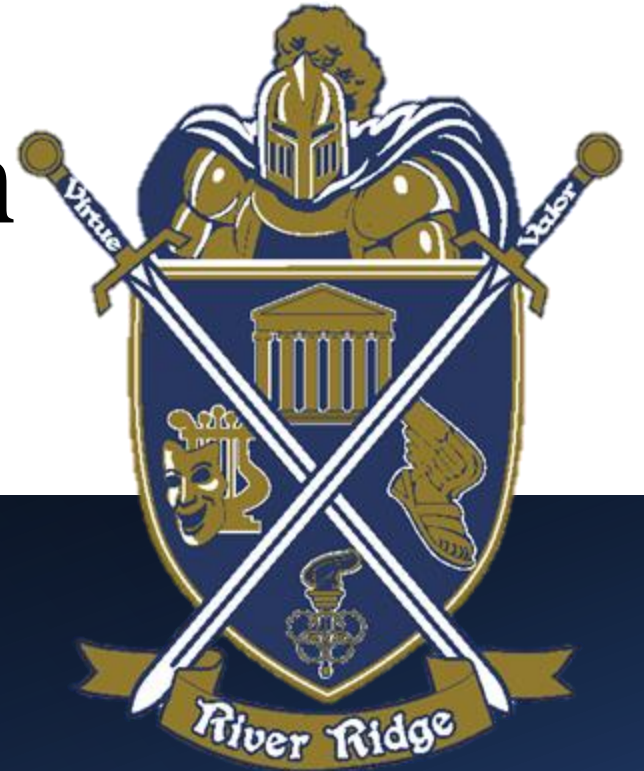


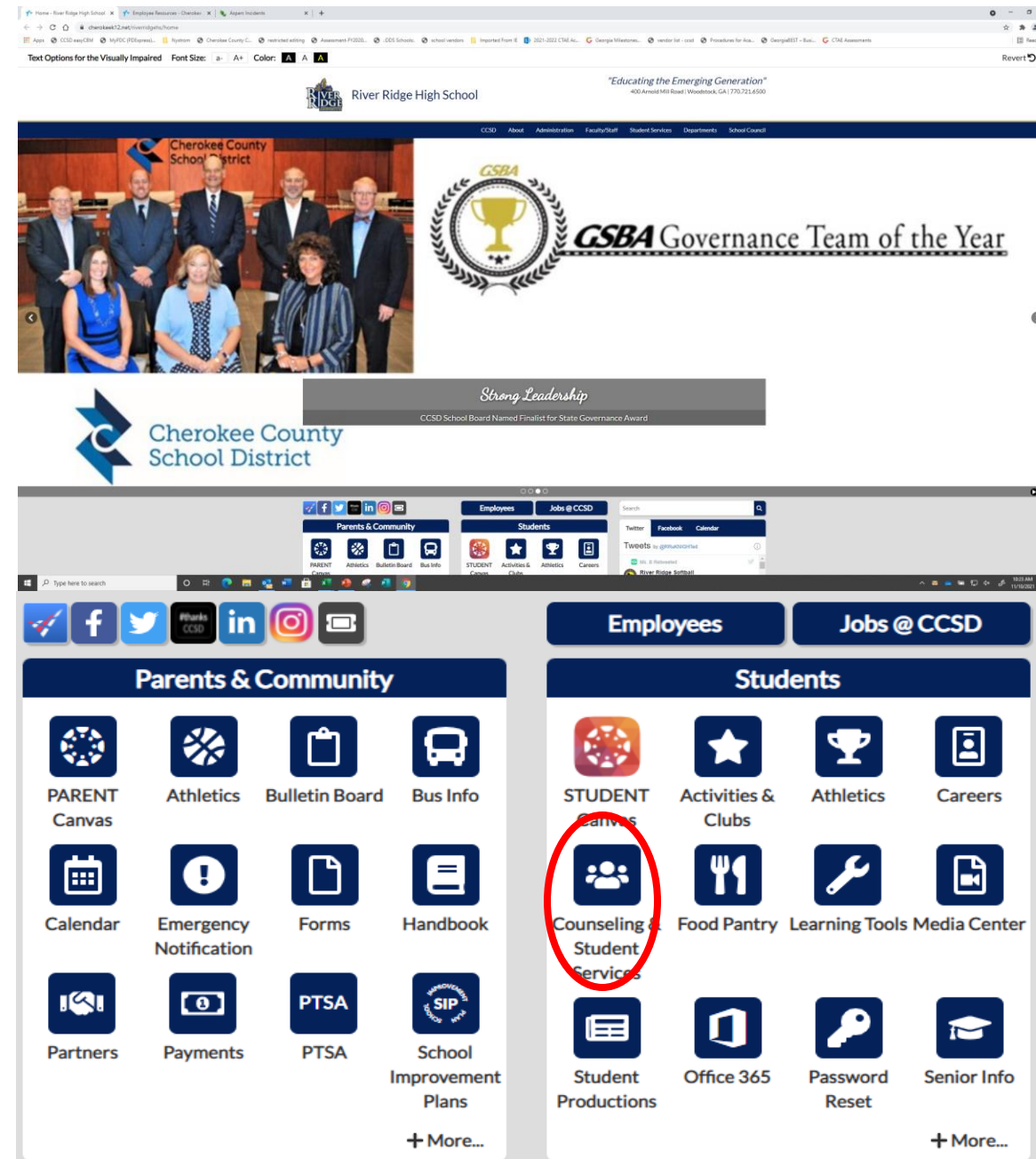
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Ken Nix  
Assistant Principal  
Curriculum

# Registration Information

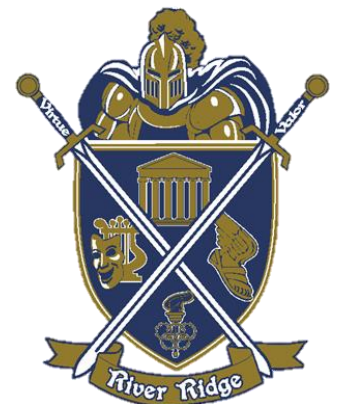
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- Select link titled - Registration Information



# Graduation Requirements

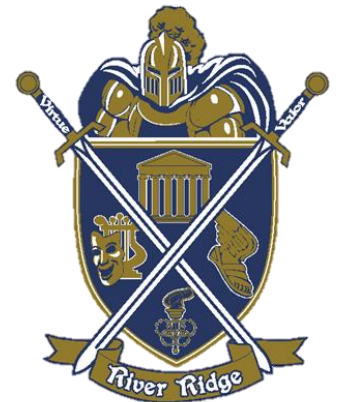
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Areas of Study	Units Required
English/Language Arts	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Social Studies	3
CTAE, Fine Arts, and/or World Language	3
Health and Physical Education	1
Electives	4
<b>Total Units (Minimum)</b>	<b>23</b>



# Sample Schedule

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp A	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp B
GSE Algebra 1A	GSE Algebra 1B
Biology A <u>or</u> Environmental Science A	Biology B <u>or</u> Environmental Science B
Health/Personal Fitness	Personal Fitness/Health
Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CTAE Pathway</li><li>• Fine Arts</li><li>• World Language</li></ul>	Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CTAE Pathway</li><li>• Fine Arts</li><li>• World Language</li></ul>
General Elective	General Elective
Lunch	Lunch



**NOTE: Some 9<sup>th</sup> graders will enter at a higher math level or have honors level courses; this example represents a typical schedule but understand your child's schedule might vary.**

# Personal Fitness/Health

## Sample Schedule

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp A	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp B
GSE Algebra 1A	GSE Algebra 1B
Biology A or Environmental Science A	Biology B or Environmental Science B
Health/Personal Fitness	Personal Fitness/Health
Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CTAE Pathway</li> <li>• Fine Arts</li> <li>• World Language</li> </ul>	Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CTAE Pathway</li> <li>• Fine Arts</li> <li>• World Language</li> </ul>
General Elective	General Elective
Lunch	Lunch

## Graduation Requirements

Areas of Study	Units Required
English/Language Arts	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Social Studies	3
CTAE, Fine Arts, and/or World Language	3
Health and Physical Education	1
Electives	4
<b>Total Units (Minimum)</b>	<b>23</b>



## Required for Graduation

Three years of JROTC (CTAE Pathway) can replace the Personal Fitness/Health requirement

# Pathway Elective

## Sample Schedule

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp A	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp B
GSE Algebra 1A	GSE Algebra 1B
Biology A or Environmental Science A	Biology B or Environmental Science B
Health/Personal Fitness	Personal Fitness/Health
Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>	Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>
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## Graduation Requirements

Areas of Study	Units Required
English/Language Arts	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Social Studies	3
CTAE, Fine Arts, and/or World Language	3
Health and Physical Education	1
Electives	4
<b>Total Units (Minimum)</b>	<b>23</b>

**Three units are required (any combination, but you are encouraged to complete one pathway)**

- **CTAE Pathway**
- **World Language Pathway**
- **Fine Arts Pathway**

Students are encouraged to select courses in a focused area of interest and to build upon the career interest inventories that they have completed this school year with the counselors.



# Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE)

Students may earn three units of credit in a sequence of CTAE courses through a self-selected pathway leading to college readiness and a career readiness certificate endorsed by related industries.

## RRHS On-Campus Career Pathways

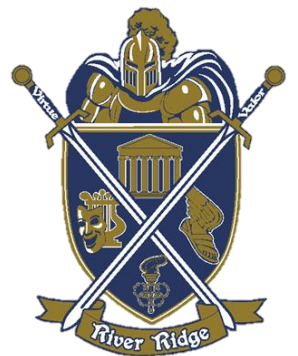
- Audio-Video Technology and Film
- Engineering and Technology
- Healthcare Sciences
- Computer Science
- Web Development
- Law Enforcement Services/Forensic Science
- Sports and Entertainment Marketing
- Nutrition and Food Science
- Teaching as a Profession
- JROTC – Air Force
- Workforce Ready

## Career Academy Pathways

- Aviation
- Cybersecurity

### FYI:

- CTAE courses are designed to help ALL students, whether students plan to attend college or not.
- More information on each pathway can be found on the RRHS REGISTRATION INFO PAGE
- Click [here](#) for GA Department of Education site to learn more about the pathways
- [Focus on Futures – CCSD CTAE Handbook](#)



# CTAE Classes at the Career Academy

## Aviation Pathway

Click icon for aviation pathway



### Flight Operations Pathway

- Fundamentals of Aerospace
- Flight Operations I
- Flight Operations II

### Unmanned Aircraft Systems Pathway

- Fundamentals of Aerospace
- Flight Operations I
- Flight Operations II

### Post-Secondary Degrees, Diplomas, and Certifications

- Aerospace Engineering
- Aviation Management
- Professional Flight/Aeronautics

## Cyber Security Pathway

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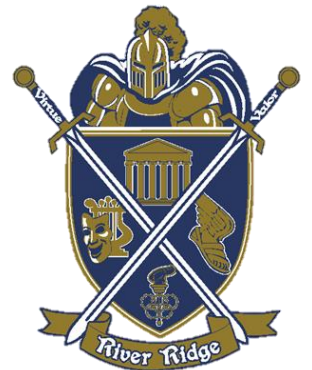


### Cybersecurity Pathway

- Introduction to Hardware Technology
- Introduction to Cybersecurity
- Advanced Cybersecurity

### Post-Secondary Degrees, Diplomas, and Certifications

- Cybersecurity
- Information Technology
- Computer Forensics





# World Language Pathway

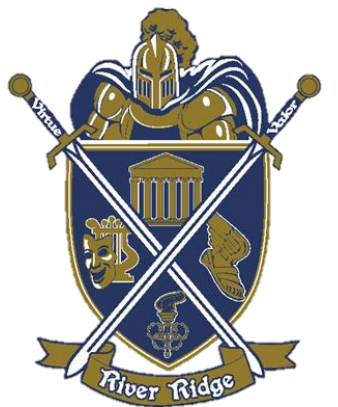
- World Language is NOT a graduation requirement
- Students are required to have two years to enter a four-year university
- Students who wish to begin a world language need to have strong grades and test scores to be placed. Not all 9<sup>th</sup> graders who request will be placed in World Language.

RRHS offers

- Spanish
- French

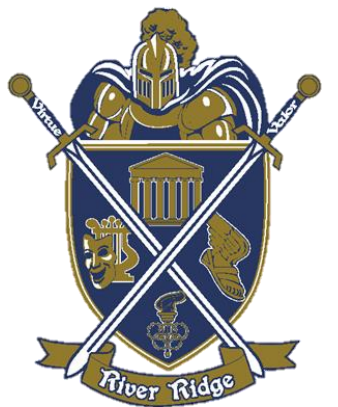
RRHS offers the International Skills Diploma Seal for students who excel in language study.

Ask your counselor about the requirements if you wish to pursue this seal.



# Fine Arts Pathway

- Students in Band, Chorus, Orchestra, Drama, or pursuing a career in visual arts will be encouraged to take these courses all four years.
- Counselors will work with students to set up individual plans to meet all graduation requirements and to stay within their fine arts curriculum.
- RRHS offers the Fine Arts Graduation Seal. Ask your counselor or an art teacher for more information.



# General Elective

## Sample Schedule

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp A	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp B
GSE Algebra 1A	GSE Algebra 1B
Biology A or Environmental Science A	Biology B or Environmental Science B
Health/Personal Fitness	Personal Fitness/Health
Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>	Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>
General Elective	General Elective
Lunch	Lunch

## Graduation Requirements

Areas of Study	Units Required
English/Language Arts *	4
Mathematics *	4
Science *	4
Social Studies *	3
CTAE, Fine Arts, and/or World Language	3
Health and Physical Education *	1
Electives	4
<b>Total Units (Minimum)</b>	<b>23</b>
*Required Courses and/or Core Courses	

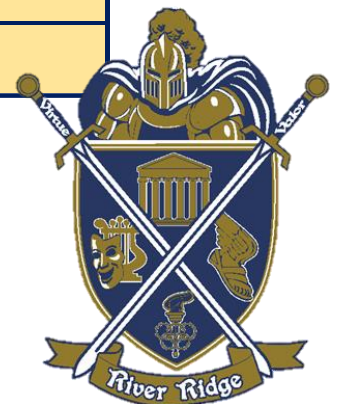
### \*Four additional units of electives are required\*

These electives can be:

- Journalism
- Physical Education
- Leadership

- Academic
- CTAE
- Fine Arts
- World Language

NOTE: Elective classes can also include any classes from a CTAE Pathway, Fine Arts, or World Language that are beyond the required three units.



# Registration for Core Courses

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp A	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lit/Comp B
GSE Algebra 1A	GSE Algebra 1B
Biology A or Environmental Science A	Biology B or Environmental Science B
Health/Personal Fitness	Personal Fitness/Health
Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>	Pathway Elective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTAE Pathway</li> <li>Fine Arts</li> <li>World Language</li> </ul>
General Elective	General Elective
Lunch	Lunch

Students will be placed in core courses using student information based on several factors including:

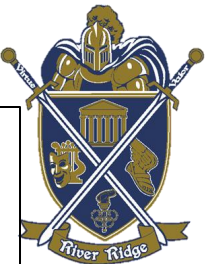
- Current 8<sup>th</sup> grade placement
- Grades
- Test scores
- Etc.

Students will receive a copy of their required and requested courses in March. If you want to change levels (move up to Honors, etc.), you will fill out the online link provided in July. Please do not email or call your RRHS counselor to request a change. You must use the online link!

Schedules with class periods and lunch are released in late July before the start of school.

RRHS will contact potential AP Environmental Science and/or AP Human Geography students.

Look for that information in the next few weeks.





Bring this form to school with you on **JANUARY 26**. You will turn it in to an RRHS counselor on that day.

**ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTION FORM - GRADE 9**

REQUIRED COURSES	ELECTIVE CHOICES
Students placed in these classes by RRHS following data review	1
9 <sup>th</sup> Lit & Comp	2
Math	
Science	
<b>Select one</b> *Personal Fitness/Health OR **JROTC 1	
*Personal fitness/Health courses are graduation requirements and are taken in the 9 <sup>th</sup> grade. **Personal Fitness/Health courses may be waived if JROTC is taken for 3 years.	1
Weights or General PE do not replace Personal fitness/Health.	2
	3

**ELECTIVE OFFERINGS FOR 2023-2024SY**

WORLD LANGUAGES		CAREER, TECHNICAL & AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION (CTAE)	
60.0110000	French 1*	10.41810	Audio & Video Technology & Film 1
60.0710000	Spanish 1*	20.41610	Food, Nutrition, & Wellness
60.07200	Spanish 2	21.42500	Foundations of Engineering & Technology
		47.46000	Fundamentals of Aerospace (C3 Academy)*
Honors French or Spanish by teacher rec only *Must qualify for Honors 9 <sup>th</sup> Literature to take this course as a freshman.		11.44800	Introduction to Hardware Technology (C3 Academy)†
			*Application required
		08.47400	Marketing Principles
		11.44600	Introduction to Software Technology
		43.45000	Introduction to Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
		28.01100	JROTC Aerospace Leadership citizenship 100
		25.42100	Introduction to Healthcare Science
		13.01100	Examining the Teaching Profession
		32.43000	Introduction to Career Competencies
SOCIAL STUDIES		PHYSICAL EDUCATION	
	AP Human Geography - (must meet placement criteria and be placed by RRHS)	36.05400	Weight Training
		36.01100	General PE 1 (Strength/Conditioning for RRHS Athletes yr. 1)
FINE ARTS			
53.0371	*Intermediate Band 1**		
54.0281001	*Intermediate Men's Chorus 1**		
54.0251001	*Intermediate Women's Chorus**		
53.05710	*Intermediate Orchestra 1**		
53.08410	Beginning Guitar Techniques		
52.0210000	Theater Art Fundamentals		
52.0410000	Technical Theater I		
52.0220000	Technical Theater II		
50.0211000	Intro to Visual Arts		
50.0212001	Intro to Visual Arts 2		

\*Placement determined by teacher  
\*\*Fees associated

Student Signature _____	Date _____
Parent Signature _____	Date _____

# Registration – Elective Offerings

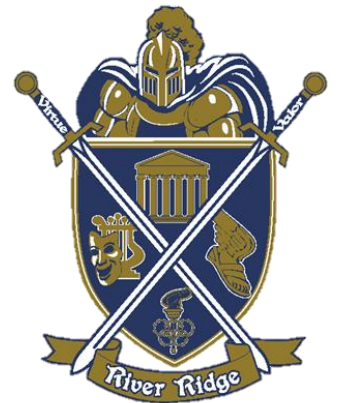
Students received elective sheet at MCMS  
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RRHS REGISTRATION INFO PAGE – THE PLACE FOR INFORMATION

- Course descriptions
- Core courses
- Elective offerings

Students choose top 5 electives

- 2 first choice electives
- 3 alternates



# Elective Sheets

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_ HR Teacher \_\_\_\_\_



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Bring this form to school with you on JANUARY 16. You will turn it in to an RRHS counselor on that day.

## ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTION FORM - GRADE 9

REQUIRED COURSES	ELECTIVE CHOICES
Students placed in these classes by RRHS following data review	1
9 <sup>th</sup> Lit & Comp	2
Math	
Science	
<b>Select one</b> *Personal Fitness/Health OR **JROTC 1	
<small>*Personal fitness/health courses are graduation requirements and are taken in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. **Personal Fitness/Health courses may be waived if JROTC is taken for 3 years.</small>	
<small>Weights or General PE do not replace Personal Fitness/Health.</small>	

Alternate Elective Choices	
<small>Must put 3 in priority order – be prepared to take any of the course you list as alternates</small>	
1	
2	
3	

## ELECTIVE OFFERINGS FOR 2024-2025SY

WORLD LANGUAGES		CAREER, TECHNICAL & AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION (CTAE)	
60.0110000	French 1	10.41810	Audio & Video Technology & Film 1
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AP Human Geography - (must meet placement criteria and be placed by RRHS)		36.01100	General PE 1 (Strength/Conditioning for RRHS Athletes yr. 1)
FINE ARTS		ENGLISH	
53.0371	*Intermediate Band 1**		Newspaper
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53.08410	Beginning Guitar Techniques		
52.0210000	Theater Arts/Fundamentals 1		
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52.0410000	Technical Theater 1		
50.0211000	Intro to Visual Arts		
50.0212001	Intro to Visual Arts 2		

\*Placement determined by teacher \*\*Fees associated

- RRHS Counselors will be at MCMS on January 16.
- Students need to have their elective sheets complete and be ready to meet with a counselor.
- Students will sign up for two electives and will list 3 alternates.
- You should list the alternates that you want. NO alternates means you might end up with a class you don't have any interest in.

# Strength and Conditioning for RRHS Athletes

Student-athletes are encouraged to take Strength and Conditioning.

General Physical Education is the course title in the system.

- General Phys Ed 1 for 9<sup>th</sup> graders
- General Phys Ed 2 for 10<sup>th</sup> graders
- General Phys Ed 3 for 11<sup>th</sup> graders
- General Phys Ed 4 for 12<sup>th</sup> graders

Students who do not compete in sports can take

- Weight Training
- Body Sculpting
- Any other PE elective

Athletes who do not have room in their schedule for Strength and Conditioning need to work with their coaches to be sure they participate in strength and conditioning programs in some other way.



# Registration Timeline - Rising 9<sup>th</sup> GRADE

## January 11, 2024

- RRHS counselors to meet with MCMS students and distribute elective sheets.

## January 16, 2024

- RRHS counselors back to MCMS for elective course registration.

## Early February 2024

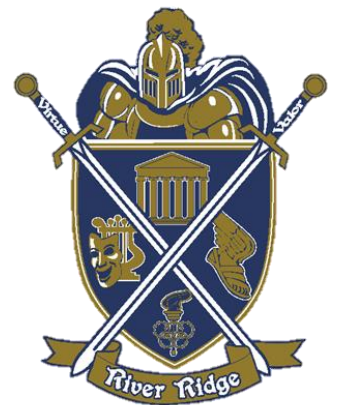
- Current MCMS teachers will place students in core classes for next year.
- Invitations for AP classes are sent.

## March 2024

- Students receive course request verification to review their course requests for next year.

## July 2024

- Online course change form will be available





## Counselors



Administrative Team

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