

CHS Class of 2028

8th Grade

Parent Night

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CHS Student
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STUDENT SERVICES
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AGENDA:

- DIPLOMA TYPES/REQUIREMENTS
- GRADUATIONS PATHWAYS
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***students need to bring this to scheduling**



Course and Credit Requirements

English/ Language Arts	8 credits Including a balance of literature, composition and speech.
Mathematics	6 credits (in grades 9-12) 2 credits: Algebra I 2 credits: Geometry 2 credits: Algebra II <i>Or complete Integrated Math I, II, and III for 6 credits. Students must take a math course or quantitative reasoning course each year in high school</i>
Science	6 credits 2 credits: Biology I 2 credits: Chemistry I or Physics I or Integrated Chemistry-Physics 2 credits: any Core 40 science course
Social Studies	6 credits 2 credits: U.S. History 1 credit: U.S. Government 1 credit: Economics 2 credits: World History/Civilization or Geography/History of the World
Directed Electives	5 credits World Languages Fine Arts Career and Technical Education
Physical Education	2 credits
Health and Wellness	1 credit
Electives*	6 credits <i>(College and Career Pathway courses recommended)</i>

Academic Honors Diploma

- 2 additional math credits
- 6-8 world language credits
- 2 fine arts credits
- AP/dual credit requirement
- C- or higher in all courses
- GPA of 3.0 or higher

Technical Honors Diploma

- Enroll in CTE pathway and earn 6 college credits
- Additional dual credit/AP requirement
- C- or higher in all courses
- GPA of 3.0 or higher

Graduation Pathway Checklist

You must complete one
item from all 3 boxes to be
eligible to graduate!

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Box #1:

- Earn a diploma

Box #2 Employability Skills: (Choose one)

- Project Based Learning
 - Research project, completion of a course capstone, etc.
- Service Based Learning
 - 4H, Eagle Scouts, volunteering, clubs, sports, etc.
- Work Based Learning
 - Job, internship, etc.

Box #3 Post Secondary Readiness Competencies: (Choose one)

- Earn a Technical or Academic Honors Diploma
- Earn the following scores on the ACT:
 - English: 18 or Reading: 22
 - AND
 - Math: 22 or Science: 23
- Earn the following scores on the SAT:
 - Reading & Writing: 480
 - Math: 530
- Career-Technical Education
 - Must earn a C average within a particular program or program of study.
- AP/Dual Credit Courses:
 - Must earn a C average or higher in at least **three** courses
 - One of these courses must be a core class: English, speech, math, science, art history, Spanish, Econ, or Government

FUTURE COURSE OPTIONS:

AP:

- AP Biology
- AP Calculus
- AP Chemistry
- AP Econ
- AP English Literature
- AP Physics
- AP Psychology
- AP Research
- AP Seminar
- AP Spanish Language and Culture
- AP Statistics
- AP US Government and Politics
- AP US History

Dual Credit:

- Advanced Composition (ENGL111)
- World Literature I (ENGL220)
- World Literature II (ENGL221)

CTE:

- Automotive Services
- Business Administration
- Construction Trades
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice
- Cybersecurity
- Education Professions
- EMT
- Fire and Rescue
- Industrial Career Academy
- Pre-Nursing: CNA
- Radio/TV
- Welding Technology



Credits

- To stay on-track, you will need to earn the following number of credits by the end of each year below:
 - 9th: 10 credits
 - 10th: 20 credits
 - 11th: 30 credits
- Every class earns a credit besides Study Hall

9th Grade Courses

Standard:

- English
- Math
- Science
- Social Studies
- PE*/Health
- Elective (Pathway course suggested)
- Elective

*students may use ONE sports season to cover ONE basic PE credit

Optional:

- Choir
- Band
- Art
- Specialized PE
- Business
- FACS
- World Language
 - French, Japanese, Spanish
- Lifetime Aquatics/Lifeguard Training

SCHEDULING TIMELINE

- April 4
 - Student Presentations
- April 9
 - French
 - Stevens
 - Surber
 - Elizondo
- April 11
 - Hicks
 - Tyler
 - Ferguson
 - Sabens
- April 12
 - Powell
 - Kyger
 - Simmons
 - Brading
 - Quinton



THINGS TO DO AT CHS

- Academic Teams
- Anime Club
- Chess Club
- Champions Together
- Debate Team
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- French Club
- Games Club
- Key Club
- Libro Club
- National Art Honor Society
- National Honor Society
- Robotics Club
- School Play
- School Musical

- Spanish Club
- Prom Committee
- Speech Team
- Spell Bowl
- Spirit Club
- Student Council
- Sunshine Society
- Athenian leadership Squad
- Bowling Team
- Dance Team
- Marching Band

- Cross Country
- Tennis
- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Football
- Basketball
- Swimming
- Wrestling
- Gymnastics
- Golf
- Baseball
- Softball
- Cheerleading

Link Crew

FRESHMEN ORIENTATION

- Freshmen spend all morning with upperclassman
 - Provide tours, meet other students, answer questions, meet office staff
- Large and small group activities designed to address students needs and concerns in a fun way
- Information will come via email during the summer months.

QUESTIONS?

Thank You!

Feel free to stick around and ask us any questions!