



meet the **ADMINS**



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meet the **LEADERSHIP TEAM**

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School Counselor

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9th Grade Guidance Counselor

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College & Career Pathways Coordinator

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meet the

Educational Services & Programs Team

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9th Grade Case Manager

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Therapeutic Services/Resource

Melinda Carder
MAPS+

Erin Joliffe
Program for Deaf & Hard of Hearing

Katrina Kay
English Language Development

Ana Parra
Two-Way Spanish Immersion

meet your **TEAM TEACHERS**

TEAM

1

Erik Kenner
Dave Epperson
Stacey Sorenson
Lena Mejdrich

TEAM

2

Nichole Hayden
Rene Moser
Jordyn Mons
Chris Arnold

TEAM

3

Michael Belzberg
Jessica Sweet
Will Shapiro

Let's Talk
NEXT YEAR
2024 - 2025



2024 - 2025 SCHEDULE

8 PERIODS

2 SEMESTERS

9 WEEK GRADING PERIODS

- Two 18-week Semesters
- Students earn grades every 9 weeks that will go on your high school transcript
- Schedule changes happen at the end of Semester 1

8 Period **A/B** rotating block schedule 

A DAY

1st period
(15 minute Office Hrs.)

2nd period

LUNCH

3rd period

4th period

B DAY

5th period
(15 minute Office Hrs.)

6th period

LUNCH

7th period

8th period

2024-2025 FRESHMEN

**ARE YOU IN
THE TWO-WAY
IMMERSION
PROGRAM?**



If so, sign up for yearlong
course during forecasting
(under electives)

OSAA Athletes,
Speech & Debate,
& Equestrian Team

MUST BE PASSING

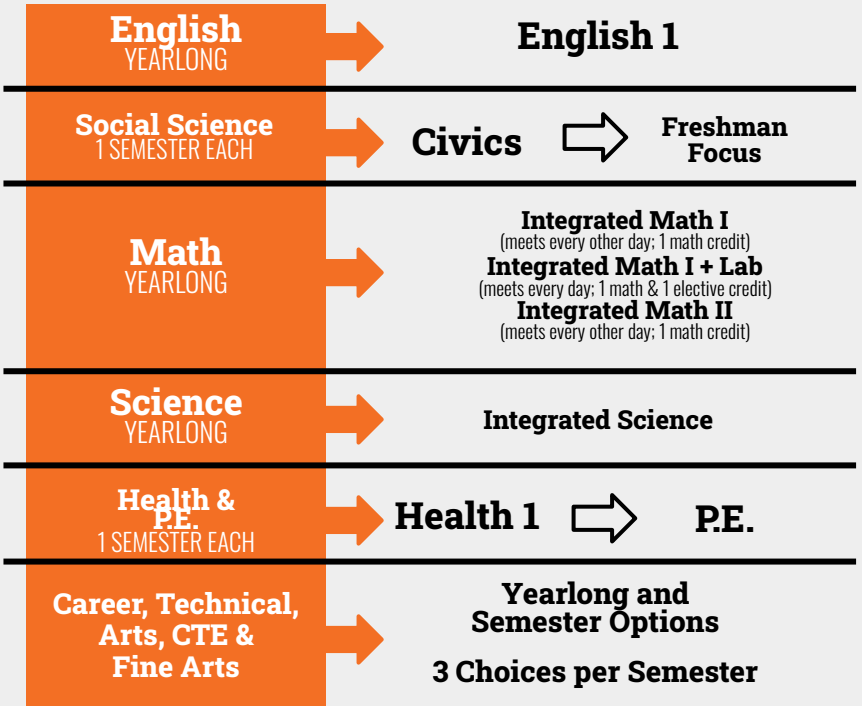
AT LEAST 5 classes
EACH QUARTER



Dual College Credit

over **44** **UNIQUE COURSES**
that can earn college credit

at a fraction of the cost,
students can earn up to **170** CREDIT
HOURS



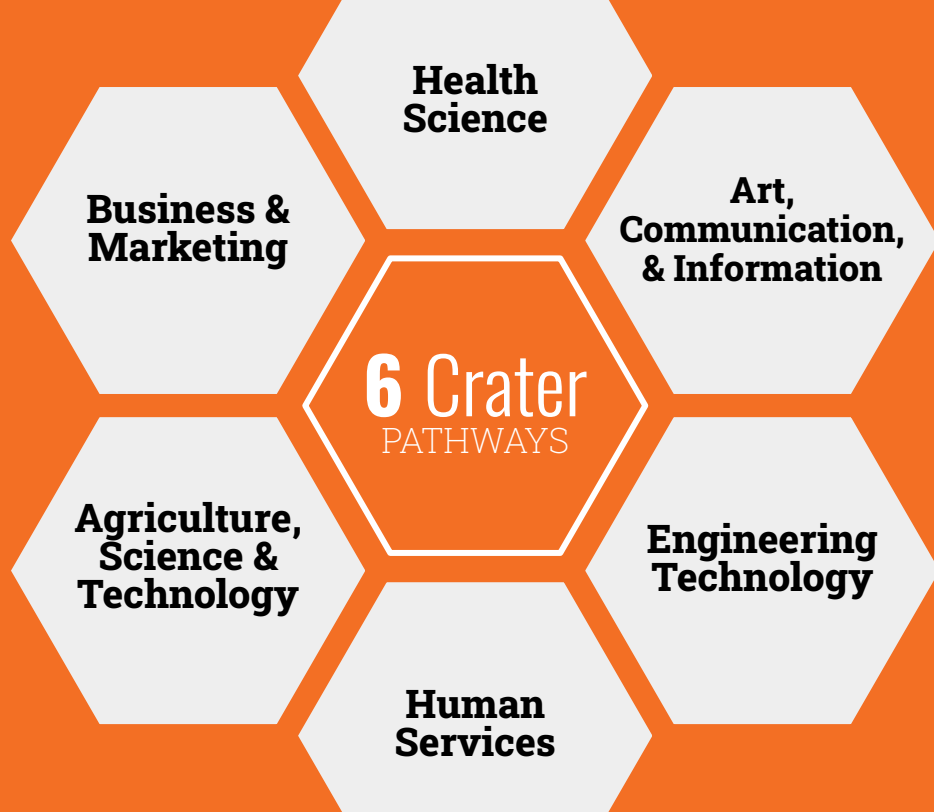
COLLEGE & CAREER **PATHWAYS**

**PATHWAYS ALLOW
YOU TO COMBINE...**

THE CLASSES YOU
ENJOY TAKING
& what you are
interested in

— WITH —

POST-HIGH SCHOOL
EDUCATION
& **CAREER**
opportunities



HEALTH SCIENCE PATHWAY

Health Science

- Intro to Health Careers
- Intro to Anatomy
- Health Science
- CPR/First Aid

Physical Health

- Sports Medicine
- Physical Education Games
- Weightlifting
- Athlete Speed & Strength
- Fitness for Life
- Body Toning

ART, COMMUNICATION, & INFORMATION PATHWAY

Visual Arts

- Visual Arts I & II
- Photoshop/Digital Photography
- Digital Drawing/Adobe Illustrator
- Digital Game Development
- Digital Graphic Design
- Commercial Graphic Design
- Video Production I & II
- Art and Lit of Gaming
- Yearbook

Information Communication

- Emerging Tech in Journalism
- Art & Literature of Gaming
- TWI Spanish Conversations
- TWI Spanish Language Arts
- TWI Spanish Outdoor Ed
- TWI Spanish Travel & Tourism
- TWI Spanish Field Experience
- Spanish I/II/III/IV
- Playwriting

Performing Arts

- Jazz Band
- Pep Band
- Symphonic Band
- Wind Ensemble
- Percussion Ensemble
- History of Rock-n-Roll
- Choir
- Intro to Theater
- Stage Design & Tech
- Acting Techniques & Performance

ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY

Engineering

- Design Competition
- 3D Design & Modeling
- Furniture Design
- Intro to Robotics
- Digital Game Development
- Intro to Electronics

Architecture & Construction

- Construction I
- Power Technology
- Stage Design & Technology
- 3D Design & Modeling
- Furniture Design

HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY

Public Services

- Intro to Law
- ASB Leadership
- Civics
- Speech & Debate
- Spanish I
- Forensic Science
- CPR/First Aid

Human Services

- Intro to Human Services Careers
- Intro to Teaching
- Cadet Teaching
- Fire Science
- CPR/First Aid

AG SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY

Horticulture

- Intro to AG
- Horticulture
- Plant Science & Production
- AG Business Marketing

Add - "Forestry" "Environmental Science" or "Natural Resources" to the pathway; fire science, Envirothon, Wilderness Survival

Animal Vet Science

- Intro to AG
- Animal Science
- Veterinary Medical/Surgical Science
- AG Business Marketing

AG Mechanics

- Intro to AG
- Metal Fabrication
- Power Technology
- AG Mechanics
- Construction I

BUSINESS MARKETING PATHWAY

- Intro to Business
- Sports Marketing
- Business & AG Marketing
- Video Production I
- Video Production II
- Yearbook
- Commercial Graphic Design
- Photoshop/Digital Photography
- Digital Drawing/Adobe Illustrator
- Culinary Arts

Here's the change in **CREDITS REQUIRED** to Graduate

0.25

CREDITS
per quarter

0.5

CREDITS
per semester

1.0

CREDITS
per quarter

OLD

6 CTA
12 Electives
8 English
6 Social Science
6 Math
6 Science
2 Health
2 P.E.
48 TOTAL

NEW

3 CTA
6 Electives
4 English
3 Social Science
3 Math
3 Science
1 Health
1 P.E.
24 TOTAL

To graduate and be 4-year & **NCAA** college ready

3 CTA – 2 years world language
3 Electives
4 English – 4 years
4 Social Science – 4 years
4 Math – 4 years
4 Science – 4 years
1 Health
1 P.E.
24 TOTAL

SAMPLE SCHEDULE BY GRADE LEVEL

2024-25	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9TH GRADE	ENGLISH	CIVICS & FROSH FOCUS	INTEGRATED MATH 1	INTEGRATED SCIENCE	PHYSICAL HEALTH & P.E.	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA
10TH GRADE	ENGLISH	US/WORLD 14 OR CIVICS+ EL	INTEGRATED MATH 2 MATH	BIOLOGY SCIENCE	MENTAL HEALTH & P.E. 1 EL/CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA
11TH GRADE	ENGLISH OR AP LANG	US/WORLD 2 OR CIVICS/GOV	MATH	SCIENCE	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA
12TH GRADE	ENGLISH OR AP LANG	CONSUMER ECON & 1 EL/CTA	MATH	SCIENCE	2 ELECTIVE OR CTA	OTHER OPTIONS		

Math Options: Algebra II, Math in Society, Construction Math, Probability & Stats, AP Statistics, Pre Calculus, AP Calculus

Science Options: Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy, Intro to Comp Science, Botany, Zoology, Geology, Forensics, Principles of Ecology, Environmental Science Block

Other Options: Work Experience, Internship, Online College

Honoring the **Transition to High School** through

Team Teachers

Through regular collaboration, communication, and common classroom agreements, grade level team teachers directly improve teaching and learning. By teaming up, our dedicated teachers will provide students with learning opportunities that promote rigor, relevance, and relationships as well as learning environments that have clear, consistent policies and expectations that will meet their students' needs.

Building Community & Belonging

When students feel a sense of community and connection, it has a positive impact on their mental health and well-being. Students who feel a sense of belonging at school are typically more energized, more likely to spend time on-task, and more likely to choose to participate in the school environment, all of which lead to positive student outcomes and academic achievement.

Counseling & Academic Guidance

Enhances the learning process and promotes academic, career, and social/emotional development. Serves students in achieving optimal personal growth, acquire positive social skills and values, set informed career goals, and realize their full potential to become productive, contributing members of the world community.

Educational Services & Programs

Students with Disabilities
Program for Deaf and Hard of Hearing
Two-Way Spanish Immersion
English Language Development

KEY TO **FRESHMAN** SUCCESS



COMMUNICATION

Our staff is committed to your student's success. We encourage both students and parents to be proactive in communicating with staff about any questions, problems, or concerns. **ParentSquare** is the high school's primary communication tool. Please sign up with the office.



ATTENDANCE

Students are successful with their academics when they attend school consistently



TIME MANAGEMENT

Create a system to keep track of assignments
Arrive to class **on time**
Schedule time to complete your work
Prioritize based on importance and urgency
Seek help when needed

Ways to Get Connected at Crater High School

TEAMS & ATHLETICS

Band
Baseball
Basketball (boys & girls)
Cheerleading
Cross Country
Dance/Drill
Football

Golf
Soccer (boys & girls)
Softball
Speech & Debate
Swimming
Track
Volleyball
Wrestling

MUSIC, VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

24 hour plays
48/48 Film Festival
Best of the Best Art Show
Fall, Winter & Spring Band & Choir concerts
Fall, Winter & Spring Drama performances

CLUBS

Associated Student Body Leadership (ASB)
Art Club
American Sign Language (ASL)
Best Buddies
Black Student Union
Bowling
CESPN
Color/Winter Guard
Creative Writing
DECA
Drama

Equestrian
Etsy Design Store
Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)
Future Farmers of America (FFA)
Future Natural Resource Leaders (FNRL)
Fiber Arts Friday
Game Club
Gender Sexuality Alliance (GSA)
Impact
Math
Mock Trial

Multicultural
National Honor Society
School of Rock
Ski
Snowboard
Sparrow
Tabletop Gaming
Thespians
TAG
World Travelers
Yearbook

SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL LEARNING & COMMUNITY BUILDING

Link Crew
Freshman Bridge Program
Freshman Focus
Breaking Down the Walls

W E L C O M E
C R A T E R
N A T I O N

