

# Counseling & Learning Support

## **Academic Support (S1) and/or (S2)**

*Prerequisite: Learning Lab 1 Semester*

*One or two semesters, no credit open to sophomores, juniors and seniors with accommodation plans*

This course provides students the opportunity to receive academic and organizational support in a supervised study hall format. This class supports students with a documented diagnosis that affects their ability to perform in a school setting.

## **College/Career Planning (S2)**

*One semester course, .5 credits, required of juniors*

The purpose of the College/Career Planning course is to provide students with the best possible support in choosing, applying for, and committing to a college or university. The course includes a half-day event on college and career planning, completion of a portfolio of work, and attendance at the BSM College Fair. During the day event students will attend sessions on a variety of helpful topics to aid them in the college planning and application process. Each student is required to complete a portfolio of work building on the information they receive at the event. Students will be required to use online resources to complete their portfolio. Students are required and parents are encouraged to attend an individual meeting with their guidance and college counselor. This meeting will be scheduled by the counseling office during the spring of junior year. Students will receive a P (pass) /NP (no pass) grade, based on their portfolio on their academic transcript.

## **Learning Lab (S1) and/or (S2)**

*One or two semesters, .5 credits per semester, open to freshmen with accommodation plans*

Students will receive academic and organizational support in this class supervised by a learning specialist. Students will receive a P (pass) /NP (no pass) notation on their academic transcript. This class supports students with a documented diagnosis that affects their ability to perform in a school setting.

## **Quiet Study (S1) and/or (S2)**

*Invitation only. One or both semesters. No credit*

Students are assigned to this supervised study hall for support with work completion.

## **Teacher Assistant (S1) and/or (S2)**

*.5 credit. Students must carry the minimum course load for their grade level.*

*One semester, open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors*

Students can use their expertise in a subject area by serving as an assistant to a teacher. Students should contact the instructor they are interested in assisting. Students are placed in TA positions two weeks after the start of the semester. Students will receive a P (pass) /NP (no pass) notation on their transcript.