

# Boulder High Science Department Class Selection Flow Chart

1. You are required to take and pass 3 years of science to graduate.
2. U.S. colleges require 3 years of science.
3. If you are thinking of majoring in science, engineering, computer science, or are pre-health (nursing, doctor, physical therapist, etc.), take both physics and chemistry
4. Physics: if you are taking algebra 2 concurrently, take physics first.
5. If you have already taken algebra 2, you may take either chemistry or physics first.
6. CU Boulder encourages either physics or chemistry for admission for certain majors. All other Colorado state schools require 3 years of science, but the 3rd year can be any of our science courses.
7. The University of California system: same as CU Boulder.
8. Check the college you are planning to apply to for exact science requirements!

