What is STARS (Self-Reported Transcript & Academic Record System)?

Formerly known as SRAR/SSAR.

SRAR/SSAR is now STARS. You can still log in with the same email address and password.

STARS LOGIN

- The Self-Reported Transcript & Academic Record System (STARS) allows students to self-report courses and grades completed in grades 9-11 and the in-progress courses for 12th grade.
- Some colleges <u>require</u> the STARS in addition to submission of an application such as The Common Application or the college-specific application.
- Colleges that **require** the STARS do <u>NOT</u> want a high school transcript with the application but will require a final transcript after graduation if you attend that college
- Some examples of colleges that require the STARS: Penn State University, University of Pittsburgh, Rutgers, Clemson University, Virginia Tech, University of Florida. The complete list can be found here: Which Colleges/Universities Accept The STARS? Support Center For the most up-to-date information, verify on each college application website for step-by-step application instructions. It will state if STARS is required or if the college requires an official transcript.

CB EAST STARS TUTORIAL

- Follow the screenshots below for examples on completing your STARS if required by your colleges. Create an account here: STARS LOGIN
- You will need access to your high school transcript (available through your Infinite Campus portal under "reports") and your senior year schedule.
- Please note that some colleges (like Penn State) require that you submit your admission application first, then wait for an email/portal invitation to complete your STARS.
- Accuracy is very important! The college you attend will compare your self-reported version with the official transcript from CBSD after graduation.

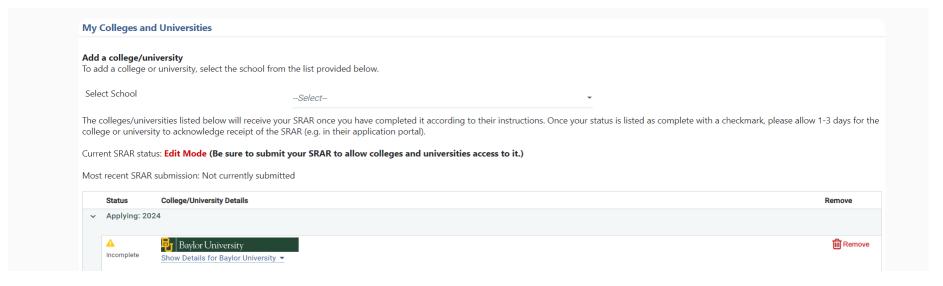
STUDENT TYPE



Undergraduate Transfer Applicant

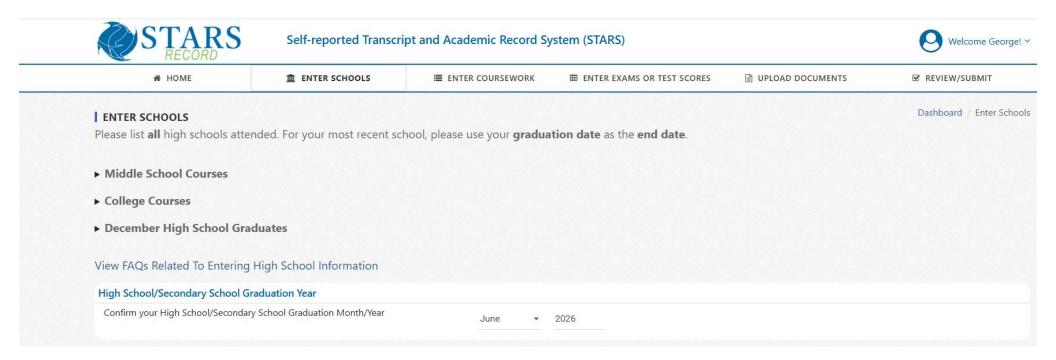
MY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

- Add colleges you want to allow to access your STARS.
- Please note that some colleges want you to complete the admission application first then follow the instructions they provide via email/portal to link your SRAR account.
- Follow all instructions provided by the colleges in the "show details for" tab underneath the college name.



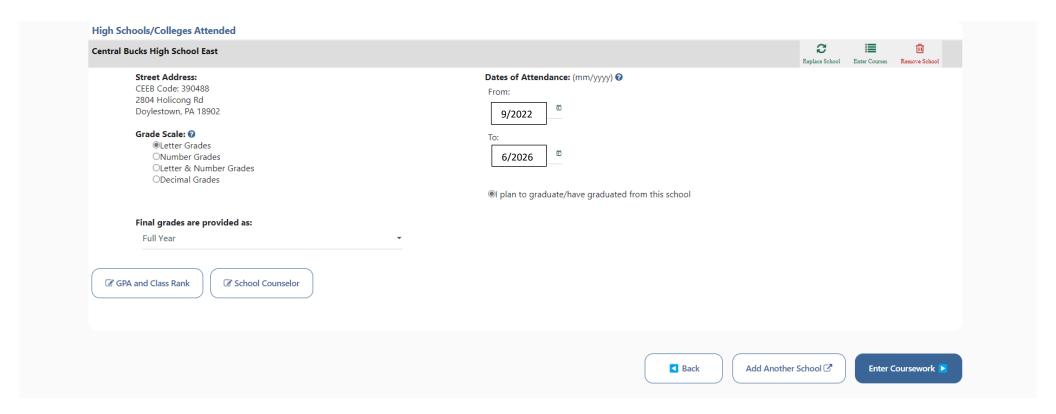
ENTER HIGH SCHOOLS

- Include the information related to your graduation year and CB East as indicated in the examples below.
- If you added a different high school previously, you will need to include the information for that school separately.



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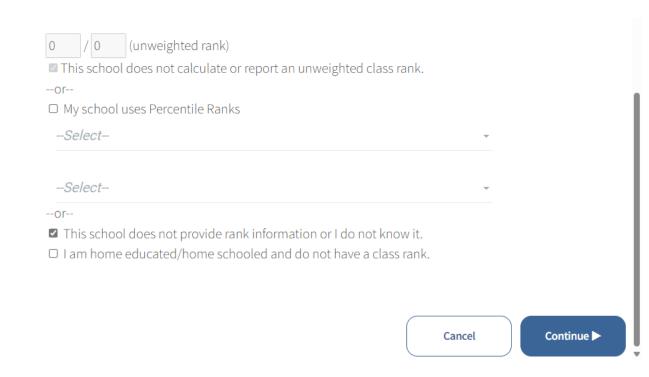
• Please choose "Full Year" for final grades. This will ensure that your STARS matches the final transcript which only lists final grades.



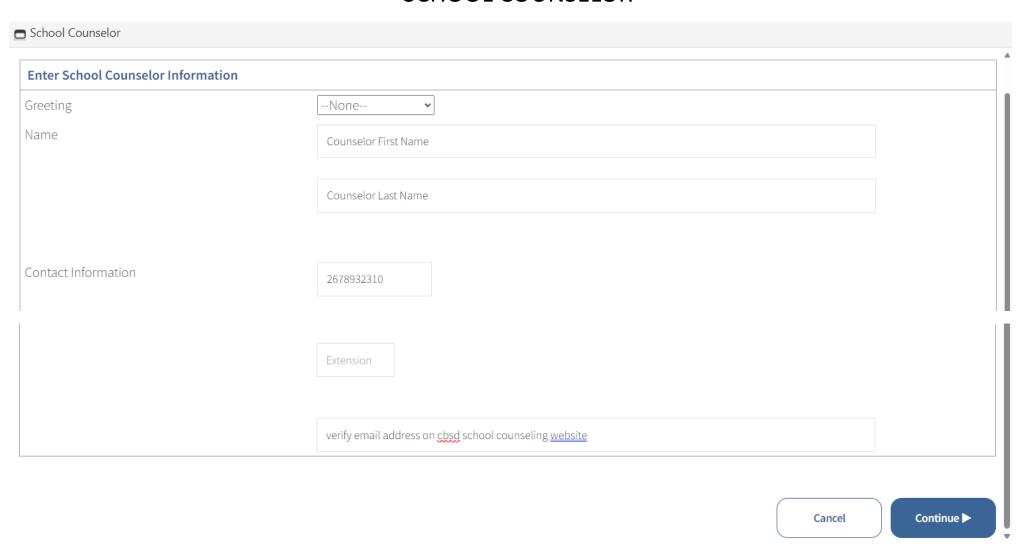
GPA AND CLASS RANK

CB East calculates weighted GPA only. We do not calculate rank or unweighted GPA

■ GPA/Class Rank				
Enter GPA and Class Rank for Central Bucks High School East Please provide all GPAs calculated by your school (weighted AND unweighted) as well as class rank.				
	☐ This school does not calculate or report weighted GPA.			
Cumulative unweighted GPA: ②	0			
	☑ This school does not calculate or report an unweighted GPA. ②			
If you are unable to provide a class rank/size, select	the percentile rank which best describes you in your high school graduating class.			
Class Rank/Size:	☐ This school provides a numerical class rank and size.			
	0 / 0 (weighted rank) ☑ This school does not calculate or report a weighted class rank.			

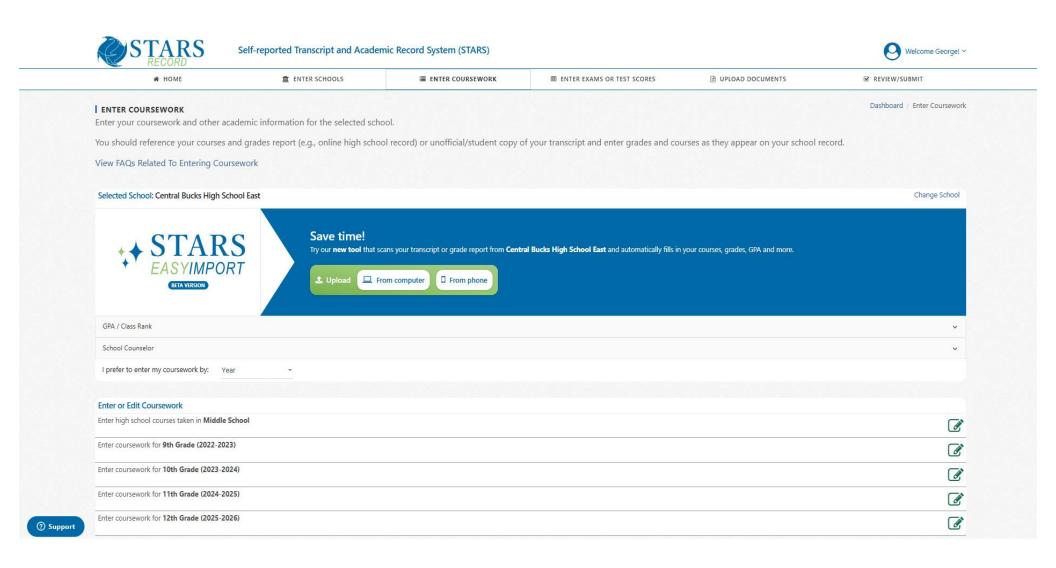


SCHOOL COUNSELOR



ENTER COURSEWORK

- Access your transcript on the Infinite Campus portal (under reports) and follow it exactly
- The following screenshots outlines information on how to complete the STARS.
- Course name and credit information should be entered exactly the same way it is reported on your high school transcript.
- Please list all core academic and elective classes as <u>'Full Year'</u> courses. This will make it easier to fill in the STARS and ensure that the information you enter into your application matches your final high school transcript that will be sent at the end of the school year.
- STARS also allows you to scan and import your unofficial transcript, with STARS EASYIMPORT. Unofficial transcripts can be found in the student portal.



• Central Bucks middle school courses (8th grade and below) DO NOT appear on the transcript. DO NOT include on the STARS

Enter high school courses taken in Middle School

▼ **IMPORTANT** Click here to view instructions for entering coursework

Please enter your final official grades for all courses in **grades 9 through 12**. If you have not yet received a final grade for current or scheduled **senior-year courses**, **select "In Progress-IP"** from the drop down in the Grades field, even if you have not yet started the course.

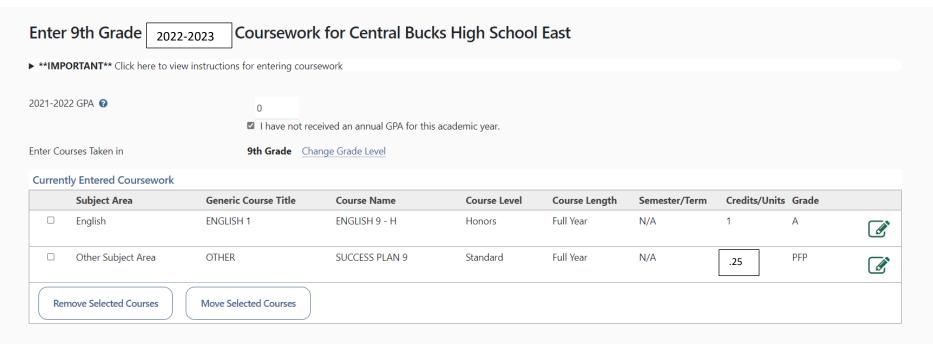
- ► Course Length and Credits
- ▶ Grades
- **▼** Middle School Courses

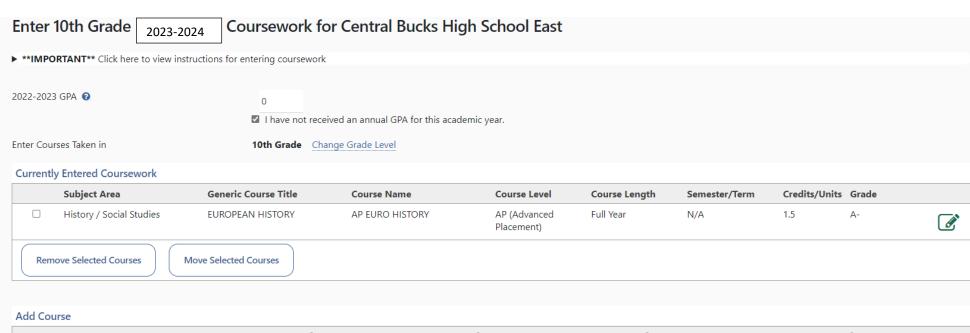
Enter middle school coursework **only if it appears on your high school transcript and you earned high school credit**. If you completed high school level courses (e.g. Math or Foreign Language) while in Middle School and they are listed on your high school transcript please list them in the Middle School academic year on the SRAR. You do not have to list the specific grade level or the name of the middle school.

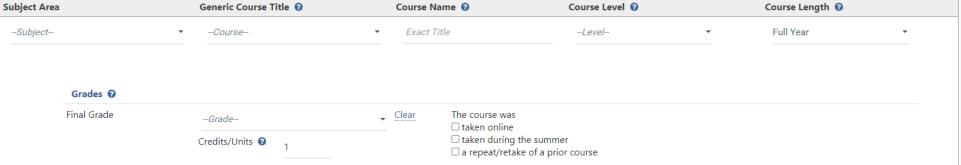
- ► College Courses
- ► Summer Courses
- ▶ Three Year High School Graduates

If you need help with entering your coursework, we encourage you to visit our support center.

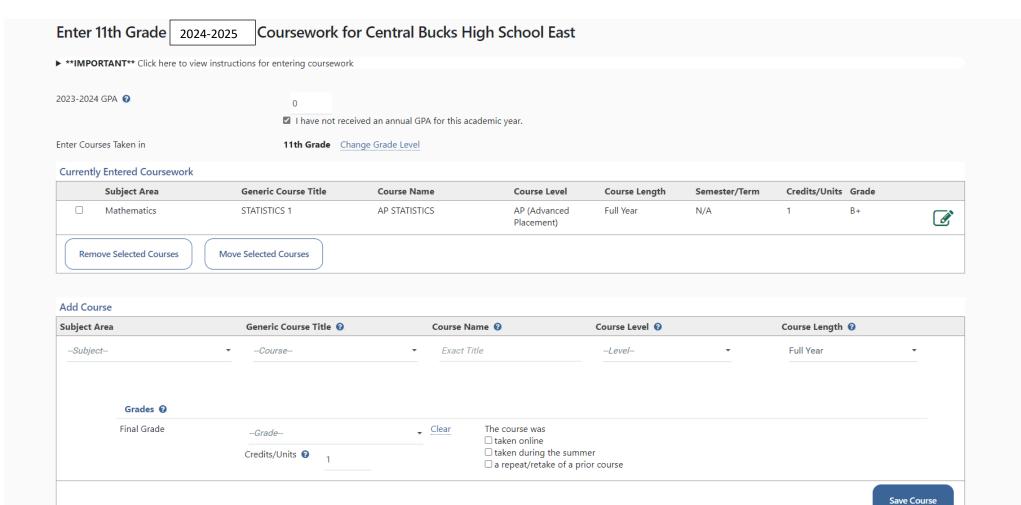
• Include 9th grade courses for Central Bucks High School East, not Middle school. List all Course Length as "year long". Please note that you will check the box "I have not received an annual GPA for this academic year. We DO NOT calculate a yearly GPA, therefore you will check this box for each year.



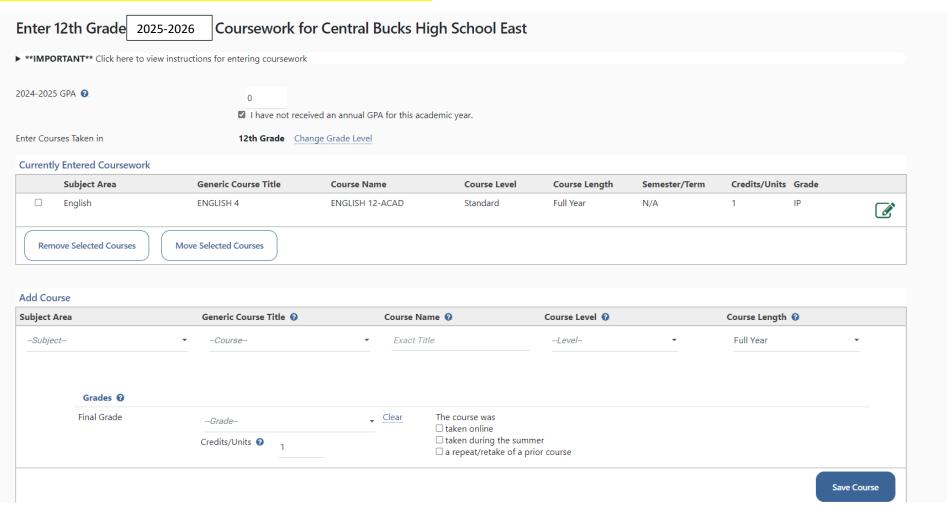




Save Course



List your senior year courses, and for grade indicate "IP" for in-progress



ENTER EXAMS OR TEST SCORES

This section is optional. Please read the FAQ'S on the STARS page before deciding to include or exclude scores

Enter Exams or Test Scores

Please enter any exam or test scores you have taken. You can choose to send exams or test scores to a college that collects them via the SRAR on the Home page.

We recommend reviewing each college's admissions test policy (e.g., test-optional or required) before deciding whether or not to send your test scores to a particular college.

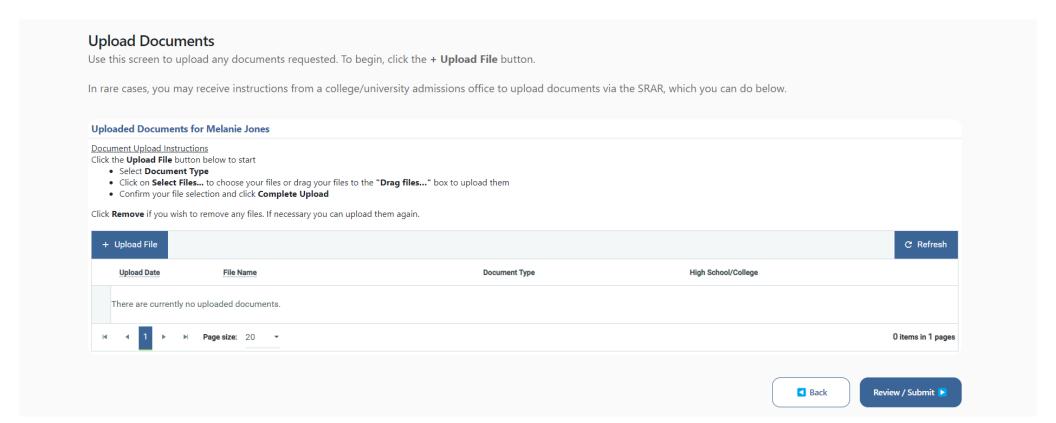
View FAQs Related To Entering Test Scores

Currently Entered Exams or Test Scores				
SAT Edit				
Exam / Test Name	Date Taken	Score / Grade		
05/2024	MATH (Section Score)	550		
03/2024	EVIDENCE-BASED READING AND WRITING (Section Score)	620		

Add New Exams or Test Scores			
Select Exam/Test Type	Select Exam/Test Type	<u>*</u>	

UPLOAD DOCUMENTS

In rare cases, you may receive instructions from a college/university admission office to upload documents via the SRAR



REVIEW/SUBMIT YOUR RECORD

Review/Submit Your Record

Review the data you have entered to ensure it is accurate. If it looks okay, mark it as complete by completing the section at the bottom.

IMPORTANT

You are submitting your complete academic record for the school(s) listed below **including coursework in progress**. Be sure that the information you provide includes all secondary schools you have attended, and that all courses and grades are included and accurate. **It is very important that you carefully review your academic record for any omissions/errors and modify it accordingly now.**

Once your academic record has been submitted it is considered a final document and cannot be modified. If you are admitted and decide to enroll, you will be required to submit an official high school transcript that will be compared to your SRAR. Discrepancies and misrepresentations could result in the revocation of your admissions decision and/or the forfeiture of any scholarship awards.