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2025-2026

Alternative Course Descriptions

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Strasburg School District has the option to modify any and all courses offered in this booklet. Courses may be changed due to, but not limited to, student requests, teacher availability, room availability, and financial resources.

SHS SCHOOL - 4 YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

Credits Needed	Subject	9th Grade 7 classes	10th Grade 7 classes	11th Grade 7 classes	12th Grade 5 classes
4	English	English 9 *(required)*	English 10 *(required)*	English 11 *(required)*	*English Elective (required)*
4	Math	Algebra *(required)*	Geometry *(required)*	Algebra 2 *(required)*	*Math Elective (required)*
3	Social Studies	Freshmen Seminar/Civics/ Geography *(required)*	World History *(required)*	American History *(required)*	
3	Science	Earth Science *(required)*	Biology *(required)*	Science Elective *(required)*	
1	Science or Social Studies Elective			Another Science or Social Studies *(required)*	
1	Sr. Seminar/ Sr. Government				Sr. Seminar/US Government *(required)*
1	Computer or Business	Computer or Business *(required before 12th grade)*			
1	Health		Health *(required)*		
1	Physical Education (athletics = .25 credit per completed season)	*one year or four quarters required*			
1	World Language	Spanish 1 or 2 *(required before 12th grade)*			
6	Electives	1 - 2 -	1 - 2 -	1 - 2 -	

Job Internship	Grade 11-12 Only
***Elective Credit	Teacher Recommendation

The internship program, offered by Strasburg High School and participating employers, is designed to provide students with practical, hands-on experience. Throughout the program, interns will have the opportunity to collaborate with experienced professionals, explore their interests, and develop essential skills for future career success.

Program Objectives:

1. Gain practical experience in industry
2. Develop professional skills such as communication, teamwork, problem-solving, and time management.
3. Receive mentorship and guidance from experienced professionals in the field.
4. Build a professional network and establish connections for future career opportunities.

Students will meet with the teacher one day a week and complete at least 10 hours of work a week.

Managers of employees will be surveyed to discuss the students work and attendance, and grades will be based on that survey. This class is worth 2.0 elective credits.

Plato Online Courses	Grades 10 - 12
***Course Credit	Requires Administration Approval

Strasburg High School uses the Edmentum Plato platform to offer credit recovery courses. Each class is worth .5 credits towards a specific subject area needed to meet graduation requirements. Copy and paste this link to review the Plato Course Catalog
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1lXwTLUDp5Woxdq6en3oZYh_pICJayzSe/view?usp=sharing.

Teacher's Assistant	Grades 11 - 12
***Elective Credit	Requires Administration Approval

Teacher's Assistant gives students the opportunity to work with a teacher within the district. This is a pass/fail class and eligibility to participate depends on the student's overall grades and attendance. The administration will decide which teacher the student will work with. Grades for this class are based solely on attendance. This class is worth 1.0 elective credits.