

STARR'S MILL HIGH SCHOOL



2026-2027

Course Registration

Course Request Process:

- **Jan 16th:** "Next Year Considerations" tab available for parents/students
- **Jan 27th:** Panther Vision Night 6:00–8:00 PM at Starr's Mill
Day: School Tours & CTE/Fine Arts with RSMS
Evening: 8th Grade/AP/Electives Night (6:00 – 8:00 PM).
- **Jan 29th:** Course Registration Opens
SMHS–4th Period Advisement Presentation & Opt-Out Emails.
RSMS–HR Presentation on Elective Registration
- **Jan 29th:** Academic Planner in Infinite Campus Opens:
Window for students to request electives and AP courses
- **Feb 4th – 5th:** Open Lab Support 4:30 – 6:00 PM
15-minute assistance intervals with Mrs. Meeks/Mrs. Lewis for Academic Planner help
- **Feb 6th: DEADLINE – Academic Planner CLOSSES at 4:00 PM–Final deadline for Opt-Out Forms**
- **Feb 9th – 11th:** 9th Grade Course Request Verification
- **Feb 23rd – 25th:** 10th Grade Course Request Verification
- **Mar 2nd– 9th:** 11th Grade Course Request Verification
- **Mar 5th – 6th:** 8th Grade Course Request Verification
RSMS students visit SMHS during Connections (HS Counselors verify courses in academic planners)
- **Mar 16th:** Course Request Sheets / AP Contract sent home for parent & student signature
- **Mar 19th: FINAL DEADLINE–** Parent / Student Signed Course Request Sheets and AP Agreement Forms due (RSMS & SMHS)



HOW TO COURSE REQUEST FOR YOUR 2026-2027 COURSES

1

Access your student portal through Infinite Campus

2

Review your Teacher Recommendations for the 2026-2027 school year within your Academic Planner in Infinite Campus

3

Review the "Next Year Considerations" tab in Infinite Campus if you're considering enrolling in an Advanced Placement (AP) course for the upcoming year

4

Select Elective and Alternate Courses in the Academic Planner on Infinite Campus

5

Ensure that you have (7) Courses and (3) Alternate courses listed in your Academic Planner by 4:00 PM on February 6

6

Make sure you complete all the STEPS, applications, and processes for Dual Enrollment, Work-Base Learning, OPT-OUT, Yearbook, etc by deadlines



ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP)

Information about AP Classes can be found on the [Starr's Mill website](#)

Check the "Next Year Considerations" tab in the Infinite Campus Academic Planner to see which AP Classes you meet the prerequisites

Please Note: AP Recommendations / Requests will be put in academic planner initially by teachers for core courses and by the student when selecting electives.

- *Once counselors have verified the prerequisites, met with the student, and have the signed AP Contract, students will then be registered for the AP class*

AP Contracts are due on **March 19th, 2026**; they will be included on the course request document that the parent and student must sign and return to SMHS.

Students must submit requests to drop AP courses before the county deadline of **June 1, 2026**



CTE COURSES:
CAREER, TECHNICAL,
EDUCATIONAL COURSES



STARR'S MILL HIGH SCHOOL CAREER CLUSTERS & PATHWAYS

<p>TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION, & LOGISTICS CLUSTER <u>AVIATION PATHWAY*</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fundamentals of Aerospace • Flight Operations I • Flight Operations II 	<p>HUMAN SERVICES CLUSTER <u>NUTRITION & FOOD SCIENCE PATHWAY*</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food, Nutrition, & Wellness • Food for Life • Food Science
<p>EDUCATION & TRAINING CLUSTER <u>EARLY CHILDHOOD PATHWAY*</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Childhood Education I • Early Childhood Education II • Early Childhood Education Practicum 	<p>HEALTH SCIENCE CLUSTER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therapeutic Services Pathways: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ <u>Allied Health & Medicine*</u> ◦ <u>Patient Care*</u> ◦ <u>EMR*</u> ◦ <u>EMT*</u> • Diagnostic Services Pathway <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ <u>Phlebotomy*</u>
<p>INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CLUSTER <u>COMPUTER SCIENCE PATHWAY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to Software Technology • AP Computer Science Principles • AP Computer Science A 	<p>MARKETING CLUSTER <u>MARKETING PATHWAY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marketing Principles • Promotion & Digital Marketing • Integrated Marketing Communications
<p>BUSINESS MANAGEMENT & ADMINISTRATION CLUSTER <u>ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to Business & Technology • Legal Environment of Business • Entrepreneurship 	<p>STEM CLUSTER <u>ENGINEERING PATHWAY*</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of Engineering • Engineering Concepts • Engineering Applications

*CTE Course Certification & Articulations

CTE Career Planner



FINE ARTS:
BAND, CHORUS, & DRAMA

All Band, Orchestra, Chorus, and higher-level Drama courses (Advanced Drama II-IV) are placed by auditions

To have these courses added to your academic planner after you try out, you must request the below courses in the fine arts section in the academic planner:

Band A & Band B

Chorus A & Chorus B

Drama A & Drama B

Orch A & Orch B



STARR'S MILL COURSE CATALOG

Starr's Mill High School Course Catalog 2026-2027



For all course information (Core Courses, AP, CTE, Fine Arts, PE and more), Graduation Requirements, Course Prerequisites, Pathways, and electives by grade.

This course catalog is a useful tool in choosing your courses.

[Click LINK to access SMHS COURSE CATALOG](#)

Resources to help with Course Selection:

- [2026-2027 Pathways & Elective](#)
- [2026-2027 SMHS Electives Planning Sheet](#)
- [2026-2027 SMHS Academic Pathway Plan](#)
- [2026-2027 Individual College and Career Plan Checklist](#)
- [2026-2027 9th Grade Electives Planning Sheet](#)
- [2026-2027 10th Grade Electives Planning Sheet](#)
- [2026-2027 11th Grade Electives Planning Sheet](#)
- [2026-2027 12th Grade Electives Planning Sheet](#)



OPT-OUT

Opt Out Information:

- For eligible students, a message will be sent through Infinite Campus on **January 29, 2026 at 4:00pm**
- Eligibility - Available for rising 11th and 12th-grade students with a GPA of 3.0 or higher after first-semester grades are posted
- All forms must be completed electronically; paper forms will not be provided
- Parents/guardians must sign the form FIRST in Infinite Campus
Once signed, it will be sent to the student for their signature in Infinite Campus
Both parent and student signatures are required for the form to be marked as complete
- Forms must be completed and submitted by **4:00pm on February 6, 2026**
- Forms submitted after the deadline will NOT be considered or accepted



DUAL ENROLLMENT

Fayette County Public Schools

2026-2027

DUAL ENROLLMENT INFORMATION MEETINGS

ALL NEW & RETURNING INTERESTED STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND (OR COMPLETE THE VIRTUAL OPTION)

MEETING GOALS

- Gain an overview of the dual enrollment program
- Understand the differences in eligibility and readiness for dual enrollment
- Learn how to apply
- Meet representatives from our major college providers

MEETING OPTIONS


- Tuesday; January 20 (6:30 p.m.) COI
- Thursday; February 12 (6:30 p.m.) COI
- Virtual (video) option also available through your high school's Schoology counseling page (Access the Dual Enrollment folder)
- Step 1 deadline: March 27, 2026

FOR MORE INFO

- Visit your high school's Schoology Counseling Page and Click the Dual Enrollment Folder

Center of Innovation 250 S Peachtree Parkway; Peachtree City

Application Open January 16, 2026 ~ Application Completion Deadline May 1, 2026



Useful links to help navigate Dual Enrollment - Click on Links below

[FCPS DUAL Enrollment Application Process](#)

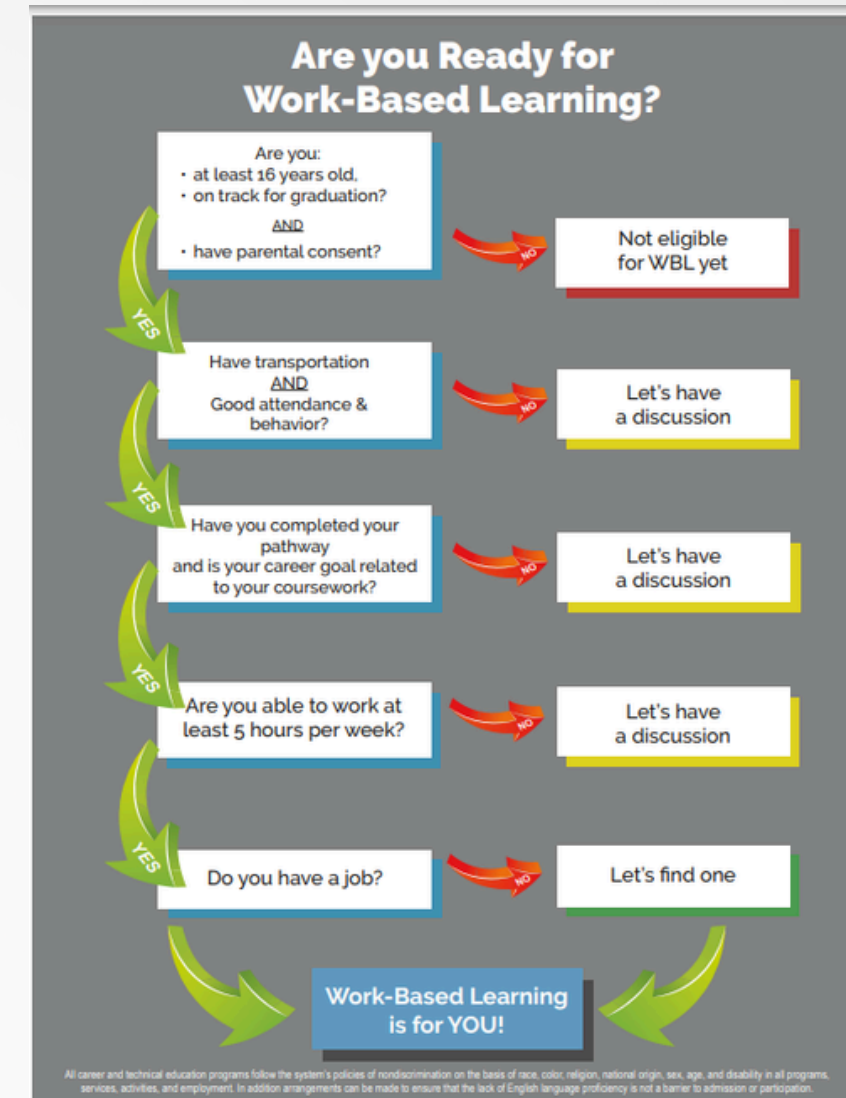
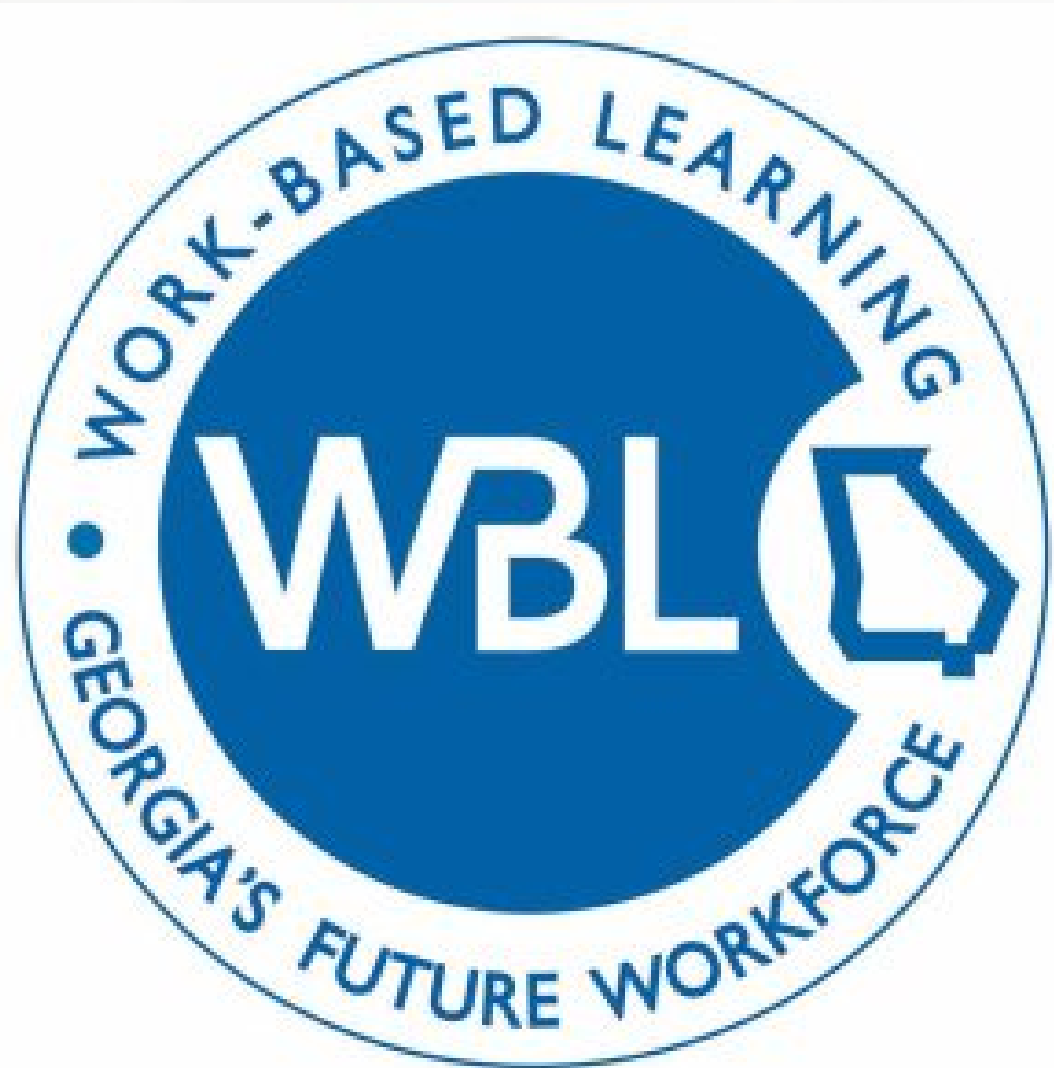
[FCPS Dual Enrollment Handbook](#)

[Georgia Futures: Georgia Student Finance Commission](#)

[Georgia Futures: Dual Enrollment Course Directory](#)

Please note that the STEP I Deadline is March 27, 2026





Click the Link below:

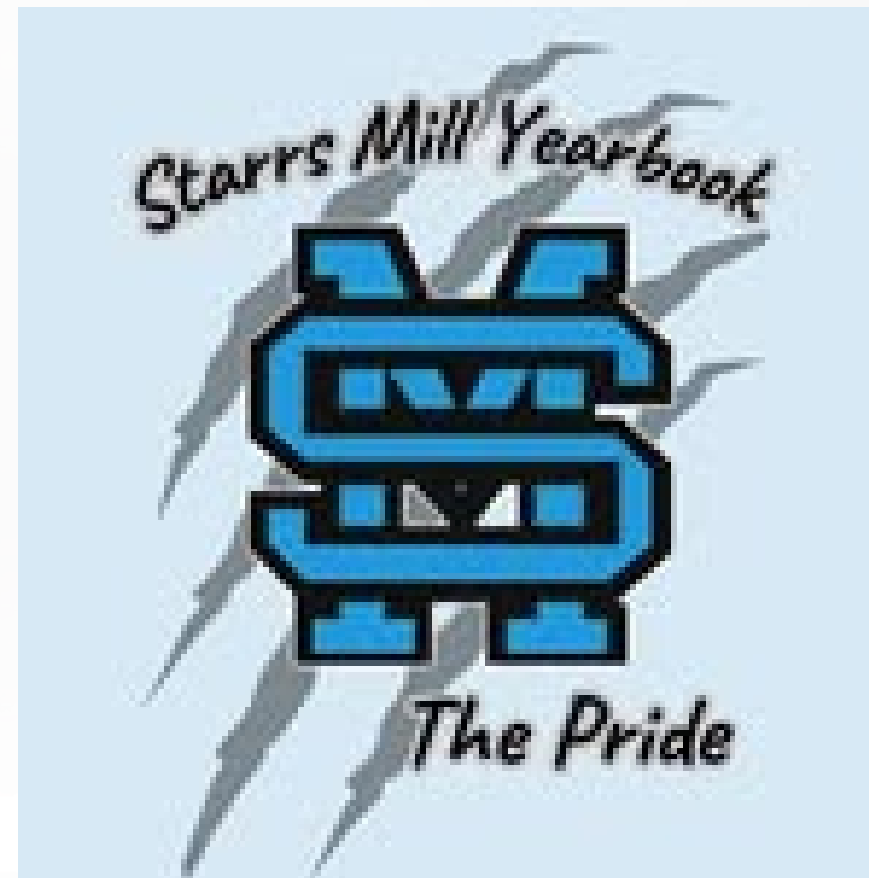
[2026-2027 Work Based Learning - Request for Application](#)

ALL STEPS must be completed by **March 13, 2026 for the 2026-2027 school year**
Once completed, you will be emailed access to the WBL Application on Schoology by Ms. Duncan.

Contact Ms. Melanie Duncan (duncan.melanie@fcboe.org), with any questions.



Click on Link for:
[Yearbook Application](#)



HOW TO REQUEST COURSES IN THE ACADEMIC PLANNER IN INFINITE CAMPUS



- 1** Log into the Infinite Campus
- 2** Under the Student menu, go to Academic Planner
- 3** To review Course Catalog information and save available items to the plan, type any part of the course number or title in the Search the Course Catalog drop-down
- 4** Click on the desired course for more details
- 5** If available, buttons will display to add the course to the plan in a particular grade level.
If these options are visible but grayed out, a prerequisite must be selected prior to selecting upper level courses
- 6** To add courses directly in the plan, locate the applicable Credit Area and click in the Grade Level to add
- 7** Click on the desired course to add
- 8** Click Save to add selections
- 9** A pop-up message with warnings/errors will appear for incomplete plans
- 10** Click OK to proceed



HOW TO REQUEST COURSES IN THE ACADEMIC PLANNER IN INFINITE CAMPUS

Save Course Plan Report Course Catalog: Editing disabled for students

Program: HS (Graduation) Counselor: Lewis, Pam lewis.pam@fcboe.org

	Grade: 09 7.00 / 6.00	Grade: 10 7.00 / 6.00	Grade: 11 8.00 / 6.00
Language Arts (4.00 / 4.00)	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00
	23.2610001 9th Lit/Comp A Gifted - 0.50	23.2620001 10th Lit/Comp A Gifted - 0.50	23.2530001 AP Lang/Comp (Am Lit) A - 0.50
	23.2610002 9th Lit/Comp B Gifted - 0.50	23.2620002 10th Lit/Comp B Gifted - 0.50	23.2530002 AP Lang/Comp (Am Lit) B - 0.50
Mathematics (4.00 / 4.00)	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00
	27.2994001 GSE Acc Alg I/Geom A	27.2995001 GSE Acc Geom B/Alg II A - 0.50	27.0841001 Precalculus A - 0.50
	27.2994002 GSE Acc Alg I/Geom A B - 0.50	27.2995002 GSE Acc Geom B/Alg II B - 0.50	27.0841002 Precalculus B - 0.50
Science (4.00 / 4.00)	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00	1.00 / 1.00
	26.2120001 Biology A Gifted - 0.50	40.0510001 Chemistry A - 0.50	40.2831001 AP Physics IA - 0.50
	26.2120002 Biology B Gifted - 0.50	40.0510002 Chemistry B - 0.50	40.2831002 AP Physics IB - 0.50



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Save Course Plan Report

Program: HS (Graduation) Counselor: [REDACTED]

Approved by parent/legal guardian

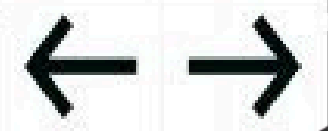
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Social Studies (3.00 / 3.00)			
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PE/Health (1.00 / 1.00)			
1.00 / 1.00 17.0110012 Health - 0.50 36.0510012 Personal Fitness - 0.50	0.00 / 0.00		0.00 / 0.00 Type to search or select courses
World Languages (0.00 / 0.00)			
1.00 / 0.00 60.0710001 Spanish IA - 0.50 60.0710002 Spanish IB - 0.50	0.00 / 0.00	Type to search or select courses	0.00 / 0.00 Type to search or select courses

Please make sure to enter courses vertically under your 2026-2027 grade level



HOW TO REQUEST COURSES IN THE ACADEMIC PLANNER IN INFINITE CAMPUS

The screenshot shows the Infinite Campus Academic Planner interface. At the top, there is a 'Save' button circled in red, with a red arrow pointing to it. A white text box with a red border contains the text 'Don't forget to click SAVE'. The interface displays a grid of course selection options for various subjects: Language Arts (4.0 / 4.0), Mathematics (2.0 / 4.0), Science (2.0 / 4.0), and Social Studies (2.0 / 3.0). Each subject row shows progress bars and course selection buttons. Alerts are visible for Mathematics and Science, indicating that not enough credits have been selected to meet minimum plan requirements.



HOPE SCHOLARSHIP

Your HOPE GPA is calculated using grades from core courses on gafutures.org (English, Math, Science, Social Studies, & World Language)

Select My High School HOPE GPA from the options located below your profile picture

Select Starr's Mill High School (click on the S and then scroll to find it) then press Select

At the bottom of the page, click View your Detailed GPA Report

Find your HOPE GPA, review the courses, and at the bottom of the screen, find your Total Credits for Rigor

Write down both your HOPE GPA and your Total Credits of Rigor

To be eligible for HOPE or ZELL by graduation a student will need - 4 HOPE Rigor credits / HOPE GPA 3.0 / Zell GPA 3.7 with 1200 SAT or 25 ACT in 1 test sitting)

Click on this link to see the full list of HOPE Rigor Courses: [HOPE RIGOR LIST](#)



UNDERSTANDING YOUR GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)

- All student GPAs are reported as weighted GPA
- **WEIGHTED:** Includes additional quality points for Advanced Placement (AP) and Dual Enrollment (DE) courses
- Advanced Placement (AP) courses receive 1 additional quality point
- Dual Enrollment (DE) courses receive 0.5 additional quality point
- To be an HONOR GRADUATE, the student's Weighted Cumulative GPA must be 3.5 or above at the end of fall semester of your senior year

Non-AP/DE GPA Calculation:

90-100	(4 quality pts)
80-89	(3 quality pts)
71-79	(2 quality pts)
70	(1 quality pt)
below 70	(0 quality pts)

AP Courses GPA Calculation:

A= 90-100	(5 quality pts)
B= 80-89	(4 quality pts)
C= 71-79	(3 quality pts)
D= 70	(2 quality pts)
F= below 70	(0 quality pts)

Dual Enrollment GPA Calculation:

A= 90-100	(4.5 quality pts)
B= 80-89	(3.5 quality pts)
C= 71-79	(2.5 quality pts)
D= 70	(1.5 quality pts)
F= 69	(0 quality pts)



FINAL REMINDERS



1

Make sure your course selections
(7) Courses + (3) Alternates
are entered in YOUR Academic
Planner no later than
Friday, February 6, 2026 at
4:00pm

2

All Applications for special
programs - Yearbook, Dual
Enrollment, and WBL are
completed by deadlines

3

Need HELP? Come see a
counselor during lunch!
**Friday, January 30th - Friday,
February 6th**

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