



**\*\*This document is intended for course planning. Course offerings may vary by school. Please contact your school's guidance department, program director, or assistant principal for site specific information.**

|   |   | Standard Diploma Requirements<br>14 Core Curriculum Credits                         |   |   |                            |
|--|---|---|---|---|----------------------------|
|  |   | Grade 9   | Grade 10  | Grade 11  | Grade 12                   |
| <b>Pathways in HS English</b>  |   | <b>4 Credits in English</b>   | <b>AP - Advanced Placement, DE - Dual Enrollment, EGP - English General Paper</b>   |   |                            |
| <b>Advanced Scholar</b><br>(accelerating through MS & HS)  | English 2H  | AP LANG   | AP LIT  | AP ELECTIVE or DE   |                            |
| <b>Scholar</b><br>(accelerating in GR 8/9, FAST PM3 Level 1 or 2 in GR 9)  | English 2H  | ENG 3H  | AICE EGP, or DE, or AP LANG   | AICE EGP, or DE, or AP Lit  |                            |
| <b>Merit</b><br>(on-grade level grades 8-10)   | English 1 (R/H)   | ENG 2 (R/H)   | AICE EGP, or ENG 3 (R/H)  | DE ENG  |                            |
| <b>Pathways in HS Mathematics</b>  |   | <b>4 Credits in Mathematics</b>   | <b>MCL - Math for College Liberal Arts, MDFL - Math for Data &amp; Fin Lit</b>      |   |                            |
| <b>Advanced Scholar/Scholar</b>  | ALG 2H  | AP Math Courses, DE (College Algebra) or Math for College Algebra                   |   |   |                            |
| <b>Scholar</b>   | GEO H   | ALG 2H  | AP Math Courses, MCL, MDFL, Math for College Algebra, Prob/Stats H, AP PreCalc      |   |                            |
| <b>Merit</b>   | ALG 1/ALG 1A<br>(Refer to Placement and Support Recommendations)  | ALG 1 or GEO  | MCL, MDFL, Math for College Algebra, Prob/Stats H, AP PreCalc                       |   |                            |
| <b>Pathways in HS Science</b>  |   | <b>3 Credits in Science</b>   | <b>AP - Advanced Placement, DE - Dual Enrollment, EQ - Equally Rigorous Science</b> |   |                            |
| <b>Advanced Scholar/Scholar</b>  | BIO 1H  | Chemistry 1H  | AP, DE, or AICE Science Courses   |   |                            |
| <b>Scholar</b>   | BIO 1H  | Chemistry 1 (R/H)   | AP, DE, AICE Science Courses, or other EQ Science Courses                           |   |                            |
| <b>Merit</b>   | Environmental Science   | BIO 1H  | Other EQ HS Science Courses or CTE Courses that Substitute for EQ Science Courses   |   |                            |
| <b>Pathways in HS Social Studies</b>   |   | <b>3 Credits in Social Studies</b>  | <b>2023 Freshmen must complete a Personal Finance* course for graduation</b>        |   |                            |
| <b>Advanced Scholar/Scholar</b>  | AP Human Geo, AP World History, AP European History, AP US Gov't., or Personal Finance & Money Management | AP World History or AP European History, or Personal Finance and Money Management H | AP US History, and/or Personal Finance & Money Management H                         | AP Gov't. & AP Econ. (Macro or Micro), or Personal Finance and Money Management H |                            |
| <b>Scholar/Merit</b>   | AP Human Geo, World History (AP/H), US Govt. (AP or H), or Personal Finance & Money Management H          | World History (AP/H), or Personal Finance & Money Management H                      | US History (AP/H), or Personal Finance & Money Management H                         | US Gov't H & Econ. H (or AP versions), or Personal Finance & Money Management H   |                            |
| <b>Required Courses: Algebra 1 or Geometry, Biology, World History, US History, Personal Finance, US Gov't, &amp; Economics</b>                    |   |   |   |   |                            |
| <b>7.5 Elective Credits</b>  |   |   |   |   |                            |
| <b>Career &amp; Technical Education Course:</b>  | Early Childhood Education 1   | Early Childhood Education 2   | Early Childhood Education 3   | Early Childhood Education 4   |                            |
| <b>Recommended:</b>  | Foreign Language  | Foreign Language  | DE-Child Care Worker  | DE-Preschool Teacher  |                            |
| <b>2.5 Other Required Courses</b>  |   |   |   |   |                            |
| 1 Credit: Physical Education (H.O.P.E.)  |   |   |   |   |                            |
| 1 Credit: Fine & Performing Arts, Speech & Debate, any CTE course, or Practical Arts   |   |   |   |   |                            |
| .5 Credit: Personal Finance Requirement - *CTE offers Personal Financial Literacy  |   |   |   |   |                            |
| Dual enrollment courses may be used to satisfy high school graduation or Bright Futures Gold Seal Vocational and CAPE Scholars Award requirements. |   |   |   |   |                            |
| Related Post-Secondary Opportunities   |   |   |   |   |                            |
| Post-Secondary Opportunities   | <b>Career Certificate Programs</b>  |   | <b>College Credit Certificate</b>   |   | <b>Degree Programs</b>     |
|  | Pinellas Technical College - Clock Hour   |   | <60 College Credits   |   | Associate of Science (AS)  |
|  | Child Care Center Operations  |   | Child Care Center Mgmt Specialization   |   | Early Childhood Education  |
|  | Early Childhood Education   |   | Early Childhood Dev Specialization  |   | Early Childhood Management |
|  | Family Child Care Training  |   | Infant/Toddler Specialization   |   |                            |
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