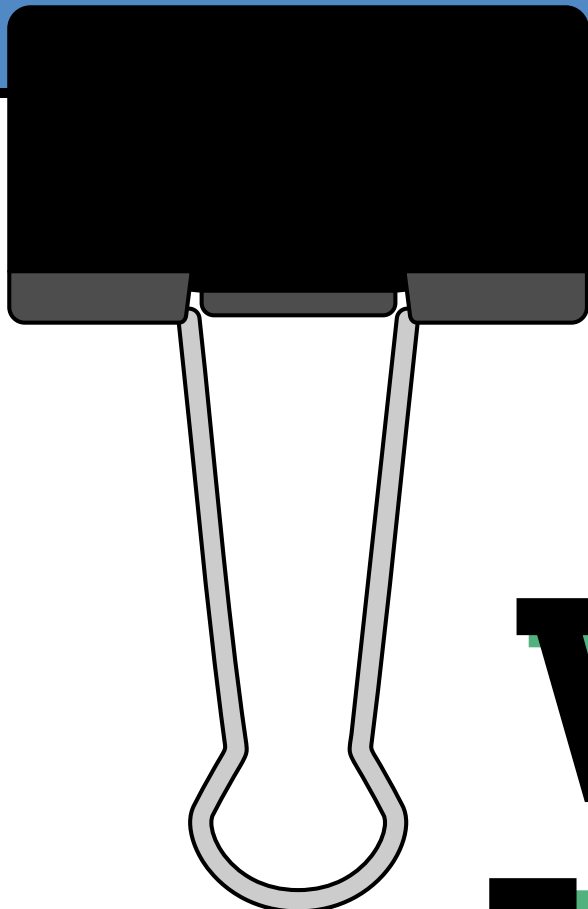
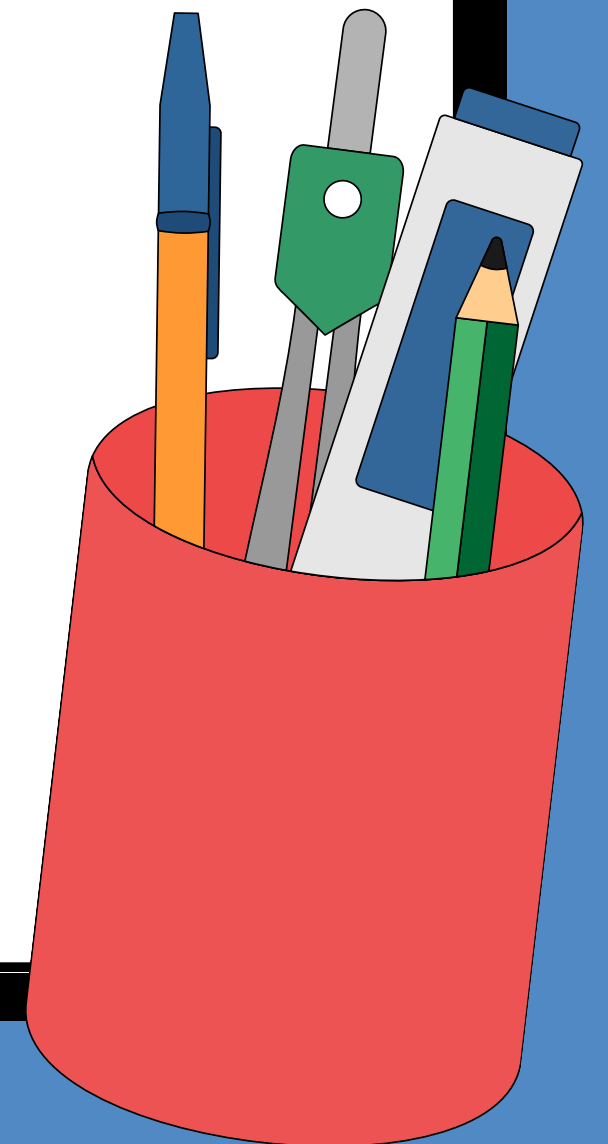




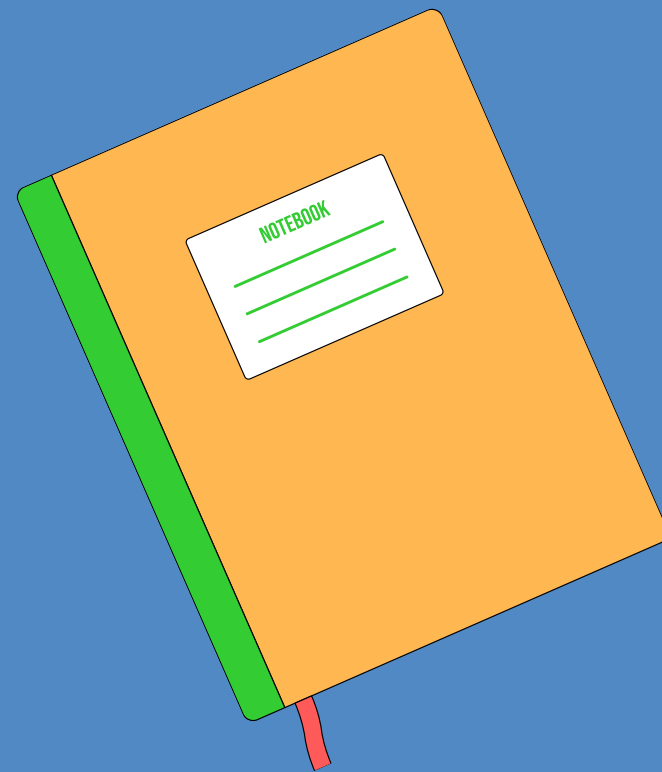
WELCOME TO HIGH SCHOOL

CDMMS 8th → CDMHS 9th



AGENDA

- High School Graduation Requirements
- A-G College Application Requirements
- Available Courses
- Logging in to Aeries for Course Selection
- Answering your Questions!



GRADUATION & COLLEGE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Required Courses (1 semester = 5 credits)	Required Years	Required Credits	A-G Requirements College Application requirements
History	3	30	A) 2 years
English	4	40	B) 4 years
Math	2	20	C) 3 years Must include Alg II or higher
Science	2	20	D) 2 years Lab Science
Humanities/Foreign Language	1	10	E) 2 years Lang other than English
Visual/Performing Arts			F) 1 year Visual/Performing Arts
Other Electives		80	G) 1 year College Prep Electives
PE/Sport	2	20	
Applied Skills	.5	5	
Health	.5	5	SENIOR YEAR
	TOTAL	230	

Other Graduation Requirements: Senior Project completed through Senior English Class

2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

9th Grade students must be enrolled in a **minimum of 6 classes.**

Your request does not guarantee placement. Required prerequisites, teacher/counselor recommendations and the finalization of the master schedule may affect course placements or course availability.

You will meet 1:1 with your high school counselor the week of April 28th during Language Arts. Your counselor will reach out to schedule the meeting.

ACADEMIC COURSES

ELECTIVE CHOICES

9th

CORONA DEL MAR HIGH SCHOOL

Course Selection Sheet for 2025-26

STUDENT NAME: _____

I.D. #: _____

DIRECTIONS FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

1. Go to cdm.nmusd.us

2. On the main page, scroll down to find "Log in Aeries Portal" on the bottom left side. Login with your StudentID@nmusd.us and password

3. Use the Course Selection Sheet, Course Selection Form & Elective List, and the pre-requisite sheet as a guide, to complete your Online Course Selection.

4. Add and review all course requests in your Aeries Student Portal

5. Courses with an (**) are advanced classes. **TEACHER RECOMMENDATION IS REQUIRED.**

6. Freshmen are required to have a minimum of 6 classes. Per CA Ed. Code, 6 classes constitute a full H.S. schedule.

Online Course Selection Due at Counselor Meeting

(B) ENGLISH

COMP UT 1 (F0390)

(C) MATH (Please circle one)

ALGEBRA 1 (M0418) **High School ENHANCED ALGEBRA 1 (M0424) **ENHANCED MATH 2 (M0408)

(D) LABORATORY SCIENCE (Please circle one)

BIOLOGY (R0308) HONORS BIOLOGY (R0363) **AP COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES (D0446) (approval required)

P.E./ATHLETICS/BAND/DANCE (Please see the athletic website for all sports info: <https://cdm.nmusd.us/hsathletics>)

1st Semester Course #: _____ Sport name: _____

2nd Semester Course #: _____ Sport Name: _____

(F) VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS (Please choose 1 class AND an alternate from the elective list tab.)

Course code #1: _____ Alternate course code #: _____

Course name: _____ Alternate course name: _____

(A) HISTORY (Elective)

AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY (S0376) **ONLY AGS candidates are allowed to take AP Human Geography**

(E) WORLD LANGUAGE and/or OTHER ELECTIVE COURSE (Choose from elective list tab)

Course #: _____

Course name: _____

Alternate Course #: _____

Course name: _____

POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS: Circle the option below that best describes student's plans after high school.

4-year University 2-year Community College Career/Technical School Military Work Undecided

DISCLAIMER: I understand that course selections are not guaranteed and will not be changed after school is done for the year. Teacher preferences for courses will not be honored. I understand that these are year-long courses and students are expected to commit to stay in the course for the entire year.

Once I meet with my counselor, my courses will be approved, and I confirm that the disclaimer has been read and is understood.



Corona del Mar High School Elective Course Selection Code Sheet Grade 9

9th Graders Must Be Enrolled in a Minimum of 6 Courses* (yearlong)
Please be advised that your request does not guarantee placement. Required prerequisites, teacher/counselor recommendations, and the finalization of the master schedule may affect course placements or availability.

Students will meet with their counselors in the **SPRING**.
Class selections: **Per Ed Code 46145**, Freshman **MUST** have a minimum of 6 classes both semesters.

(E) WORLD LANGUAGE (RECOMMENDED)

- ☐ G0306/307 Spanish 1AB
- ☐ G0318/319 Spanish 2AB
- ☐ G0300/301 French 1AB
- ☐ G0312/313 French 2AB
- ☐ G0368/369 Am. Sign Lang. 1AB
- ☐ G0391/392 Mandarin 1AB
- ☐ G0402/403 Mandarin 2AB
- ☐ G0404 Mandarin 3AB
- ☐ G0408/409 AP Chinese AB

(F) VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS – (Please select a 1st, and alternate choice)

- ☐ C0300/301 Art 1AB
- ☐ C0323/324 Art 2AB
- ☐ CT367/368 Tech Theater
- ☐ E0310/311 Drama 1AB
- ☐ E0322/323 Drama 2AB
- ☐ P0332/333 •Dance Prod (1) AB
(Beg. Dance)
- ☐ P0334/335 •Dance Prod (2) CD (tryout required)
- ☐ P0348/349 •Dance Prod (3) EF
(tryout required)
- ☐ P0337/P0338 •Dance Prod GH (Orchestra)
(tryout required)
- ☐ N0310/311 Stage Band (Beg. band)
- ☐ N0354/355 Jazz Band 1AB
(Tryout required)
- ☐ N0358/357 Drumline (Tryout required)
- ☐ N0358/359 Symphonic Band (Tryout required)
- ☐ PS347 Marching Band (1st, 2nd, 3rd)
(tryout required)
- ☐ N0322/323 Orchestra 1AB
- ☐ N0334/335 Orchestra 2AB (Tryout required)
- ☐ N0304/305 Choir 1AB (Men of Note)
- ☐ N0318/319 Choir 2AB (Notoriety)
(Tryout required)
- ☐ N0330/331 Choir 3 (Vox)
(Tryout required)
- ☐ UT380/381 Intro to Multimedia (Media Arts
Pathway course) (ROP)
- ☐ E0317/318 Yearbook 1AB
- ☐ C0304/305 Ceramics
- ☐ KT352 Intro to Engineering Design
(Engineering pathway)
- ☐ CT365 Intro to Animation
(Animation/Illustration: PreReq: Art 1)

*All dance classes fulfill both the Vis./Performing Arts

college requirement AND the p.e. high school grad requirements.

(G) COLLEGE PREP ELECTIVES

- ☐ S0310/S0328 Psychology/Sociology (one semester each, Sociology in spring)
- ☐ F0343/413 Journalism 1AB (approval req.: Trident Msg)
- ☐ F0416/417 Journalism 3AB (approval req.: Trident TV)

OTHER ELECTIVES

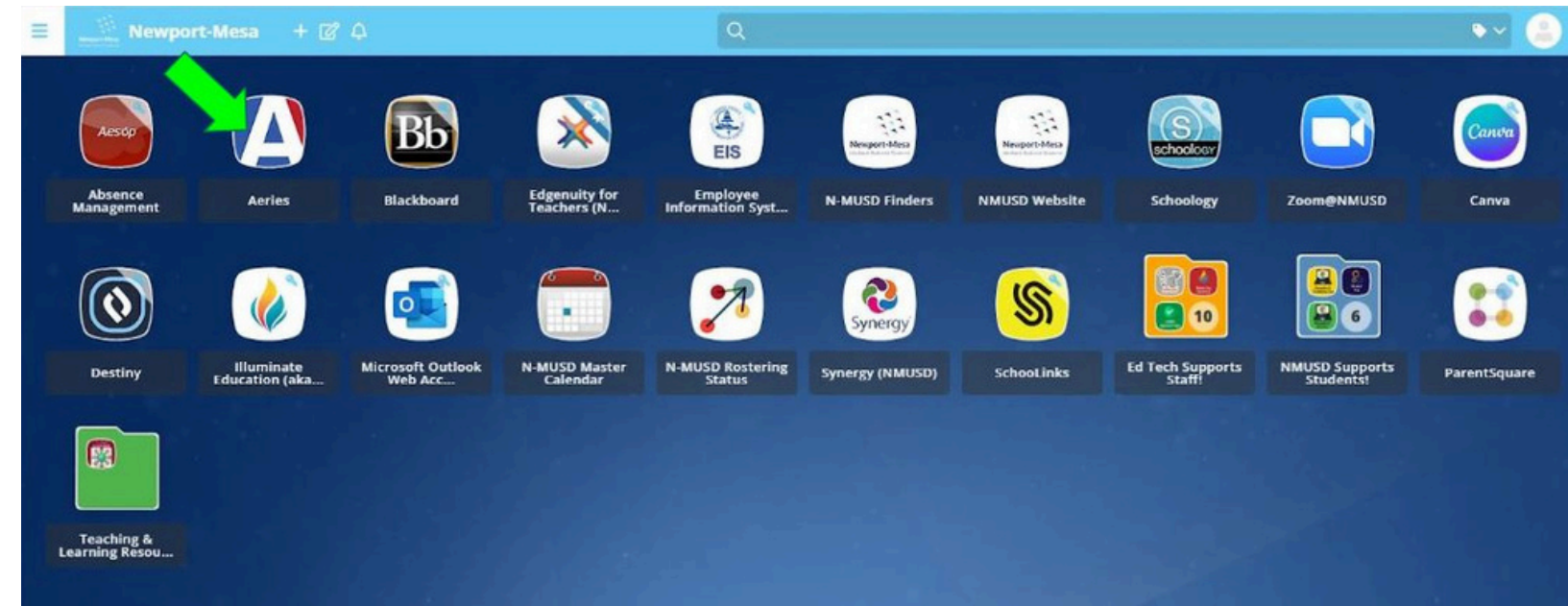
- ☐ KT379/380 Athletic Turf Management

PE ELECTIVES

- ☐ P0300/301 PE: Elective
- ☐ PS527 Yoga
- ☐ P0316/317 Color Guard/Drill Team
- ☐ PV300 Athletic Weight Training

(Please see the athletic website for all sports info:
<https://cdm.nmusd.us/hsathletics>)

LOGGING INTO AERIES



Scan the QR code for a step-by-step guide on entering your courses in Aeries.

9TH GRADE

Comp Lit 1

Math

Biology or
Honors Biology

World Language

Elective

PE/Sport

10TH GRADE

Comp Lit 2

Math

Lab Science

World Language

World History or
AP World History

PE/Sport

11TH GRADE

Comp Lit 3 or
AP Language

Math

Lab Science

World Language or
Elective

US History or
AP US History

Sport or Elective

12TH GRADE

Comp Lit 4 or
AP Literature

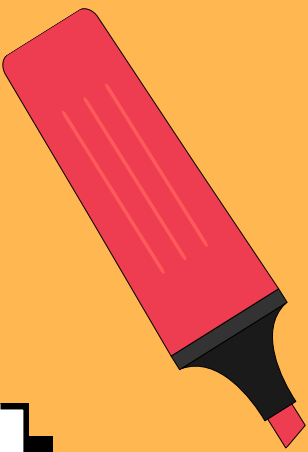
Math or Elective
(Math recommended)

Lab Science or
Elective

World Language or
Elective

Government/Econ or
AP Government/Econ
or AP Comparative
Gov/Econ

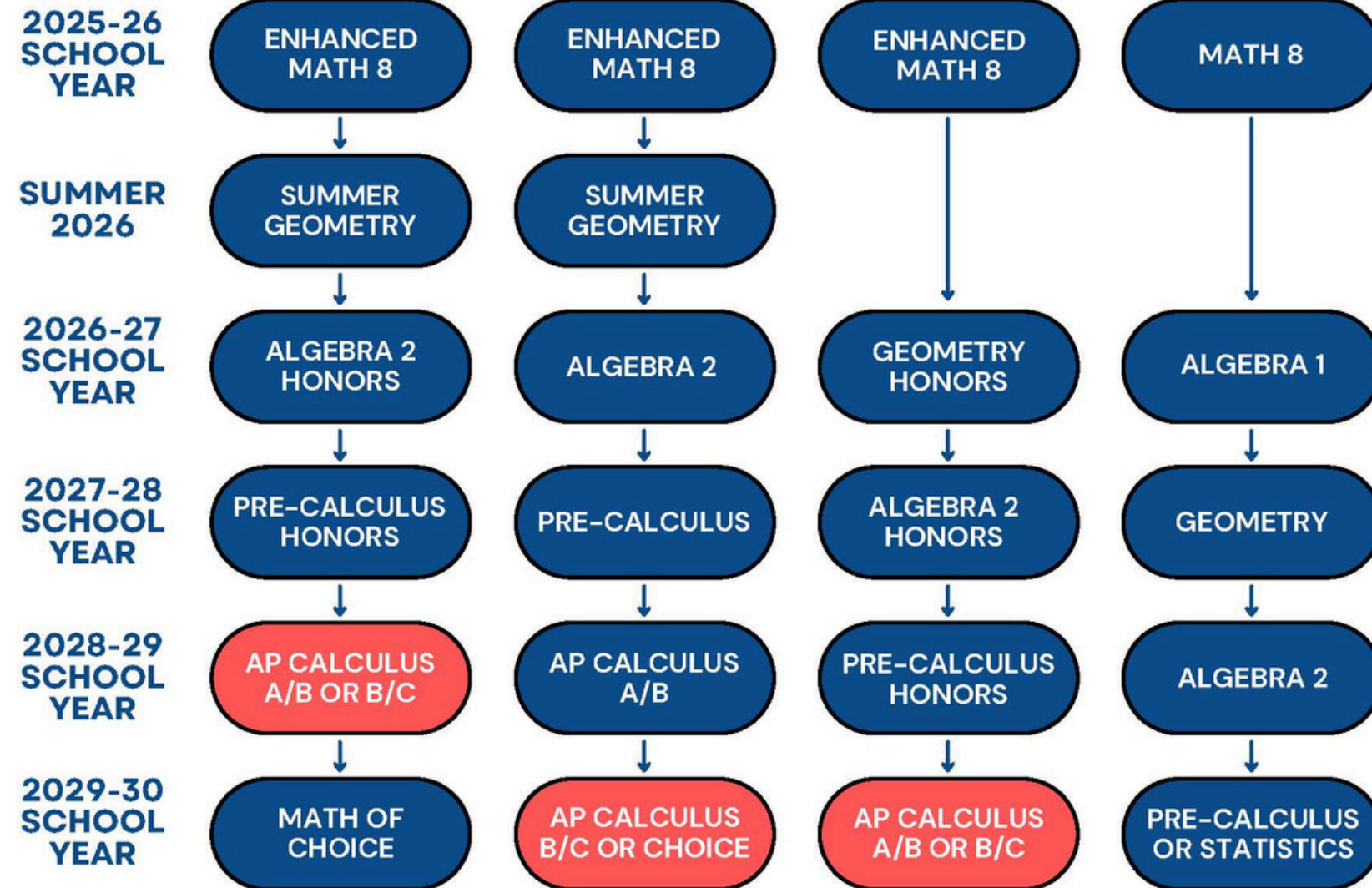
Sport or Elective



MATH PATHWAYS

CdM Math Pathway

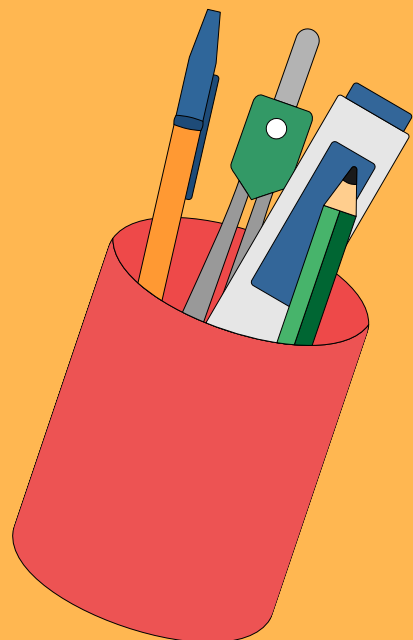
CURRENT 8TH GRADERS



HIGH-LEVEL MATH CHOICES INCLUDE: STATISTICS, AP STATISTICS, PRE-CALCULUS, AP CALC A/B, AND AP CALC B/C

All high school honors math courses are open to students with the appropriate prerequisites and/or teacher recommendations.

If you have questions, please contact your student's current math teacher.





Given the present reality of our interdependent world, no country or nation can afford to live in isolation from, or in, ignorance of others. Students should receive an education that allows them to understand other nations and societies and to deal with the economic, political, social, cultural and security issues confronting the world today. The 2026-2027 Application for AGS is coming soon.

Applications are available for download at the the AGS website. Applications due **Friday, May 1st**.

There will be an informational meeting for all students and parents **Wednesday, April 22nd at 6:00pm** in the CdM Lecture Hall.

CONTACT

Check the link below to see the AGS webpage
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Lmayberry@nmusd.us

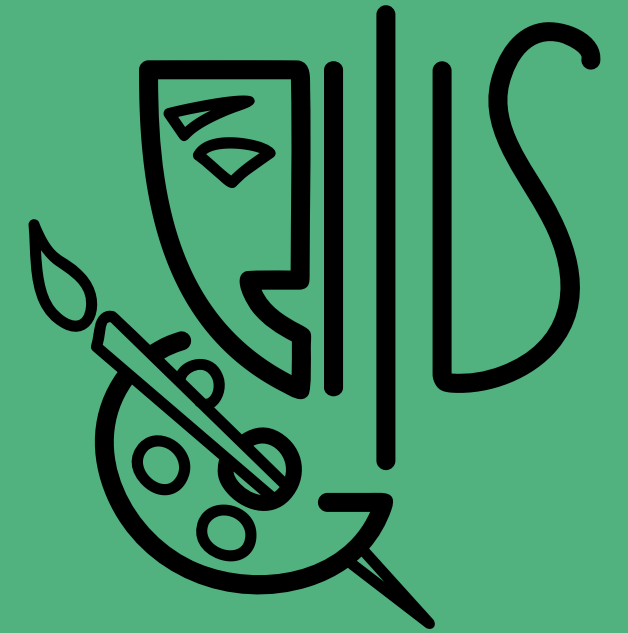
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**APPLICATIONS DUE
FRIDAY, MAY 1ST**

**CHECK OUT THE
LINK HERE!**



PAMA



PAMA is the Performing and Multimedia Arts academy network at Corona del Mar High School (grades 9-12). PAMA academies are structured academic pathways with three to four years of student specialization in one of the following arts areas:

DANCE

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Dance & Pep Squad
PAMA Academy
Coordinator
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INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Val Jamora
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MUSICAL THEATRE & THEATRE

Elise Ybarra
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MEDIA ARTS

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VOCAL MUSIC

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Musical Theatre
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MIDDLE TO HIGH SCHOOL CTE PATHWAYS: CORONA DEL MAR MIDDLE TO HIGH



For more career information & online resources, visit web.nmusd.us/cte

THESE COURSES LEAD TO YOUR FUTURE!

7TH - 8TH GRADE

AUTOMATION & ROBOTICS



FLIGHT & SPACE



DESIGN & MODELING



GREEN ARCHITECTURE



EXPLORING COMPUTER SCIENCE (MS)



MEDICAL DETECTIVES



9TH - 12TH GRADE

ANIMATION

- Animation I
- Animation II
- Animation III

COMPUTER SCIENCE

- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science A

ENGINEERING

- Design Engineering
- Principles of Engineering
- Aerospace Engineering
- Advanced Design Engineering

MEDIA ARTS

- Intro to Media Arts & Photography
- Intermediate Media Arts & Photo.
- AP Studio Art 2D-Media Arts

STAGE TECHNOLOGY

- Technical Theatre
- Advanced Technical Theatre

ROP CLASSES



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PREPARING STUDENTS FOR WHAT'S NEXT

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If you have questions about ROP opportunities, contact your high school counselor!

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ACADEMIC SUPPORTS

Monday Intervention built into the CdM Bell Schedule

- Teachers are available during Late Start Mondays from 8:45–9:35 am to help their students.

Peer Tutoring with National Honors Society Students

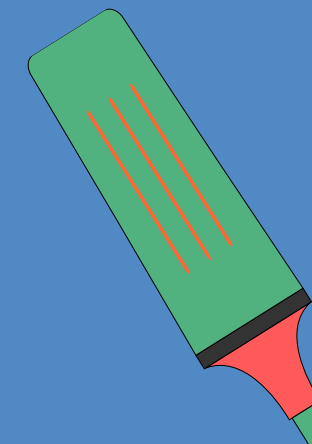
- Interested students can sign-up in the counseling department to be matched with a NHS tutor.

Mary Russell, College Specialist

- “Mama Mary” located in the LRC
- mrussell-cropemployee@nmsd.us



COUNSELING & WELLNESS SERVICES



OUR FOCUS

ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT

Implement strategies and activities to support and maximize each student's ability to learn.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Guide students to understand the connection between school and the real world, work, and post-secondary education.

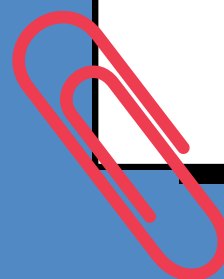
SOCIAL- EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Help students manage emotions and learn and apply interpersonal skills

WHAT'S AVAILABLE?

- Counseling Check-In's
- College & Career Center (LRC)
- Wellness Center Room 228 & 229 (SW: Jessica DeWilde)
- School Psychologists- Gus Sasso & Annemarie Stellman
- GW Mix - Student Advocate & Family Liaison
- On Campus Counseling - Wellness Team & Turning Point
- Off Campus Counseling- Care Solace and Hazel Health Referral
- School Nurse
- SRO- Officer Hardy
- Mental Health Referrals/Resources

We want to partner with you!
Please contact us with any concerns.



CDMHS SPORTS

STUDENT-ATHLETE INTEREST

To show interest for a sport, use the QR to fill out the Google Form. This does not sign you up for a sport, it lets our Athletic Department know you are interested in a sport. Please select only sports you are interested in playing in high school!!



ATHLETICS INTEREST FORM



ATHLETICS WEBPAGE

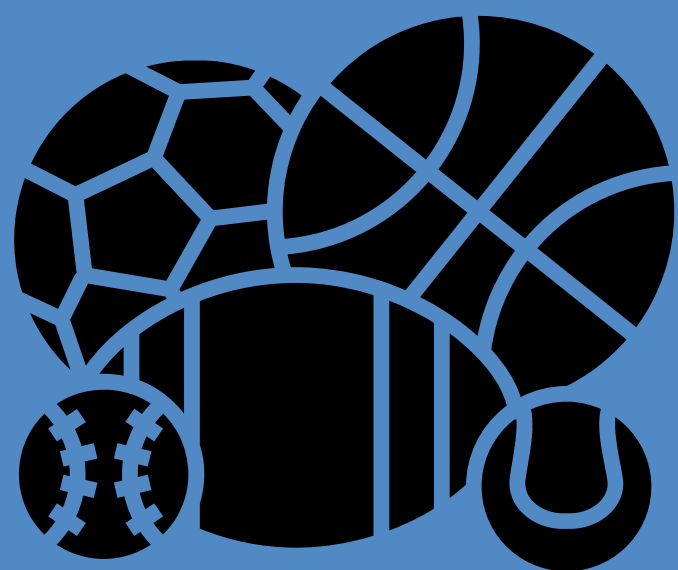
Information about all things athletics, including game schedules, staff directory, district policies, tickets, apparel, and much more can be found at: <https://cdm.nmusd.us/athletics1/high-school-athletics-home>

ATHLETIC CLEARANCE



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ALL student-athletes, NEW or RETURNING, must be cleared ANNUALLY prior to participation in any sport. Please register your student for the 2026-2027 school year at www.AthleticClearance.com beginning APRIL 13th.



SPORTS OFFERED

FALL (Aug-Nov)	WINTER (Nov-Feb)	SPRING (Feb-May)	YEAR-ROUND / CLUB
Cross Country (B/G) Flag Football (G) Football Golf (G) Tennis (G) Volleyball (G) Water Polo (G)	Basketball (B) Basketball (G) Soccer (B) Soccer (G) Water Polo (G) Wrestling (B/G)	Baseball Beach Volleyball (G) Golf (B) Lacrosse (B) Lacrosse (G) Softball Swimming (B/G) Tennis (B) Track (B/G) Volleyball (B)	Pep Squad Sailing Surf



CONTACT INFORMATION

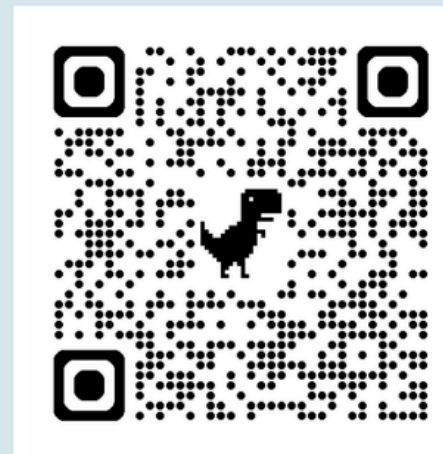
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RISING FRESHMAN! 2026/2027

*Are you interested in having a
high school athletic mentor?*

INTEREST FORM



PLEASE SUBMIT BY 3/20

**LEARN AND ASK QUESTIONS
ABOUT THIS TRANSITION LIKE:**

- COMMITMENT LEVEL
- SUMMER INFORMATION
- ATHLETIC CLEARANCE
- MENTOR'S JOURNEY
- CAMPUS LOCATIONS
- AND MORE!

QUESTIONS?
PLEASE CONTACT

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Support our award-winning college recruitment center, test preparation, and more.



Equipment

Help provide the laptops, musical instruments, and laboratory equipment that your children use every day.



Student Advocate & Family Liason

Help care for the academic and emotional health of our students.



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Support construction and renovations that benefit student life and create an environment that fosters collaboration and growth.

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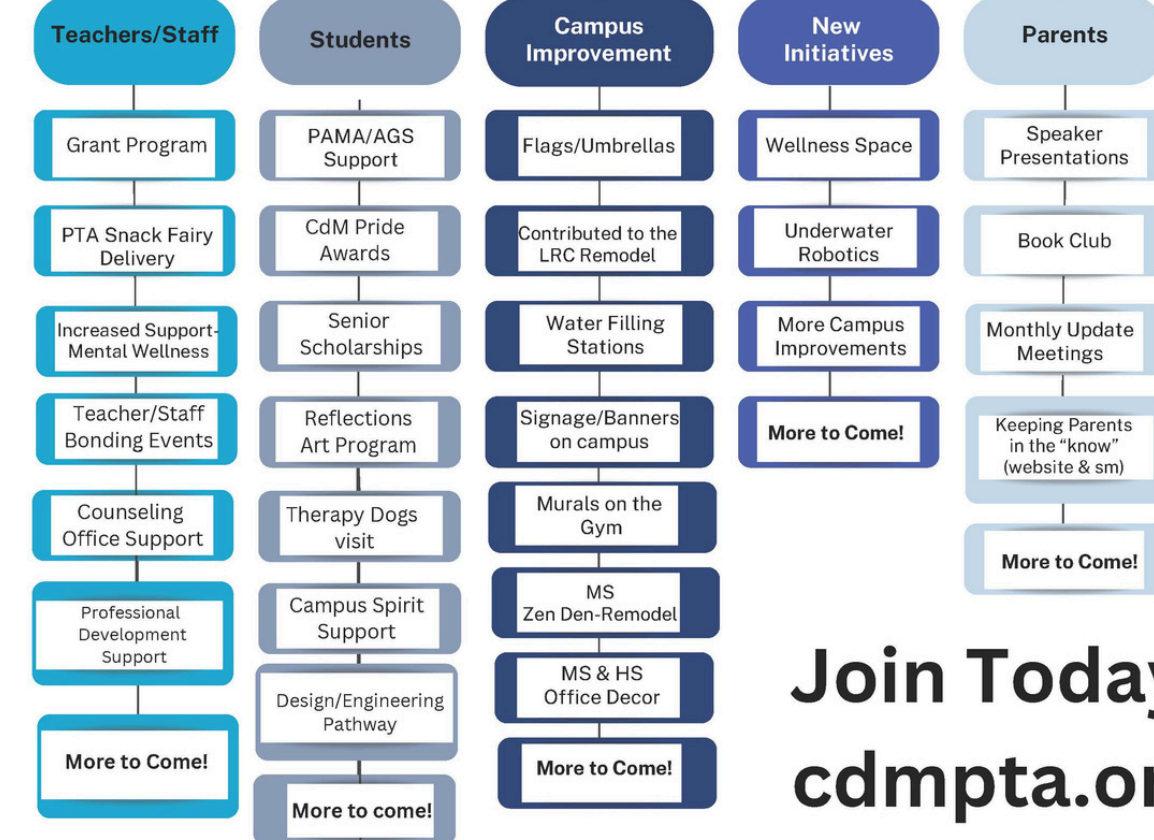
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IMPORTANT DATES

Aeries window is open for rising *9th grade
(*Only for CURRENT NMUSD students),
course selection from:

Monday, March 30th - Friday, April 24th

You will meet 1:1 with your high school counselor
to finalize your schedule the week of:

April 28th - May 2nd



HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELORS



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