Learner: Homeroom: Graduation Cohort:

The purpose of this communication is to outline our next steps related to course selection. Please read all the information carefully.

The process for creating a 26-27 schedule will consist of students building a draft schedule on paper and then scheduling a finalizing meeting with your school counselor. Students will be expected to come to this finalization meeting with a draft schedule for 26-27 school year. The finalization meeting will be scheduled through sign-up genius by each graduating class cohort.

This message includes several resources to help you prepare for the course selection process. The presentation on May 5th will provide information related to course selection. Students will view the presentation on Zoom beginning at 1:45pm.

Each graduating cohort receives the Sign-up Genius link on the course selection directions page of this packet to schedule their finalization appointment with their school counselor. The Class of 2030 Sign-up link will open on May 6th at 7:00 AM.

The next section of this email reviews several resources to assist in creating your schedule:

1. Student specific Teacher Recommendations
    a. This student specific document is attached below. Please review. The document lists teacher recommendations for students to consider when creating a 26-27 schedule. A blank indicates no recommendation was entered for that content area.
2. PowerSchool Student Portal
    a. Review your academic standing toward the completion of high school credits for graduation on your PowerSchool student Portal.
3. Course Selection Directions
    a. The directions explain the process for selecting courses and are attached. This also includes the Sign up Genius link.
4. Resources on HS Course Selection Website
    a. 2026-27 Curriculum Guide Student Services Course Selection page.

Teacher Recommendations		
Course	**First Recommendation**	**Second Recommendation**
English Language Arts		
Mathematics		
Science		
Social Studies		
World Language		

Following the presentation, members of the Class of 2030 should begin creating a draft schedule. The next step is to schedule your finalization meeting. The outcome of this meeting is to have a finalized schedule for the 26-27 school year. Note, schedules will not be changed following this meeting. The only time to complete any scheduling changes will occur during the drop/add request window that will begin at the start of the 26-27 school year.

Additionally, note the following:

- Students who drop a course after the scheduling deadline will receive a Withdraw/Fail and this will be reflected on transcripts as “WF” and treated as an “F” grade for GPA calculation purposes.

Individuals who are not prepared with a draft schedule, may be asked to reschedule their appointment for a later date.

If you attend classes in the building:

a. Meetings will occur in-person students will meet with their school counselor in Student Services.
b. Have a copy of your draft schedule ready.

If you attend classes as a Full-Time Online student:

a. Contact your school counselor and they will provide you with a zoom meeting invitation. Please be prompt.
b. Have your draft schedule ready.

Course Selection Directions
(learners)

RESOURCES & TOOLS FOR SCHEDULING

a. The primary resource for all course selection materials is the High School Student Services Course Selection page. All information will be updated and shared through this website. The website will contain the following resources:
   i. 26-27 MCHS Curriculum Guide
   ii. Schedule Worksheets for each graduating class.

PROCESS OVERVIEW:

1. **Handouts to Students:** Every student will receive the following handouts. These documents have been emailed to your MC outlook account
   a. Course Selection Directions (general)
      i. The directions explain the process for selecting courses.
   b. Schedule Worksheet (grade specific)
      i. This document is a copy of the master schedule and shows all the courses available to a student in that particular grade.
   c. Teacher Recommendation (student specific)
2. **Attend the Course Selection Presentation in person or on Zoom**.
3. **Make a Draft Schedule.**
   a. After the presentation, students should begin creating a schedule using the Schedule Worksheet and teacher recommendations.
   b. Create a draft schedule by identifying (circle/highlight) the course to be scheduled.
   c. The draft schedule is a critical step and must be completed before meeting with your school counselor.
4. **Schedule your Finalization Meeting with your School Counselor**
   a. Appointments will be scheduled via Sign-up Genius and organized by grading cohorts
   b. This meeting is the finalization of your 26-27 school schedule. Changes will not be permitted once the meeting is over.
   c. The Sign-up Genius link will open on the following schedule:
      i. Class of 2030: May 6th @ 7:00 AM
      ii. The link to schedule your finalization appointment is below:
         1. Dr. Mercandetti - **Last names starting with A-HAU**
            a. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A044BA9AD2BA2FF2-62701583-ahau
         2. Mr. Martin – **Last names starting with HAV– PATS**
            a. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A044BA9AD2BA2FF2-class7#/
         3. Mrs. Matos – **Last names starting with PATT – Z**
            https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A044BA9AD2BA2FF2-pats

GUIDANCE FOR CREATING A SCHEDULE:

- ✓ **Seniors will schedule 8 total credits including the following coursework**: 1 credit of ELA, 1 credit of Mathematics, and 6 elective credits.
- ✓ **Juniors will schedule 8 total credits including the following coursework:** 1 credit of ELA, 1 credit of Mathematics, 1 credit of Social Studies, 1 credit of Science, 0.5 credit of Financial Literacy, 0.5 credit of Physical Education, and 3 elective credits.
- ✓ **Sophomores will schedule 8 total credits including the following coursework:** 1 credit of ELA, 1 credit of Mathematics, 1 credit of Social Studies, 1 credit of Science, 0.5 credit of Physical Education, and 3.5 elective credits.
- ✓ **Freshmen will schedule 8 total credits including the following coursework:** 1 credit of ELA, 1 credit of Mathematics, 1 credit of Social Studies, 1 credit of Science, 0.5 credit of Careers and Your Money, 0.5 credit of Physical Education, 0.5 credit of Health, and 2.5 elective credit

9th Grade Schedule Worksheet

Block		Marking Period(s)	English Language Arts (1 credit)	Mathematics (1 credit)	Science (1 credit)	Social Studies (1 credit)	Electives	Health	PE	Careers and Money
Fall Semester	Block 1	MP1					Creating with Code		Individual/Dual Activities	Careers and Money
		MP2					Robotics, Band Orchestra Choir	Health		Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP1 and MP2)*	9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I Algebra I part I Honors Geometry	9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture, Spanish 1			
	Block 2	MP1				History and Legacy of Imperialism	Creating with Code, Materials and Prod 1		Individual/Dual Activities	Careers and Money
		MP2				AP US History	Intro to Business, Intro to Video Production, Materials and Production 1, Robotics		Lifetime Fitness	Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP1 and MP2)*	9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I	9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture, Spanish I			
	Block 3	MP1					Creating with Code, Game Development, Materials and Production 1	Health	Personal Fitness	
		MP2					CHS Web Design, Web Coding, Intro to Ag Welding, Materials and Production 1, Robotics	Health	Lifetime Fitness Personal Fitness	
		Semester *(MP1 and MP2)*	9th Grade Language Arts Honors 9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I Honors Geometry	9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture, Spanish I			
	Block 4	MP1				History and Legacy of Imperialism	Design Build		Lifetime Fitness Outdoor Ed	Careers and Money
		MP2				Genocide and Ethnic Cleansing	Design Build, Energy Power Control, Intro to Business	Health	Lifetime Fitness	Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP1 and MP2)*	9th Grade ELA	Algebra I Algebra I part I	9th Physical Science Honors 9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture			
Spring Semester	Block 1	MP3					Ag Business, Intro to Business, Materials and Production I	Health		
		MP4					Ag Sales & Marketing, Materials and Production I	Health	Personal Fitness	Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP3 and MP4)*	9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I Geometry	9th Physical Science	American History II	Ag Food Science & Safety, Film Production, German I, Small Gas Engines, Spanish I, Band Orchestra Choir			
	Block 2	MP3				AP US History	Architectural Drawing and Design, Intro to Business, Intro to Video Production, Stock Market Investing	Health	Lifetime Fitness	
		MP4				Genocide and Ethnic Cleansing	Computer Aided Drafting (CAD), Digital Design Printing, Digital Photography, Stock Market Investing,		Lifetime Fitness	Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP3 and MP4)*	9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I part 2 Geometry	9th Physical Science	American History II	Ag Construction, German I			
	Block 3	MP3					Computer Aided Drafting (CAD), Intro to Business	Health	Personal Fitness	
		MP4				Genocide and Ethnic Cleansing Human Geography	Architectural Drawing and Design, Intro to Business	Health	Indy/Dual Activities	
		Semester *(MP3 and MP4)*	9th Grade Language Arts Honors 9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I Algebra I part I Geometry	9th Physical Science Honors 9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture, Spanish I			
	Block 4	MP3				History and Legacy of Imperialism	Energy Power Control, Intro to Business, Materials and Production 1, Robotics		Outdoor Ed Intro to Weight Training	Careers and Money
		MP4					Intro to Business, Materials and Production 1, Robotics		Lifetime Fitness	Careers and Money
		Semester *(MP3 and MP4)*	9th Grade Language Arts Honors 9th Grade Language Arts	Algebra I Geometry Honors Geometry	9th Physical Science	American History II	Intro to Agriculture, Materials and Production II, Spanish II			

	Semester 1		Semester 2	
Course Name	**MP 1**	**MP 2**	**MP3**	**MP4**
9th Grade Language Arts	RUN			
10th Grade Language Arts			RUN	
American Literature			RUN	
Algebra I			RUN	
Geometry	RUN			
Algebra II	RUN			
Consumer/Business Math			RUN	
Physical Science>	RUN			
Biology			RUN	
Anatomy and Physiology>	RUN			
Climatology			RUN	
American History II			RUN	
European History	RUN			
American Government		RUN		
Introduction to Psychology		RUN		
Perspectives in Sociology			RUN	
American Law and Justice	RUN			RUN
Spanish I>	RUN			
AP Spanish Lit&Culture Part 2			RUN	
AP Spanish Lit&Culture Part 1	RUN			
Fitness for Life 1	RUN		RUN	
Fitness for Life 2		RUN		RUN
Health		RUN		RUN
Digital Photography		RUN		RUN
Product Design and Innovation	RUN		RUN	
Musical Identities and Heritages			RUN	
Music Theory				RUN
Evolution of America's Music	RUN		RUN	
Art in World Cultures+		RUN		
Veterinary Science				RUN
Intro to Ag Prod & Mech (APM)	RUN			

Name:

Scheduling Worksheet

Fall Schedule

Block 1	
MP1	
MP2	
Block 2	
MP1	
MP2	
Block 3	
MP1	
MP2	
Block 4	
MP1	
MP2	
Extra Credit (Optional)	
MP1	
MP2	

Spring Schedule

Block 1	
MP3	
MP4	
Block 2	
MP3	
MP4	
Block 3	
MP3	
MP4	
Block 4	
MP3	
MP4	
Extra Credit (Optional)	
MP3	
MP4	