4-YEAR PLAN

To graduate and earn a high school diploma, students must complete 220 credits by the end of their senior year. A full-time schedule consists of six classes per semester with students earning 60 credits per year. This ensures that they meet the graduation requirements within the standard four-year timeline. Students may have the option to take additional courses outside of the required school day during an A or B period, although the offerings of these courses will be limited. All students are encouraged to create a 4-year plan on the free California Colleges website: www.californiacolleges.edu

CAREER PLAN	**LHS 4-YEAR PLAN**	**ACADEMIC PROGRAM PLAN**
Industry Sector_____ Pathway _____ Career _____	Name _____ Parent Signature_____	☐ Community College/ Work ☐ Military/Trade/Apprenticeship ☐ 4 Yr College

FRESHMAN YEAR	**SOPHOMORE YEAR**	**JUNIOR YEAR**	**SENIOR YEAR**
English 9 **or** Honors Social Sci 9/Health **or** **AP Human Geography* Math:_____ Science:_____ PE 1 Elective: _____ *Optional A/B Courses (limited options):* _____ _____ **Students who choose AP Human Geography will defer health to 11th or 12th grade*	English 10 **or** AP Seminar World History **or** AP Math:_____ Science:_____ **PE 2* Elective:_____ *Optional A/B Courses (limited options):* _____ _____ **Students can waive PE 2 if playing a sport and take an additional elective.*	English 11 **or** AP US History **or** AP Math:_____ Science:_____ Elective:_____ Elective:_____ *Optional A/B Courses (limited options):* _____ _____ **Math and Science are recommended all 4 years.*	English 12 **or** AP Civics/Economics **or** AP Math:_____ Science:_____ Elective:_____ Elective:_____ *Optional A/B Courses (limited options):* _____ _____ **Math and Science are recommended all 4 years*

LHS DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

Social Science - 35 credits
English - 40 credits
Math - 20 credits
Science - 20 credits
VPA/LOTE/CTE - 30 credits (2 out of 3 categories)
PE - 20 credits
Health - 5 credits
Electives - 50 credits

TOTAL: 220 Credits

Students must pass Algebra and complete 10 credits of Biology and 10 credits of Physical Science.

UC/CSU COLLEGE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

a. History/Social Science	2 years
b. English	4 years
c. Mathematics	3 years (4 recommended)
d. Lab Science	2 years (3 recommended)
e. World Language (LOTE)	2 years (3 recommended)
f. Visual/Performing Arts	1 year
g. College Prep Elective	1 year

Students must complete 110 units (11 a-g courses) with a grade of C or better by the end of 11th grade. For exam requirements refer to the College admissions website

RESOURCES FOR 4 YEAR AND POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANNING:

LHS Course Catalog

LHS CTE Pathways

Career Center

Example 1: A-G Eligible/LHS Grad Student 4-Year Plan					
"a-g"	**Subject Category**	**9th Grade**	**10th Grade**	**11th Grade**	**12th Grade**
a	History	*Social Science 9A / Health	World History	US History	Civics
b	English	English 9	English 10	English 11	English 12
c	Mathematics	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2	Statistics
d	Lab Science	Con Physics	Biology	Chemistry	Field Biology
e	Language other than English		Spanish in 1	Spanish 2	Spanish 3 (recommended)
f	Visual Arts & Performing Arts	Ceramics			
g	College Prep Electives	Construction Technology	ROP Health Careers	ROP Nursing	Economics
Example 2: A-G Competitive Student 4-Year Plan					
"a-g"	**Subject Category**	**9th Grade**	**10th Grade**	**11th Grade**	**12th Grade**
a	History	AP Human Geography	World History (AP)	AP US History	AP Government
b	English	English 9 (H)	English 10 (H)	AP English Lang	AP English Lit
c	Mathematics	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2	AP Precalculus
d	Lab Science	Con Physics	Biology	Chemistry	AP Biology
e	Language other than English	Spanish 1	Spanish 2	Spanish 3	AP Spanish
f	Visual Arts & Performing Arts	Video	Advanced Video		
g	College Prep Electives			AP Comp. Sci	AP Macroeconomics

California Higher Educational Systems at a Glance			
Institution	**Campuses**	**ACT / SAT Required**	**Minimum GPA A-G Coursework**
California Community College (CCC)	112	No	No minimum
California State University (CSU)	23	No	2.5
University of California (UC)	10	No	3.0
Private/Out of State		Check with individual colleges	Varies