

Registration Guide – Juniors

I. Required materials:

- A. Course Catalog
- B. Course Registration Sheet
- C. Unofficial Transcript

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- A. Confirm you name and address are correct
- B. Reviewing your degree requirements:
 - 1. Personal Finance -- .5 credit (Take in 11th grade or 12th grade)
 - 2. English – 4.0 for graduation – should have 1.5 credits as of today
 - 3. Math -- 3.0 credits for graduation.
 - 4. PE – 1.5 credits
 - 5. Health -- .5 credit
 - 6. Science – 3.0 credits for graduation.
 - 7. Social Studies – 3.0 credits for graduation. World and US required, 1.0 credit of your choice
 - 8. Electives

III. Registration for 2021-22

- A. Clearly print your name.
- B. Minimum enrollment is 7.0 credits (study hall), Maximum enrollment is 8.0 credits (no study hall).
- C. Required courses:
 - 1. English – 1.0 credit American Character or American Literature
 - 2. Math –1.0 credit Integrated Math 3 (Algebra 2) or Pre-Calculus or Elementary Algebra with Applications
 - 3. Science – 1.0 credit
 - a. Traditional sequence for Technical College and University, entering the trades: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, + fourth year of choice. If going into a math/science field, all the science you can fit in your schedule.
 - b. If you completed Integrated Lab Science do not stop with that class! Plan to take another science as a junior.
 - 4. Social Studies – 1.0 credit of choice
 - 5. PE - .5 credit of choice
 - 6. Personal Finance – Either junior or senior year.
 - 7. If you have failed a required course, you must retake the semester you failed, either online during the summer or next year.
- D. Elective courses:
 - 1. Must take 2.5 electives (7.0 total) or up to 3.5 (8.0 total) in junior year
 - 2. Take courses that support your vocation (career interests) and your avocation (your personal interests). What career interests emerged for you from Xello?
 - 3. Read course descriptions carefully and make note of any additional fees.

4. Make sure you list 4 alternative choices in case a chosen course is canceled due to low enrollment or due to course scheduling conflicts.
5. Interested in working? Please reference Work Experience and Youth Apprenticeship in the Course Catalog.

E. Where do the following options fit in your plans?

1. Advanced Placement
2. Dual Enrollment
3. Early College Credit (ECCP) Application due March 1 for Fall 2021
4. Start College Now (grades 11-12) Application due March 1 for Fall 2021
5. Youth Apprenticeship (grades 11-12)

F. Understanding what post-secondary institutions are looking for . . .

1. Entering the workforce → gain work experience in the field, career related classes and solid marks in the academic core.
2. Interested in the trades → math, career related classes and solid marks in the academic core.
3. Military enlistment → solid marks with physical fitness, both through classes and athletics. World Language is recommended as well as taking Dual Enrollment and AP courses.
4. Technical college → solid marks, particularly in classes related to field. Example:
Health Sciences – need Biology, Chemistry, Anatomy, Integrated Math 1, Integrated Math 2, and Integrated Math 3, Statistics.
Computer Science – need Integrated Math 1, Integrated Math 2, Integrated Math 3, Pre-Calculus, Physics, as well as business courses and technology education courses. Take advantage of Dual Enrollment, AP and Start College Now.
5. Universities → take the most challenging courses available and do well in those courses. World Language credits are required at Big Ten Universities and many private colleges, most universities want to see 2.0 credits of a language as a chosen elective.

G. Plan understanding that the ability to learn is key to your future career development.

H. Unsure? Have questions? Come see Mr. Wong.

I. Talk to your current teachers – they will give you insight into what courses are your best match!

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IV. Due Date:

- A. Registration course sheets are due **TUESDAY, March 23rd**, by end of the day to School Counseling Office.
- B. If you do not want to keep your Course Catalogue, return to Front Office or the School Counseling Office.