

# 12th Grade Registration



2023-2024

# Registration material is found in two locations:

- Schoology Group:
  - WHS Guidance Office
  - Resources
  - Class Registration Information
- Waconia High School Website:
  - Guidance Office
  - Registration Information

# Registration Worksheet

- ★ Start at the top of the worksheet: make decisions in English, Social Studies, Math
- ★ Fill out thoroughly
- ★ Pay attention to course prerequisites.

# New Courses

- Unified Industrial Technology (1 trimester)
- Unified Art (1 trimester)
- Unified Culinary Foods (1 trimester)
- SMSU Intro to Education
  - 3 college credits
  - Seniors need to have a 3.0 GPA or above and be in the top half of their class

\*\* See handbook for course descriptions

# Registration Worksheet

- A. **Senior Seminar**: 1 credit required. This class will be loaded for you.
- B. **English**: 2 credits required. Choose one Composition and one Literature:
- ☐ Composition 12 (#107) or SMSU College Now Composition (#130)
  - ☐ Themes in Literature 12 (#136) or SMSU College Now Literature (#131)
  - ☐ AP Lit Part 1 (#113) & AP Lit Part 2 (#114)
- C. **Social Studies**: 2 credits required. Choose one of the following groups:
- ☐ Economics (#210) & Government (#211)
  - ☐ AP US Government Part 1 (#222) & AP US Government Part 2 (#223)
- D. **Electives**: Choose electives to total 15 classes. Don't forget your graduation requirements.
- E. **Alternatives**: Choose 2 alternative classes in case something doesn't work.

	Course Number	
1.		Senior Seminar
2.		(English)
3.		(English)
4.		(Social)
5.		(Social)
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Alternative		
Alternative		



Dept	#	Name	Open to				Dept	#	Name	Open to			
			9	10	11	12				9	10	11	12
ART	600	Intro to Art	x	x	x	x	FCS	814	Child Development			x	x
ART	601	Drawing/Painting	x	x	x	x	FCS	818	Interior Design 2		x	x	x
ART	602	Ceramics I	x	x	x	x							
ART	603	Graphic Design		x	x	x	IND. TECH	853	Auto Maintenance		x	x	x
ART	604	Applied Art	x	x	x	x	IND. TECH	854	Intro to Construction	x	x	x	x
ART	606	Ceramics 2		x	x	x	IND. TECH	855	Intro to Woods	x	x	x	x
ART	607	Ceramics 3		x	x	x	IND. TECH	856	Intro to Metals	x	x	x	x
ART	608	Studio Art Painting		x	x	x	IND. TECH	857	Small Engines	x	x	x	x
ART	610	AP Art (Tri 1)		x	x	x	IND. TECH	858	Entrepreneurship	x	x	x	x
ART	611	AP Art (Tri 2)		x	x	x	IND. TECH	859	Electricity/Electronics		x	x	x
ART	612	AP Art (Tri 3)		x	x	x	IND. TECH	861	Cabinetry & Furniture Making A		x	x	x
ART	613	Digital Photography		x	x	x	IND. TECH	862	Cabinetry & Furniture Making B		x	x	x
							IND. TECH	863	Metals Technology A		x	x	x
BUS	117	Video Productions	x	x	x	x	IND. TECH	864	Metals Technology B		x	x	x
BUS	224	Work Experience (Tri 1)				x	IND. TECH	867	Woodworking Technology	x	x	x	x
BUS	225	Work Experience (Tri 2)				x							
BUS	226	Work Experience (Tri 3)				x	MATH	300	Statistics 1	x	x	x	x
BUS	649	Intro to Business	x	x	x	x	MATH	302	Geometry A	x	x	x	x
BUS	651	Dollars and Sense	x	x	x	x	MATH	303	Geometry B	x	x	x	x
BUS	653	Business Law	x	x	x	x	MATH	304	Intermediate Algebra 2A	x	x	x	x
BUS	654	Entertainment Marketing	x	x	x	x	MATH	305	Intermediate Algebra 2B	x	x	x	x
BUS	655	Starting Your Own Business	x	x	x	x	MATH	306	Trigonometry	x	x	x	x
BUS	656	Business Management	x	x	x	x	MATH	307	Precalculus	x	x	x	x
BUS	660	Computers for Your Future	x	x	x	x	MATH	308	Calculus A			x	x
BUS	661	Microsoft Office	x	x	x	x	MATH	309	Calculus B			x	x
BUS	663	Computer Programing	x	x	x	x	MATH	310	AP Calculus AB (Part 1)			x	x
BUS	665	Web Design & Development	x	x	x	x	MATH	311	AP Calculus AB (Part 2)			x	x
BUS	670	Accounting 1	x	x	x	x	MATH	312	SMSU College Algebra		x	x	x
BUS	671	Accounting 2	x	x	x	x	MATH	315	AP Statistics A		x	x	x
BUS	675	Game Design I	x	x	x	x	MATH	316	AP Statistics B		x	x	x
BUS	676	Game Design II	x	x	x	x	MATH	320	Algebra 1A	x	x	x	x
							MATH	321	Algebra 1B	x	x	x	x
ENGLISH	100	English 9A	x				MATH	327	Algebra 1 Concepts	x	x		
ENGLISH	101	English 9B	x				MATH	330	AP Calculus BC (Tri 1)			x	x
ENGLISH	102	English 10A		x			MATH	331	AP Calculus BC (Tri 2)			x	x
ENGLISH	103	English 10B		x			MATH	332	AP Calculus BC (Tri 3)			x	x
ENGLISH	104	Composition 11			x								
ENGLISH	107	Composition 12				x	MUS	726	Grade 9 Band & Choir (Tri 1)	x			
ENGLISH	111	AP Language (Part 1)			x		MUS	727	Grade 9 Band & Choir (Tri 2)	x			
ENGLISH	112	AP Language (Part 2)			x		MUS	728	Grade 9 Band & Choir (Tri 3)	x			
ENGLISH	113	AP Literature (Part 1)				x	MUS	729	Grade 9 Band & PE (Tri 1)	x			
ENGLISH	114	AP Literature (Part 2)				x	MUS	730	Grade 9 Band & PE (Tri 2)	x			
ENGLISH	115	Speech	x	x	x	x	MUS	731	Grade 9 Band & PE (Tri 3)	x			
ENGLISH	116	Drama		x	x	x	MUS	732	Grade 9 Choir & PE (Tri 1)	x			

# Be sure you will fulfill your high school requirements!

## Course and Credit Requirements

55 Credits are required for graduation - 37 required credits, 18 elective credits

### Grade 9 Core Requirements:

English (2)	English 9A and English 9B; or Pre-AP English 9A and 9B
Social Studies (1)	American Citizenship
Science (3)	Principles of Chemistry, Principles of Engineering, and Principles of Physics
Mathematics (2)	2 Math Courses (see Mathematics section)

### Grade 10 Core Requirements:

English (2)	English 10A and English 10B; or Pre-AP English 10A and 10B
Social Studies (2)	US History A and US History B; or Advanced Placement US History (meets 2 credit social requirement)
Science (2)	Cellular Biology and Biological Systems
Mathematics (2)	2 Math Courses (see Mathematics section)

### Grade 11 Core Requirements:

English (2)	Composition 11; and American Literature 11 or Themes in Literature 11 (choose one); or Advanced Placement Language and Composition (meets 2 credit English requirement)
Social Studies (2)	World History A and B; or Advanced Placement World History (meets 2 credit social requirement)
Mathematics (2)	2 Math Courses (see Mathematics section)

### Grade 12 Core Requirements:

English (2)	Composition 12 or College Freshman Composition SMSU (choose one); and Themes in Literature 12 or World Literature (choose one); or Advanced Placement Literature and Composition (meets 2 credit English requirement)
Social Studies (2)	Economics and Government 12; or Advanced Placement US Government (meets 2 credit social requirement)
Senior Seminar (1)	Intended to better prepare students for their postsecondary experiences

### General Core Requirements:

Physical Ed (2)	Foundations of Fitness (suggested in grade 9 or 10); and One additional Physical Education class of choice
Health (1)	Health (suggested in grade 9 or 10)
Speech (1)	Speech (suggested in grade 10, 11, or 12)
Mathematics (1)	See Mathematics section for required sequence
Science (2)	Chemistry A and B or Physics A and B
Social Studies (1)	Human Geography (open to grades 10-12)
Fine Arts (2)	Choose 2 classes in the area of art or music. Or, see below

**These classes may also be used to meet the Fine Arts requirement:** Drama, Creative Writing, Video Production, Interior Design, Metals Technology (2 credits), Cabinetry and Furniture Making (2 credits)



# Be sure you have what you need for your future!

**4-year schools use these preparation requirements as a general guide for admission**

- English: 4 years (8 credits)
- Science: 2 years + 1 year of lab experience
- Social Studies: 2-4 years (4-8 credits )
- Mathematics: 3 years (U of M system requires 4 years, for example)**
- Foreign Language: 2-4 years must be in a single language**

**\*\*\*\* Check with your college to make sure you have the requirements!**



- **Work Experience**

- 1-3 Trimesters (Business) Period 5

- **Teacher Aid and Independent Study**

- PSEO students cannot be a teacher aid

**DO NOT sign up for TA or IS.** This is done in August at schedule change time with completed form.

# Senior Privilege

- You may register for 1 per trimester
- You will pick which trimester you want your Senior Privilege to be in
- **You will not be able to pick the hour**
- You must be on track to graduate
- Parent Permission form will need to be completed and returned to the Guidance Office by Spring Break
  - This can be found on Schoology
  - If you do not return this form, we will add your alternate course request to your schedule and drop senior privilege

# **\*\*REMINDER\*\***

Students may NOT repeat a class they've already passed unless prior approval is received from school administration.

# CHOOSE YOUR CLASSES WISELY!

Future schedule changes will **ONLY** be made based on:

- Academic need
- Schedule conflict
- Missing graduation requirements

\*Dependent on space availability\*

# Post Secondary Credit Opportunities

## Postsecondary Credit Opportunities through Waconia High School

This document outlines six categories whereby students may earn college credits without leaving Waconia High School. Please see the Waconia High School Registration Handbook for course descriptions. Course offerings are dependent upon student registration.

### Advanced Placement Courses

Advanced placement courses offer students access to rigorous college-level coursework and the opportunity to explore a subject of interest in greater depth. These introductory college courses often require more time and work, but help students develop disciplined study habits that can contribute to success in college. Satisfactory AP exam scores allow students to earn college credit and bypass introductory-level courses in college to pursue more advanced studies.

Waconia High School offers these Advanced Placement courses:

- AP Studio Art 2-D Design
- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Chemistry
- AP Statistics
- AP Language and Composition
- AP Literature and Composition
- AP Literature: Ext. Reading & Analysis
- AP US History
- AP US Government and Politics
- AP World History: Modern

Visit <https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/> for more information!

### Articulated Courses

Not only do articulated courses allow students the opportunity to explore future career opportunities, they can also earn technical or community college credits. See your guidance counselor or instructor for details.

Waconia High School offers these articulated courses within the Business Department:

- Accounting 1
- Accounting 2
- Computer Applications
- Introduction to Marketing



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EVERYONE ELSE!!**

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# Registration Window

In Advisory today you will be receiving information on how to register.

Register on Infinite Campus

Please register for classes no later than  
Thursday, February 2nd

# Questions?

Ask your counselor!

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