

High School Course Registration Checklist

BEFORE you turn in your registration form, please make sure you have ALL of the following completed:

Check each box as you complete each task:

- Review and discuss course selection with parents
- Be sure that you have a total of **7** credits. **NO MORE** and **NO LESS!**
- When adding in electives make sure to list course name **AND** number
- 2 alternatives are listed with a course name **AND** course number
- A program choice has been selected (at least one)
- Parent **AND** student signatures are completed

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**ALL REGISTRATION FORMS ARE DUE TO ELA
TEACHERS
ON JANUARY 19, 2018!**

Things To Consider When Registering For 9th Grade Courses:

1. Review **graduation requirements** on page 2 in the course catalog. You can view the course catalog at:

<https://www.hcpss.org/f/academics/hs-catalog-2018-19.pdf>

*We have a limited number of hard copies available in student services if you do not have access to Internet.

2. Every student will have at least 5 credits on their registration form: Math, Science, English, Social Studies and PE/Health. Some students have additional recommended courses. If you have room, please choose elective classes to total your credits to 7. Most students take their Fine Art or Tech Ed. Credit (page 6 and 7 in catalog) in 9th grade, if their schedule allows, in order to fulfill that requirement. *Please reference the handout titled *Grade 9 Course Options 2018-19* for a list of courses available to 9th graders.

3. **Course Placement Review Form**: Recommendations are made based on your child's progress and success here at the middle school level. Teachers are aware of the course levels and demands at the high school level and have every intention of setting your child up for success! If you would like to request a change in course level (i.e. Honors to GT), you must fill out a *Course Placement Review Form* (waiver). This form is available on the backside of your child's registration form and only needs to be completed if you would like to request a change, **otherwise, you should leave it blank.**

4. Most **Career Academies** begin in 11th grade. However, Project Lead the Way (Pre-Engineering Academy) begins in 9th grade.

*More information can be found in the course catalog on page 45.

*The PLTW class fulfills the tech. ed. graduation requirement.

5. If you plan to take **Band/Chorus/Orchestra** you must choose it as an elective by writing in the course number of your chosen class. Once you audition, you will be placed in the appropriate class by the high school.