

SRMHS

2016-2017 Course Selections

You are about to embark on the journey of choosing the classes you will take next school year.

All Registration materials will be available on the school's website at www.wcpss.net/SoutheastRaleighHS

*THIS POWERPOINT WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE



Registration Timeline

January 19-22

Receive registration information and instructions in LA

February 2-26

Counselors meet with students through English classes to assist with course selections

March 24

Students will receive a course verification letter to review and make changes to selections

Course Selection Guidelines

- Students should utilize the course selection worksheet to plan their selections.
- All selections will be made in the student's PowerSchool/Homebase account during class sessions with the counselors.
- Students must choose **8 primary** classes and **4 alternate** classes

Primary = FIRST CHOICE "I want this class!"

Alternate = "I'll take this course if my first choice isn't available."

Class Selection Guidelines

- Make sure you will be satisfied with any combination of classes.
- If you receive one of your alternate classes, you will be expected to stay in the class
- Changing classes once you receive your schedule will not be allowed.



Things to Think About...

- Make informed choices!
- What are your abilities, interests, educational goals?
- Use your transcript and HOMEBASE account to determine which credits you have earned
- Review graduation requirements which are posted on the school's website

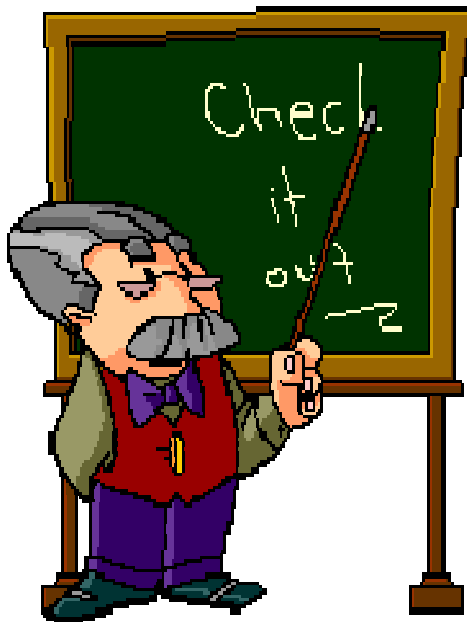


Things to Think About...



- Consider your overall course load when selecting your classes
- Challenge yourself and consider Honors and AP courses. BUT...don't choose too many advanced courses if you aren't prepared to work hard or have too many obligations
- AP classes require a contract. The contract must be signed and you will be expected to stay in the class
- Most AP classes require summer assignments. Be prepared to have assignments completed by the first day of class.

Teacher Recommendations



- Pay attention to your teachers' recommendations for your next level of classes. Recommendations are valuable!
- If you and your parents choose to take a class for which you were not recommended, you must complete the WAIVER FORM (found online).
- If you waive into a class, you will be expected to stay in the class – so consider very carefully before choosing to do this.

Don't Forget to...

Review your class selections with your parent(s) or guardian(s) to ensure you are selecting classes to meet graduation requirements and plans for life after high school



Application Required

- Academies
 - Engineering
 - ITCS
 - Biomedical
- New Tech program
- CTE Internship- Ms. Frazier
- Yearbook- Ms. Woodard
- PEPI- Ms. Logan
- Teacher Cadet – Ms. Audette

Applications are available online



Auditions/Portfolio Required



Advanced classes in the following areas require an audition or portfolio:

- Band
- Chorus
- Dance
- Theater
- Art

Audition information is posted online

Application or Audition



If you select a course that requires an application or audition, you will NOT be scheduled for that class UNTIL you complete the application or audition.

Your Counselor



The counselors will be helping you through the process of selecting your courses in your English classes. They are available for questions and to guide your decisions. Your teachers will tell you when your class session is scheduled.

Be thoughtful and considerate in the choices you make!

Thanks for your attention!

