HIGH SCHOOL on the HORIZON



Welcome Parents of the Class of 2022

Rossy C. Garcia 8th Grade Counselor February 27, 2018

Today's Goals

- To learn about the current high school graduation requirements.
- To understand the courses needed to meet these requirements.
- To explain the high school registration process.

Special Programs

 High School transition meetings will be held in April or May for any student with an IEP.

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Transitioning to High School

- Brand new beginning with endless possibilities and some challenges.
- The transition from middle school to high school can be difficult for some students.
 - High schools are larger, less personal, and students may feel disconnected/lost.
- Common challenges:
 - **Academic**: more rigorous work load; students may experience a drop in grades.
 - Social/Emotional: students may need to recreate their social world – new environment & friends.
 - **Independence**: more freedom but also more responsibilities.

Transitioning to High School

- Important for students to establish connections early – teachers, counselor, extra-curricular activities – Get involved!
- Everything counts!
 - Grades
 - Attendance
 - Behavior/Discipline
- •All grades count toward grade point average (GPA).
- Must pass all classes to meet the graduation requirements – Electives count!

Grading Scale

$$A = 90-100$$

$$B = 80 - 89$$

$$C = 70 - 79$$

$$D = 60 - 69$$

$$F = less than 60$$

*10-Point Grading Scale was introduced in Fall 2015.

REPORT CARD						
GRADING PE	RIOD	1	2	3	4	
READING		A				
WRITTEN COMMUN	ICATION	A				
MATHEMATICS		C				
SCIENCE/HEALTH		B				
SOCIAL STUDIES		B				
ART		A				
MUSIC		A				
PHYSICAL EDUCATI	ON	C				
Gi	rade Average	B				
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A = Excellent • B = Good • C = Satisfactory • N = Needs Improvement U = Unsatisfactory • I = Insufficient / Incomplete						
Student:		Gra	ide:	Year:		

Grade Point Average (GPA) is based on Quality Points

Percent Range	Letter Grade	Standard Course	Honors Course	AP/IB Course
90-100	Α	4	4.5	5
80-89	В	3	3.5	4
70-79	С	2	2.5	3
60-69	D	1	1.5	2
< 60	F	0	0	0

^{*}New Quality Point Distribution Scale was introduced in the 2015-2016 school year.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 26 High School credits are needed to graduate.
 - Magnet and Early Colleges may have different/additional requirements.
- High School students are promoted according to the number of credits earned.
 - •To be promoted to 10th grade, students need 6 credits (English 1, two credits in the areas of math, social studies or science and three additional credits.)
- If a student fails a core graduation requirement course then that course must be repeated!
 - Students do not repeat grades as in elementary or middle school.

Future-Ready Core Course of Study

Graduation Requirements

- 4 English credits
- 4 Math credits
- **4** Social Studies credits
- **3** Science credits
- 1 Healthful Living credit
- 10 Elective credits



ENGLISH - 4 Credits

Courses Available to 9th Graders

- English I
- English I Honors
- Civilizations & Cultures: English I
- Civilizations & Cultures: English I Honors

MATH - 4 Credits

Courses Available to 9th Graders

- Math I
 - Fundamental Math/Intro Math
 - Intro Math/Math I
- Math II
 - Foundations Math II/Math II
- Math II Honors
- Math III or Math III Honors
- Honors Pre-Calculus



Please Note

- Math I in Middle School
 - •Counts toward the four required math credits.
 - Grade does **not** count toward GPA.
- It is recommended that a math course be taken in the senior year.

SOCIAL STUDIES - 4 Credits

Courses Available to 9th Graders

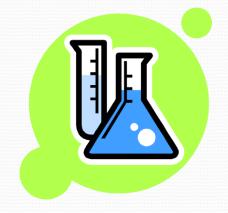
- Civilizations & Cultures: Civics & Econ
- Civilizations & Cultures: Civics & Econ Honors
 - World History
 - World History Honors



^{*}Most schools start with World History

SCIENCE - 3 Credits Courses Available to 9th Graders

- Earth Science
- Earth Science Honors
 - Math II recommendation required
- Biology Honors
 - Math II Honors recommendation required.



^{*}Science recommendations are made based on high school course offerings and math recommendations.

HEALTHFUL LIVING - 1 Credit

 Students are encouraged to complete this course in the 9th grade.



ELECTIVES - 10 Credits

- 2 elective credits of any combination from:
 - Arts
 - Career & Technical Education (CTE)
 - World Languages
 - •4 elective credits are *strongly recommended* from one concentration area:
 - Arts
 - CTE
 - JROTC, Arts
 - Any core subject (Math, Science, English, Social Studies).
- 4 elective credits from any area

CAREER CLUSTERS

- Agriculture & Natural Resources
- Architecture & Construction
- Arts, Technology & Communications
- Business Management & Administration
- Education & Training
- Finance
- Government & Public Admin.
- Health Science

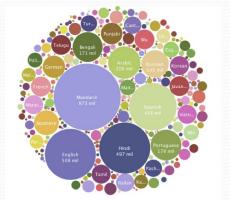
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Human Services
- Information Technology
- Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
- Manufacturing
- Marketing
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics
- Transportation,
 Distribution & Logistics

WORLD LANGUAGES

- Not required for high school graduation.
- 2 credits of the same world language are required for admission to:
 - UNC system schools
 - Most out of state and private schools
- Students are encouraged to wait until the 10th grade to start a world language unless...
 - Continuing from middle school and
 - Have a strong command in ELA and/or Math

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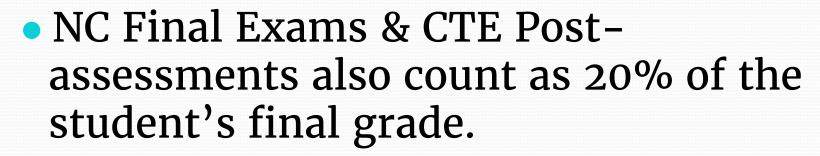
- Levels I and II of the same world language are scheduled within the same year in high school (4x4 block schedules).
- A World Language course is recommended senior year.
- Offerings vary from school to school.



End of Course Tests & NC Final Exams

- EOC tests are required for:
 - Biology
 - English II
 - Math 1
 - Math 3







CPR: GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- CPR is a graduation requirement
 - •Taught during the 8th grade.
 - •Successful completion of the requirement is collected and sent to the high schools.
- Students who did not pass this requirement will be required to retake this segment in high school.

American Heart Association www.bethebeat.org



About Summer School

- WCPSS School Board must approve.
 - Notification in April or May.
- Assigned high school must approve enrollment form.
- Approximately 6 weeks, daily (8-3pm), strict attendance requirements.

Summer

- Cost is \$400-\$500
- Grade counts toward GPA
- Classes available to rising 9th graders:
 - Chemistry, Healthful Living, Math 2 (H), other higher level math courses

How does my student register for high school?



The Registration Process

- Counselors meet with high schools.
- 8th grade teachers make recommendations for core courses.
- Parent information session.
- 8th grade counselor meets with all social studies classes:
 - Students receive recommendations & registration folders for assigned high school
- Students review information with parents.
- Students register at home.
- Students register in school.

The Registration Process

- Counselors will work with students to complete registration worksheets in the classroom.
- We encourage students to register using teacher recommendations, however parents may choose a higher or lower level of course.
- Waivers are required at Apex Friendship, Enloe, and Southeast Raleigh when selecting a course other than the course recommended by the teacher if you are waiving up a level.

The Registration Process

- Students will use the worksheet for their assigned school to complete the online registration process.
- Students requesting a transfer need to register online for the assigned school and complete a handwritten registration worksheet by deadline.
- Online registration is not available for the Early College high schools. Students will be contacted by their respective school.

Parents & Students will

- Review teachers' recommendations.
- Choose electives using 9th grade registration worksheet of assigned high school.
- Students will select:
 - 4 Core classes
 - •4 First choice electives (includes healthful living)
 - •3 or 4 Second choice electives (different from 1st choice electives)
 - Students register online using NCEd Cloud account.
 - Parents can override teachers' recommendations.

Sample Course Selection

- 1. English I
- 2.Math I
- 3. Earth Science
- 4. World History
- 5. Healthful Living
- 6.Elective
- 7. Elective

8. Elective

- 9.Alternate Elective
- **10.** Alternate Elective
- **11.** Alternate Elective
- 12. Alternate Elective

1st Choice Electives

2nd Choice Electives

Sample Registration Sheet

Enloe Sample

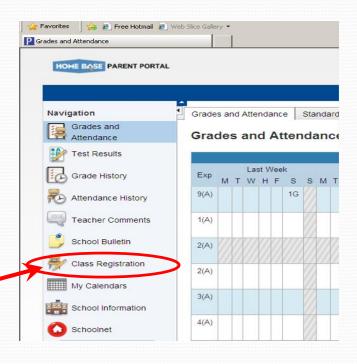
What will we see in PowerSchool?



PowerSchool/Home Base

Login to your NCEdCloud Account









Grades and Attendance Grade History



Attendance History



Teacher Comments



School Bulletin



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Test Scores



Schoolnet

Welcome to the Enloe High Class Registration System for 2018-2019 :

Welcome to Registration for the 2018-2019 school year. Please be sure to use the 4-year plan created with your counselor as a guide to selecting your courses. You will be requesting classes for your entire 9th grade school year at this time. You must select 8 courses and 4 alternates. It is VERY important to choose your course selections carefully as schedule changes will not be made to any courses selected during the spring registration process. If you intend to waive a teacher recommendation, you will need to complete a Teacher Waiver Form, found on the Enloe website, and return it to your 8th grade counselor. After finalizing your course selections, you should print the confirmation page and keep it for your records.

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Account Preferences

CRS num	Course	Туре	Cr Hrs	Prerequisite Notes
1. ENG1100	English I	Primary	1.00	
2. MAT1100	Math I	Primary	1.00	
3. SCI1100	Earth Science	Primary	1.00	
4. SS1100	World History	Primary	1.00	
5. Health9000	Healthful Liv I	Primary	1.00	
6. CTE1000	Microsoft Word	Primary	1.00	
7. Arts1000	Band	Primary	1.00	
8. Arts1100	Band	Primary	1.00	
Total Credit Hours Requested		8.00		

Timeline Information

- Classroom presentations March 5 & 6
- Home registration March 5 16
- School registration March 19 & 20
- Registration deadline March 23

No need to worry about who registers first.

Registration: What's Due and When

- Staple together the following:
 - Completed and Signed Registration worksheet for assigned school and/or any transfer school.
 - Completed and Signed Course Verification Form (Homebase/Powerschools) if completed online at home.
 - Completed and Signed Graduation Plan
 - <u>Waivers</u> (if applicable) Apex Friendship, Enloe and Southeast Raleigh only.
 - <u>Due Date</u> All registrations must be completed by **March 20**. This allows 3 days to ensure all is in order before the county deadline of **March 23**.

Q and A's





More high school info.....
You'll be tested after the presentation!

BLOCK SCHEDULE 4x4

First Semester

- 1. 90 Minute Class
- 2. 90 Minute Class
- 3. 90 Minute Class
- 4. 90 Minute Class

Second Semester

- 1. 90 Minute Class
- 2. 90 Minute Class
- 3. 90 Minute Class
- 4. 90 Minute Class

Classes meet daily
2 semesters each year
4 courses each semester
8 courses per year

BLOCK SCHEDULE

4x4 Example

First Semester

- 1. Math I
- 2. World History
- 3. Healthful Living
- 4. Elective

Second Semester

- 1. English I
- 2. Earth Science
- 3. Elective
- 4. Elective

A/B SCHEDULE

A Day

- 1. 90 Minute Class
- 2. 90 Minute Class
- 3. 90 Minute Class
- 4. 90 Minute Class

B Day

- 1. 90 Minute Class
- 2. 90 Minute Class
- 3. 90 Minute Class
- 4. 90 Minute Class

Year long classes Classes meet every other day 8 courses per year

A/B Schedule

Example

A Day

- 1. Math I
- 2. World History
- 3. Healthful Living
- 4. Elective

B Day

- 1. English I
- 2. Earth Science
- 3. Elective
- 4. Elective

Week 1: A/B/A/B/A

Week 2: **B/A/B/A/B**

Attendance Requirements

- •Excused or unexcused absences above 10 in a block schedule (20 in a full year course) are considered excessive.
- Students could be subject to an "FF" (Failed with a grade of F) for the course.
- Parents may appeal the failure to an attendance committee comprised of teachers and administrators.
- Familiarize yourself with your school's attendance policy!

Things to Keep in Mind



Learner's Permit

- 14 ½ years old
- 30 hours driver's ed classroom
- 6 hours actual driving
- DMV and DPI require that students under the age of 18 pass 3 of 4 classes each semester to earn and to keep their license!

Social Media

- Be aware of the social media sites your child is using!
- Remind your child that what they post matters.
- Colleges and employers may use internet searches to gain information.



College Planning

- College Admission Offices pay careful attention to the following:
 - Grade Point Average (GPA)
 - Difficulty of course load
 - SAT/ACT scores
 - Attendance/ Behavior
 - Class Rank
 - HS and community activities/involvement
 - Essay
 - Recommendations
 - Social media footprint

Q and A's



2018 High School Registration Timeline

Parent Information Sessions

February 27, 2018 7:45 – 9:00 a.m. Or 5:45 – 7:00 p.m. In Auditorium

Ms. Garcia will present an overview of the High School registration process.

Online Registration

Students will register for high school classes online using their **NCEd Cloud** account. Students can register for classes for their assigned high school only. Students may register at home or school. **IF** students register at home, they must print and sign the course verification form, complete the 4-year graduation plan, and bring them to school. Students who do not register at home will visit the media center during a Social Studies class to enter their 9th grade course selection.

March 5 – March 16: Register online at home.

March 19 & March 20: Register online at school if not able to register at home.

Classroom Guidance

Students will receive folders with general high school information, teacher course recommendations, 9th grade course list for their assigned high school, registration worksheets, and 4-year graduation plan worksheets.

March 5 Presentations in Ms. Shipp's

Social Studies classes. Mr. Misuraca's classes will join in.

March 6 Presentations in Mr. Abram's

Social Studies classes.

Registration Deadline!

All rising 9th graders must register for classes no later than **March 23, 2018.**

Students will only be able to register in PowerSchool for the school to which they are currently assigned. Students requesting a transfer (Feb. 20 – March 6) should also complete a registration worksheet for the school they are requesting.

Online registration dates may change. These dates are dependent upon PowerSchool's availability.

Enloe Magnet High School

2017-2018 Course Selection Worksheet for Rising 9th-Grade Students

Enloe will operate on an A/B day, 8 period schedule for 2017-2018. Most courses will be meet every other day for the school year. There are a few select courses that will meet on both A and B days. The number of credits, periods and days are listed next to the course title. Please select an English, Math, Science and Social Studies. Fill in the remaining periods with electives. Health and Physical Education should be an elective choice.

Students will select 8 primary choices (this will include core classes and 4 first choice elective classes). Student will also choose 4 Alternate elective classes in case their primary choices are not fulfilled. It is not possible to rank alternate choices.

ENGLISH – Select 1 class

English I (10222X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
 English I Honors (10215X0), 1 period, every other day, yearlong Magnet Civil/Cultures English I Honors (C&C) (paired with Magnet Civil/Culture: Civics and Economics Honors) (10215X0Z),
1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
English I (Standard C&C paired with Civics & Economics) (10212X0S), 1 period, every other day, yearlong
SOCIAL SCIENCES – Select 1 class
Am History: Founding Prin, Civics and Economics (42092X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Am History: Founding Prin, Civics & Economics Honors (42095X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Magnet Civil/Culture: Civics and Economics Honors {C&C} (paired with Magnet Civil/Cultures English I Honors) (42095X0Y)
1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Am History: Founding Prin Civics & Economics (Standard C&C paired with English I) (42092X0S), 1 period, every other day,
yearlong
MATHEMATICS – Select at least 1 class
Fundamental Math /Introductory Math (28002X0B with 20202X0S), 2 credits, 1 period, every day, yearlong
Introductory Math (20202X0W), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Math I (21032X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Foundations of Math II/Math II (20512X0 with 22012X0W), 2 credits, 1 period, every day, yearlong
Math II (22012X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Honors Math II (22015X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Math III (23012X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Honors Math III (23015X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Advanced Functions and Modeling (24002X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Honors Pre-Calculus (2403X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
AP Calculus AB (2A007X0), 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong AP Calculus AB paired with AP Calculus BC (2A007X0W with 2A017X0W), 2 credits, 1 period, every day, yearlong
AT Calculus AD paired with AT Calculus DC (2A007A0W with 2A017A0W), 2 credits, 1 period, every day, yearlong
SCIENCE – Select 1 class
Earth Science , 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Earth Science Honors, 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong
Biology Honors, 1 credit, 1 period, every other day, yearlong

** If a student is intending to register for Health and Physical Education during summer school they do not need to
request this class during the spring registration process.

** Any student requesting a performance class (visual art, piano, acting, dance, technical theater, band, orchestra, chorus), should select the beginning level to secure a spot in their schedule. Once they audition or present a portfolio

(visual arts) for Enloe teachers in the spring, Enloe will make any necessary changes to student schedules.

** Please refer to the rising 9th grade worksheet and Course Description Guide (found on the Enloe website) to help with selections.

** Students need to be aware of pre-requisites for courses.

ELECTIVE COURSES – YEARLONG, 1.0 CREDIT (MEETS EVERY DAY)

*Upper level performance classes require teacher placement through audition

**Students must have taken at least two levels of the same language in middle school and pass the level I language proficiency test to begin a Level II language course at the high school level; or placed into level by high school teacher.

***Students must have taken at least three levels of the same language in middle school and pass the level II language proficiency test to begin a Level III Honors Second Language course at the high school level; or placed into level from high school teacher.

S/H = Standard/Honors level are both offered

CAREER/TECH ED

- Personal Finance
- Microsoft Word PowerPoint (S/H)
- Microsoft Excel & Access (S/H)
- Principles of Business & Finance
- Marketing
- Sports & Entertainment Marketing
- Fashion Merchandising
- Apparel & Textile Production I
- Parenting & Child Development
- Foods I
- Interior Design I
- Introduction to Automotive Service
- Drafting I
- Graphics I
- Biomedical Technology I
- Digital Media I
- Technology, Engineering & Design
- Scientific & Technical Visualization I

ENGLISH

- Speech I (S/H)
- African American Literature (S/H)

SCIENCE

- Astronomy (H)
- Chemistry (H)

COMPUTER SCIENCE

• Intro to Comp Science (H)

SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Conversations in Diversity (S/H)
- African American Studies (S/H)
- Religion-World Cultures (S/H)
- Lessons of Vietnam War (S/H)
- AP Human Geography

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS

- Theater Arts I
- Improvisational Theatre
- Technical Theatre I
- Band II*
- Orchestra I
- Vocal Music: Mixed Chorus
- Vocal Music: Men's Chorus
- Piano Lab
- Magnet Ballet I
- Magnet Jazz Dance I/II
- Modern Dance I
- Magnet Tap I

WORLD LANGUAGES

- Chinese I
- Chinese II**
- Chinese III (Honors)***
- French I
- French II**
- French III (Honors)***
- German I
- German II**
- German III (Honors)***
- Italian I
- Italian II **
- Japanese I
- Japanese II**
- Japanese III/Japanese IV (Honors)***
- Latin I
- Latin II**

ELECTIVE COURSES – SEMESTER, 0.5 CREDIT (MEETS EVERY OTHER DAY FOR HALF A YEAR)

- ~ Some semester electives are paired together, identified by a * symbol. If you see an * symbol, please select <u>both</u> semester electives that are listed together.
- ~ Some semester electives are not paired with a specific semester class, identified by a # symbol. If you select a # semester elective, please choose a second # semester elective.

ENGLISH

- Magnet Debate/Magnet Public Speaking *
- Magnet Creative Writing I/Magnet Creative Writing II *
- Magnet Film Analysis I/Magnet Film Analysis II *
- Magnet Science Fiction I/Magnet Science Fiction II *
- Magnet Gods and Goddesses/Magnet Knights & Castles *

SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Magnet American Military History #
- Magnet Bible in History #
- Magnet History through Film I (S/H)/Magnet History through Film II (S/H) *

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS

- Magnet Introduction to Studio Art only offered fall semester. Choose a second art elective for the spring semester:
 - Magnet Painting
 - o Magnet Printmaking
 - Magnet 3D Design II
 - Magnet TV Prod I/Magnet Adv. TV Prod I *