

Portage Central High School

9th Grade Course Selection List

Class of 2024

9th Grade Schedule

English 9	1.0
Math	1.0
Chemistry 1 and Physics 1 (0.5 credit each)	1.0
Modern American History	1.0
World Language (If you have not finished the requirements or if you want this class)	1.0
Elective(s)	1.0
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Register for (7.0) credits and two (2) alternatives.

Required 9th Grade Core Classes

English (1.0 Credit)		
D011	English 9	1.0
D021	Honors English 9	1.0
Math (1.0 Credit)		
H005	Algebra 1A/1B (TR)	1.0
H110	Algebra 1	1.0
H120	Honors Geometry	1.0
H121	Geometry (if Algebra 1 credit has been earned)	1.0
Science (1.0 Credit)		
R211*	Chemistry 1	0.5
R221*	Physics 1	0.5
R261*	Honors Chemistry 1	0.5
R271*	Honors Physics 1	0.5
Social Studies (1.0 Credit)		
S101	Modern American History	1.0
S111	Honors Modern American History	1.0

Electives

Art		
A101	Design I	1.0
A723*	Technology/Engineering/Create	0.5
A724*	Technology/Engineering/Create (2)	0.5

Business

B081*	Business Law	0.5
B291*	Intro to Business	0.5
B721*	Computer Applications	0.5
B411	Marketing	1.0
B041	Accounting and Finance 1	1.0
B311	Entrepreneurship	1.0

* Denotes a one semester course.

English/Language Arts

D471*	Forensics I	0.5
D511*	Drama I	0.5
D431*	TV Internship	0.5
D432*	TV Internship 2	0.5

Family & Consumer Science

F401*	Parenting/Child Development	0.5
F711	Freshman Focus/Health	1.0
F751*	Foods/Nutrition	0.5
F771*	Health	0.5
F851*	Interior Design	0.5

Music

L491	Winds and Percussion	1.0
L651	Concert Choir	1.0
L751	Orchestra	1.0

Physical Education (CMS/WMS See PE Handout for codes.)

P011*	Fitness for Life	0.5
P021*	Team Sports	0.5
P051*	Aquatics	0.5
P061*	Weight Lifting	0.5
P080*	Power Training Females	0.5
P085*	Advanced Basketball	0.5
P141*	Advanced Football	0.5

Social Studies

S401*	Psychology	0.5
S411*	Sociology	0.5

World Language

G011C	French I	1.0
G031	French II	1.0
G211	Latin I (PN)	1.0
G311	Spanish I	1.0
G331	Spanish II	1.0

Other

Z010*	Seminar 1 (First semester)	0.5
	<i>First semester is September to January</i>	
Z020*	Seminar 2 (Second semester)	0.5
	<i>Second semester is February to June</i>	

KAMSC: Put this down as an alternative. When you are accepted, have your parents send an email to your counselor to add KAMSC to your schedule.

TR - Teacher Recommendation only.

Core Graduation Requirements by Grade

9th Grade

English 9	1.0 credit
Math	1.0 credit
Chemistry 1	0.5 credit
Physics 1	0.5 credit
Modern American History	1.0 credit

10th Grade

English 10	1.0 credit
Math	1.0 credit
Biology	1.0 credit
Government	0.5 credit
Economics	0.5 credit

11th Grade

English 11	1.0 credit
Math	1.0 credit
1.0 Credit of any of these options: Earth Science IB Environmental Systems IB Biology IB Chemistry IB Physics	1.0 credit
World History (<i>Pick one option below</i>)	1.0 credit
Option 1: Contemporary International Studies AND Ancient World History European World History Comparative World Religions	0.5 credit each
Option 2: IB 20th Century World History	1.0 credit

12th Grade

English 12	1.0 credit
Math (<i>See Math Related handout</i>)	1.0 credit

Other Graduation Requirements

Health (<i>Freshman Focus/Health for 1.0 credit would meet this requirement.</i>)	0.5 credit
Physical Education (<i>PE credits are awarded by 0.5 credit class or 0.5 credit waiver.</i>) Here are the options for PE: High School PE class - 0.5 credit Completed PPS Athletic Team - 0.5 credit waiver Completed Marching Band season - 0.5 credit waiver Pre-approved Athletic Activity - 60 hours = 0.5 credit waiver	1.5 credits
Fine or Applied Arts (<i>See Fine or Applied Arts handout.</i>)	1.0 credit
World Language (<i>Two consecutive years from Kindergarten through 12th grade would count as a 2.0 credit waiver for World Language.</i>) <i>* Please note that colleges would like to see students complete a minimum of a level 2 high school World Language course.</i>	2.0 credits

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