

Attention current 10th & 11th Graders (Class of 2021 & 2022)!

It's time to begin verifying your next year course request and reviewing your graduation plan for your remaining school years. You will receive your course request packet in your current grade level English class.

YOU MUST READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS VERY CAREFULLY.

In addition to the instructions provided, here are some items that you may want to double check on your graduation plan.

Look at your 4 year plan to ensure that you have a plan to complete or have already completed the following graduation requirements:

- (A) 2 credits of the same Foreign Language
- (B) 1 PE credit (Athletics counts as a PE credit, 2 years of Fall Band also count as a PE Credit)
- (C) 1 Fine Art credit (Art, Band, Choir, Theater Production, Technical Theater, Musical Theater, Floral Design)
- (D) 1 Technology Credit (Prin. of AAVT, AV Production Courses, Graphic Design Courses, BIM 1, IED, Digital Media, Computer Programming, Computer Science Courses)
- (E) .5 credit in Speech (Prof. Com.)
- (F) .5 credit in Health (Principles of Health Science does not count for this credit)
- (G) Verify you Endorsement Pathway/Program of study. You must earn at least 1 endorsement to graduate.

Look at the 2020-2021 Academic Planning Guide Online at <https://ahs.annaisd.org/academics> to read endorsement requirements and course descriptions. There will be very few schedule change options after your next year course request is finalized so it is important that you know what you are signing up to take in 2020-2021.

You may also look at the bright reddish-orange CTE Career Pathway/Programs of Study sequence sheet. This sheet will be given to you with your 4 year plan.

If you have not been in Athletics, Band or Yearbook, you must have the approval of the Coach of the specific sport/ Band Director/Yearbook Advisor to add those choices to your course request. AP ART students must be approved by Ms. Hite.

Course requests are used to build a master schedule for the following year that will maximize the possibility of students being able to take the courses they have selected. Please understand that there will always be times that there are scheduling conflicts, but our goal is to minimize them as much as is possible.

Your schedule may be adjusted if you fail or lose credit in courses that you are taking this year or if you have not passed an STAAR EOC Test.

Very Important!! If you see that you are scheduled for Dual Credit or any of the following CTE courses, you must complete the paperwork and applications required: **Qualifications forms were sent out by Mr. Mackey in Schoology.**

- Child Guidance
- Dual Credit Practicum in Health Science I - Certified Nurses Aide (CNA)
- Dual Credit Emergency Medical Technician (Health Science Track)
- Dual Credit Emergency Medical Technician (Law and Public Service Track)
- Instructional Practices
- Practicum in AFNR (Floral)
- Practicum in AFNR (Vet Med II)
- Practicum in Audio/Video Production
- Practicum in Business Management (Makerspace/Library/Office)
- Practicum in Graphic Design and Illustration
- Practicum in Health Science II - CCMA
- Practicum in Law Enforcement

If you do not complete the required paperwork and/or Dual Credit registration by the deadlines you will be removed from those requested courses and added to available electives or the on-level equivalent.

YOUR ABILITY TO GRADUATE DEPENDS UPON COMPLETION OF ALL REQUIRED CREDITS. IF THERE IS SOMETHING YOU NEED TO REPEAT OR THAT YOU DO NOT HAVE CREDIT FOR, DO NOT ASSUME THAT SOMEONE ELSE WILL FIX IT FOR YOU. IT IS ULTIMATELY YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT YOU ARE READY TO GRADUATE BY THE END OF YOUR SENIOR YEAR.

Please be sure to include a working phone number for you and a parent so that if we run into a scheduling conflict, we can reach you over the summer!