

Eighth Grade Parent Night



February 20, 2024



FOX CHAPEL AREA HIGH SCHOOL BELL SCHEDULES

	REGULAR	CAREER QRT	SUPER QRT	TWO-HOUR DELAY	HALF DAY 11:00 DISMISSAL	HALF DAY 1:00 DISMISSAL
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PERIOD 4	1:00 – 2:25	1:07 – 2:25	1:14 – 2:25	1:35 – 2:25	10:13 – 10:58	10:00 – 11:00



- Keystone Exams are graduation requirements at the high school
- Keystone Exams are “end of course” assessments
- Students must show proficiency on each of the following three exams prior to graduation:
 - Algebra I
 - Biology
 - Literature (10th grade)

Support Services Available at Fox Chapel Area High School

Student Assistance Program (SAP) Team-offers support to students with academic, social-emotional, at-risk, behavioral, or drug and alcohol issues

Instructional Support Team - offers academic support to students in regular education

Individual Education Plan - offers support to students in learning support

Gifted Individual Education Plan - offers support to students in QUEST

Social Worker – Mr. David Frazier (412-967-2447)

Multiple Academic Supports – including runway courses, Math Help Center, Manuscript

Natural Academic Progression

Fox Chapel Area High School Pride:

- Academic Rigor
- Student Accountability
- Student Responsibility
- Self Advocacy
- Post Secondary Preparation

Meet the Counselors

- A - C Mr. Tim McLister
- D - G Mr. John Baxter
- H - K Mrs. Dana Papalia
- L - O Mrs. Rachel Machen
- P - S Mr. Ben O'Connor
- T - Z Ms. Tara DeComo

Graduation Requirements



4.00 credits in English

4.00 credits in Social Studies

3.00 credits in Science

3.00 credits in Mathematics

1.50 credits in Physical Education

1.00 credit in Health

.50 credit in Career and College Essentials

9.00 credits in additional electives

1.00 credit for passing Keystone Exams

27.00 Total credits

Additional Requirements for Graduation -

Graduation project and 12 hour service learning

Course Planning Worksheet

Grade 9

English 9	1.00 credit
US History	1.00 credit
Math	1.00 credit
Science	1.00 credit
Health/P.E.	1.00 credit
2.5-3 Elective credits	

Grade 11

English 11	1.00 credit
U.S. History III	1.00 credit
Math (11/12)	1.00 credit
Science (11/12)	1.00 credit
P.E. Elective (11/12)	.50 credit
Career/College Ess.	.50 credit
3-3.5 Elective credits	

Grade 10

English 10	1.00 credit
World Civ III	1.00 credit
Math	1.00 credit
Science	1.00 credit
Health/P.E.	1.00 credit
2.5-3 Elective credits	

Grade 12

English 12	1.00 credit
Social Studies	1.00 credit
Graduation Project	0.00 credit
Proficiency Testing	1.00 credit
Up to 6 Elective credits	

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TRANSCRIPT OF:

February 7, 2012

GRADUATED: 1

STUDENT#:

BIRTHDATE:

GRADE: 12

PHONE: (412)

PARENT/GUARDIAN:

Current: A=93% A-=90% B+=87% B=83% B-=80% C+=77% C=73% C-=70% D=65% F=64%

Prior to 2010-2011

A=93% B=85% C=75% D=70%

CEEB# 393620

GRADE 09 --

COURSE NAME	TM	PCT	GRD	CRED
GEOMETRY 8TH	YR	A	0.000	
SPANISH I 7TH	YR	A	0.000	
SPANISH II 8TH	YR	A	0.000	
ENGLISH 9 ACC	34	A	1.000	
US HIST II ACC	12	A	1.000	
ALGEBRA II 10	12	A	1.000	
PRECALCULUS	34	A	1.000	
GHOMORPHOLOGY	12	A	0.500	
BIOLOGY I MOLEC	YR	A	1.000	
SPANISH III	34	A	1.000	
INTED HEALTH/PE 9	12	A	1.000	
ALG I 7TH	YR	A	0.000	

ABS	TDY	EARN	NW QPA	W QPA
4.50	12	7.50	4.00	4.20
NW CUM QPA:		4.00	W CUM QPA:	
			4.20	

GRADE 11 --

COURSE NAME	TM	PCT	GRD	CRED
ENGLISH 11 AP	34	A	1.000	
US HISTORY AP	12	A	1.000	
CALCULUS BC AP	34	B	1.000	
CHEMISTRY II AP	YR	A	1.000	
SPANISH V AP	12	A	1.000	
BUSINESS ESSENTIAL	34	A	0.500	
COMPUTER ART I	12	A	1.000	
PIANO CLASS	34	A	0.500	
TEAM SPORTS	34	A	0.500	
SERVICE LEARNING	YR	P	0.000	

ABS	TDY	EARN	NW QPA	W QPA
11.00	16	7.50	3.87	4.53
NW CUM QPA:		3.91	W CUM QPA:	
			4.34	

TOTAL CREDITS EARNED: 31.000

TEST	DATE	GRADE	AREA	SCORE	AREA	SCORE	AREA	SCORE	AREA	SCORE	AREA	SCORE
ACT		11	ENGLISH	23	MATH	30	READING	29	SCIENCE	25	COMPOSITE	26
SAT I		11	MATH	710	WRITING	670	CRITICAL RE	600				
		12	WRITING	700	MATH	710	CRITICAL RE	690				

MR MICHAEL HOWER, Principal

Signature

Corractor

Date

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School has operated on block scheduling system since 1993-96, and school does not risk students.

Transcript

**FOX CHAPEL HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE COURSE SELECTION
2021/2022**

NAME: _____ QRT: _____

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1. **ENGLISH** – Please select one of the following English courses. (You must meet the prerequisites.)

☐ 1063 English 9

☐ 1083 English 9 Accelerated

Teacher Rec. _____

2. **SOCIAL STUDIES** – Please select one of the following social studies courses. (You must meet the prerequisites.)

☐ 2063 US History II

☐ 2083 US History II Accelerated

Teacher Rec. _____

3. **MATH** – Please choose a math course. You must meet the prerequisites in order to be enrolled. If you were recommended for a Calculus course, you must choose all 3 courses.

☐ 3045 Elements of Math I & ☐ 3044 Int. Algebra I

Teacher Rec. _____

☐ 3023 Math Lab & ☐ 3063 Algebra I

Teacher Rec. _____

☐ Other Math _____

Teacher Rec. _____

4. **SCIENCE** – Please choose your science course. You must have a teacher recommendation for Biology and Biology I Accelerated. Please be sure to choose the 3 Biology I Accelerated courses listed.

☐ 4093 Int. Science Systems

☐ 4153 Nature Science System & ☐ 4143 Biology

Teacher Rec. _____

☐ 4173/4174/4175 Biology Accelerated

Teacher Rec. _____

5. **REQUIRED COURSES** – All students entering 9th grade must take a Health and Physical Education course.

☐ 8121 Health – A

☐ 8123 Physical Education

ELECTIVES – Please select your elective courses. (Foreign Languages require teacher recommendation)

1. Course #	_____	Course Name	_____
2. Course #	_____	Course Name	_____
3. Course #	_____	Course Name	_____

ALTERNATIVE ELECTIVES – Please pick 2 alternative electives. These will be used if the electives you picked do not fit in your schedule.

1. Course #	_____	Course Name	_____
2. Course #	_____	Course Name	_____

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Grade 9 English

[Click the edit button to request a course ⇒](#)

Please select one of the following English Courses.
You must meet the prerequisites.

Grade 9 Social Studies

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HEALTH ED - BODY

8121 - 0.5 credits

PHYS ED 9/10

8123 - 0.5 credits

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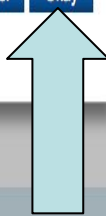
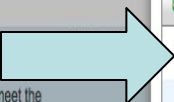
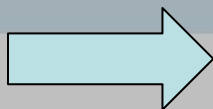
Please pick a social studies course. You must meet the prerequisites.

	Course Name	Number	Credit	Prerequisite Note	Alerts
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	US HISTORY II	2063	1		
<input type="checkbox"/>	US HISTORY II ACC	2083	1	A min. final grade of 90% in 8th grade social studies and a teacher recommendation	! Prerequisites have not been met

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You may select 1 course. You have selected 0 courses.

Cancel Okay



English and U.S. History II Options

Course	Prerequisite	Other
English 9	Completion Of Language Arts 8	
English 9 Accelerated	90% in Language Arts 8	Teacher Recommendation
U.S. History II	Completion Of Social Studies 8	
U.S. History II Accelerated	90% in Social Studies 8	Teacher Recommendation

Mathematics Options

Course	Prerequisite	Other
Integrated Algebra I	Completion of Math 8	
Algebra I	83% or higher in Math 8	Teacher Recommendation
Geometry Accelerated	83% in Algebra I Accelerated	
Algebra II Accelerated	83% in Algebra I Acc & Geometry Acc	
Computer Science AP Elective	83% in Algebra II or Algebra II Acc	
Principles of Computer Science AP Elective	83% in Algebra	

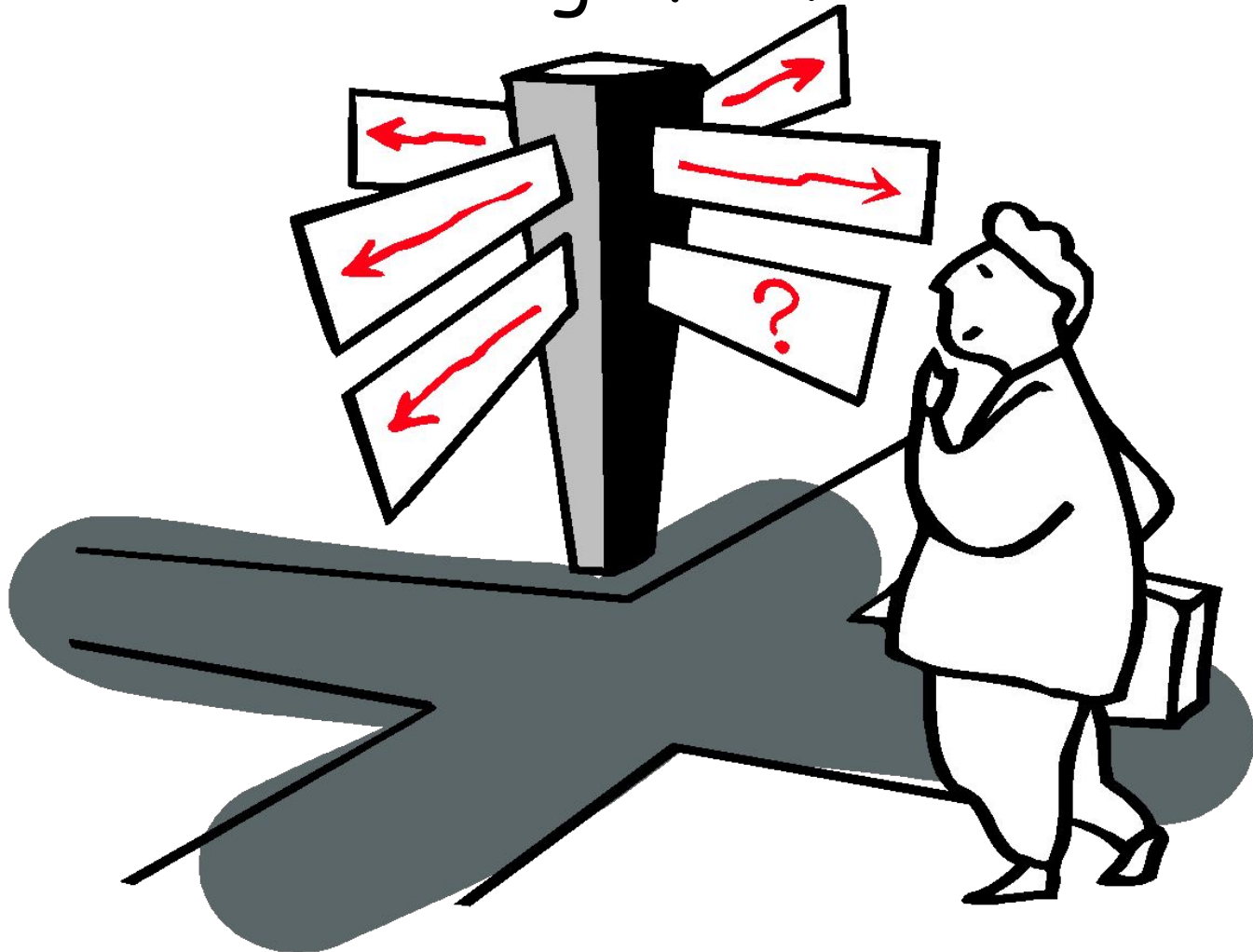
Science Options

Course	Sci Prerequisite	Math Prerequisite	Other
Accelerated Biology I	Sci 8 - 93%	Alg I – 80% Math 8 – 93%	CDT Score
Biology/ Nature of Science	Sci 8 - 87% 75% -Nature of Science in Fall	Completion Of Math 8	CDT Score
Integrated Science Systems	Completion of Sci 8	Completion of Math 8	Completion of CDT

Choosing Electives

2 day - 3 day - 5 day

Where to go from here ?



World & Classical Languages

FRENCH

GERMAN

LATIN

SPANISH

Business Electives

- Introduction to Business
- FCAO Keyboarding (3 Days)
- Computer Bus App (5 or 3 Days)

English Electives

- Theater Arts (5 or 3 Days)

Technology Education Electives

- Introduction to Tech Systems (5 or 3)
- Introduction to Robotics (5 or 3)
- Introduction to Materials (5 or 3)
- Introduction to Engin/CAD (5 or 3)
- Introduction to Electronics (5 or 3)
- Introduction to Graphics (5 or 3)

Art Electives

- Ceramics and Fibers (5 or 3)
- Jewelry and Glass (5 or 3)
- Drawing and Painting (5 or 3)
- Computer Art (5 or 3)
- Art History (2)

Media Electives

- Video Production (3)
- Video Journalism (2)
- On-Camera Performance(2)

Music Electives

- Symphonic Band
- Orchestra
- Piano Class (3)
- Music Technology (5 or 3)
- Men's Choir (3)
- Treble Ensemble (5, 3, or 2)
- History of Rock and Roll (2)
- World Music (3)
- Music Explorations (2)

Fox Chapel Area High School

Sample Schedules - Grade 9

Sample Schedule – Integrated Science Systems

	Period1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4
1st Semester	English 9	Intro to Tech	Integ Science	Spanish I
2nd Semester	Algebra I	Health/PE	Intro to Bus	US History II

Sample Schedule - Acc Biology I

	Period1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4
1st Semester	English 9 Acc	Intro to Tech	Acc Bio I - 5	Spanish II
2nd Semester	Geometry Acc	Health/PE	Acc Bio I -2 Comp Art -3	US History II



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QRT

- Study time/homework
- Peer tutoring
- Study sessions with teachers
- Time to conference with teachers
- Club meetings
- Sports team meetings
- Class meetings
- AP review sessions
- Physical Education makeup

FCAHS Activities / Athletics

“Get Involved”

<http://www.fcasdathletics.org/>



Active Club List:

<https://fcahs.fcasd.edu/activities/overview/clubs>

8th Grade Scheduling & Transition Dates

Date	Event
February 20	8th Grade Parent Night
March 2	Scheduling Assembly at DMS
March 16-17	Scheduling begins with HS Counselors
May 15	Signed parent letters due
May 24	Move Up Day for Students
April – June	New student registration by appointment
*August 20	9th grade Transition Night at High School
*August 20	Freshman Orientation at High School
August 22	First day of school
* Anticipated dates	

Thank you!!

