



Foothill High School

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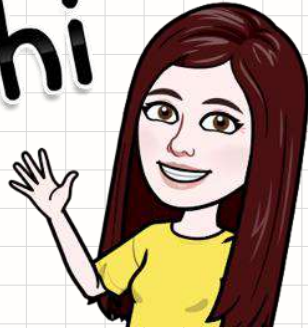
Foothill High School





Meet Your Counselor

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Freshmen Counselor

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Overview

- 2,300 students
- Academic programs: AP, IB, AVID, CTE Pathways
- 27 Athletic Teams
- Band
- Dramatic Arts
- Choir programs
- Over 65 clubs





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Credits

College (A-G) and
Graduation Requirements





Credits

- Credits you receive for each class you pass with a D or higher
- Each class is worth 5 credits
- You must have 230 credits to graduate
- If you receive a **D** or **F** in a core academic course, you will need to recover the class in summer school.



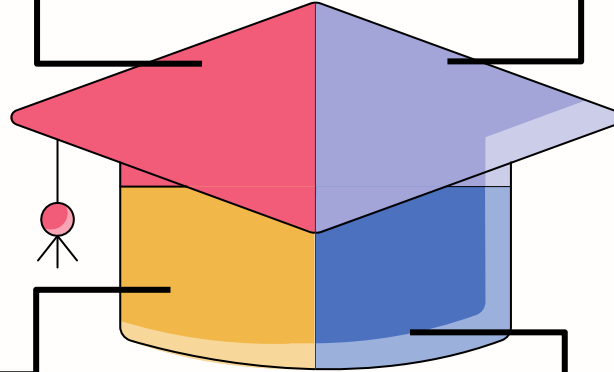
Credits

9th Grade
60 credits

11th Grade
180 credits

10th grade
120 credits

12th grade
230 credits



High School Graduation Requirements

Course	Course Length	Credits
English	4 Years	40
Math	2 Years	20
World History	1 Year	10
U.S. History	1 Year	10
American Government	1 Semester	5
Economics	1 Semester	5
Science	3 Years	30
World Languages/Visual & Performing Arts	2 Years	20
Physical Education	2 Years	20
	Required Credits	160
	Elective Credits	70
	TOTAL CREDITS FOR GRADUATION	230





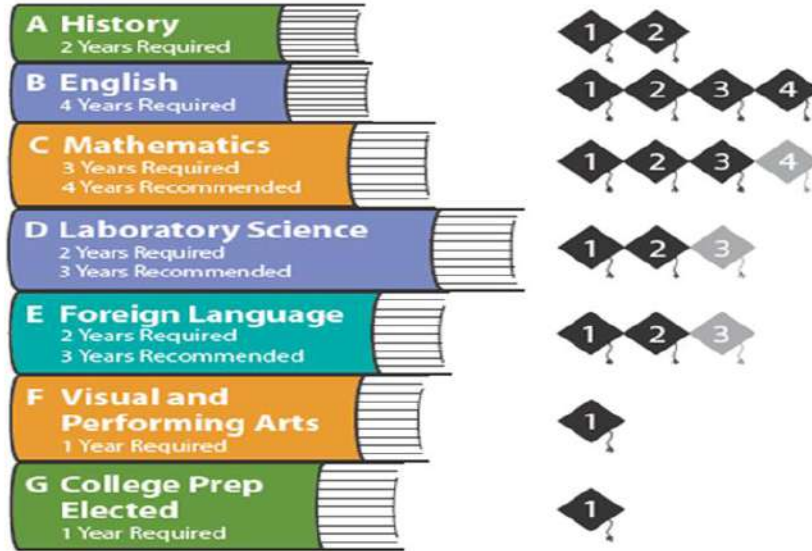
College and Career Opportunities

- Community Colleges
- 4-year Universities
- Private and Out-of-State Schools
- Certificate Programs
- Specialty Schools
- Military



What are A-G Requirements?

- Sequence of high school courses
- Required for freshmen entering the UC, CSU, and some Private Universities
- Must be pass classes with a grade of 'C' or higher



* Grade of C or better required.



Class Levels: Honors and Advanced Placement

- Classes cover advanced materials and have more in-depth study
- Grade is “weighted” when students receive an A,B, or C
Example: A ‘C’ in an AP course is equivalent to a ‘B’ in a non-AP course.
- AP= College level class, culminating in a rigorous exam
(opportunity to earn college credit)
- Strong study habits





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Electives

CTE Pathways
Special Programs





Languages

French

Flyer

Video



Latin

Flyer



Spanish

¿Ya hablas Español?



Music & Performing Arts



Choir



- Band/Orchestra



- Drama
 - Flyer

CTE Pathways



- Career Technical Education (CTE) is a program of study that involves a sequence of courses that integrate core academic knowledge with technical and occupational knowledge
- A CTE pathway refers to a sequence of courses for a specific career or industry
- Builds skills, and career development

Pathways

FEAT: Foothill Engineering and Technology



- Engineering
- Manufacturing Technology
- Computer Science
- Media Arts
- Robotics
- Visual Imagery
- Culinary Arts

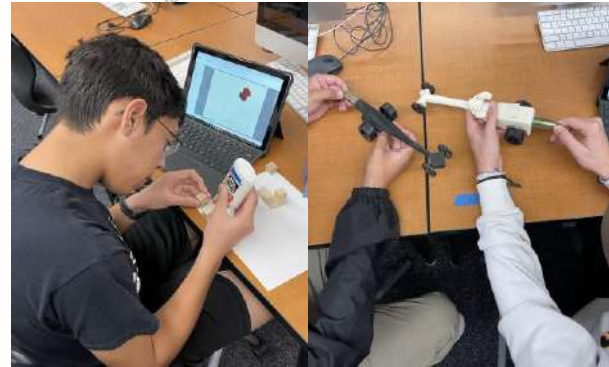
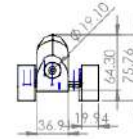
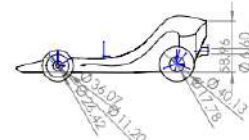
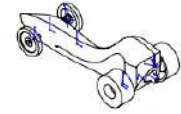
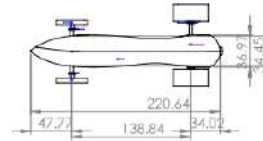
Engineering/ Manufacturing Technology

1st Year: Introduction to Engineering Design

- Modeling - CAD
- 3d Printing
- Problem Solving

Pathway Video

- Robotics
Vex Robotics Competition
(2019 3rd, 2018 5th out of 25,000)



Media Arts (Film and Television)

Film Track : Dramatic Production (Intro course)

- Classes allow students to explore Producing, Directing, Cinematography, Screenwriting, and Editing



Visual Imagery

- **Photo & Design** (Intro course) - Photoshop, Photography, and Illustrator
 - Learn the camera basics along with the different illustrator programs such as typography, logo packaging and photoshop



CTE PATHWAY

Culinary I
Culinary II
Culinary III

[Culinary Slides](#)



Computer Science

- Computer Science and Software Engineering
(Introduction to Computer Science (intro course))
- Information Technology
- Coding
- Video Game Creation
- Level Up Your Skills In
Scratch, Python, & Java
- IT Career Readiness





AVID



- ★ Gain Access to **Academic Support & Tutorials**
- ★ Learn about **Careers & Colleges & Financial Aid**
- ★ Go on **College Field Trips**
- ★ Participate in FHS AVID Events
- ★ Must be **MOTIVATED** to succeed!!



- **Already in AVID?** *Talk to your AVID Teacher!*
- **New to AVID?** *Complete the AVID Application!*

LINKS TO CHECK OUT!

- [AVID Application](#)
- [Teacher Recommendations](#)
- [Enrollment Requirements](#)



International Baccalaureate



- ★ An advanced program similar to AP that focuses on **Critical Thinking & Inquiry-based** learning
- ★ Allows you to stand out when applying to highly-selective **UCs & Private Colleges & Universities**
- ★ Go on **Cultural Field Trips**
- ★ Participate in IB Luncheons and wear IB gear
- ★ Special recognition at graduation and Senior Awards
- ★ Highest acceptance rates of any program at FHS for **UCs & Private Colleges & Universities**

Only Foothill program of study eligible to qualify for The Common Application designation of "most rigorous courses offered at school"



LINKS TO CHECK OUT!

[IB 4 Year Plan](#)

[FHS IB Website](#)

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Staying Connected to FHS



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Registration

Course Selection




Course Selection Sheet

Aeries

Course request video

Foothill High School Website

Wellness Planner



9TH GRADE COURSE SELECTION 2021-22

ID _____ Last Name _____ First Name _____

Parent and student have reviewed all courses selected, including honors courses. We have also read and agree to the course expectations of the courses selected (see <http://www.tustin.k12.ca.us/foothillacademics>).

Parent Signature: _____ Student Signature: _____

CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS ABOUT ATTENDING FHS IN THE 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR.

I plan on attending FHS (8010) I am not sure if I will attend FHS, but would like to schedule classes (8012) I will not be attending FHS

SELECT ONE COURSE FROM EACH COLUMN

<p>ENGLISH</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1200 English 1 <input type="radio"/> 1202 English 1H</p>	<p>MATH</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1504 Algebra 1 <input type="radio"/> 1504H Algebra 1H <input type="radio"/> 1506 Geometry <input type="radio"/> 1505 Geometry H <input type="radio"/> 1550 Alg. 2/Trig <input type="radio"/> 1550H Alg. 2/ TrigH</p>	<p>SCIENCE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1700 Biology <input type="radio"/> 1726 Bio AP</p>	<p>PE/ ATHLETICS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1600 Physical Education <input type="radio"/> 1645 PE Marching Band <input type="radio"/> 1338 PE Color Guard</p> <p><small>*If you plan on trying out for a sport sign up to PE and your schedule will be adjusted by your coach/athletic coaches approve athletic classes.</small></p>
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SELECT TWO COURSES FROM THE LISTS BELOW:

<p>WORLD LANGUAGES <small>Recommended for college prep</small></p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1400 French 1 <input type="radio"/> 1401 French 2 <input type="radio"/> 1421 Latin 1 <input type="radio"/> 1414 Spanish 1 <input type="radio"/> 1415 Spanish 2 <input type="radio"/> 1435 Spanish for Native Speakers 1 <input type="radio"/> 1443 Spanish for Native Speakers 2</p>	<p>HISTORY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1828 World History Honors</p> <p>CTE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1370 Intro to Film Making (Dramatic Productions) <input type="radio"/> 1130 Intro to Robotics Engineering <input type="radio"/> 1120 Intro to Engineering and Design <input type="radio"/> 1132 Computer Science and Software Engineering (Intro to Computer Science) <input type="radio"/> 1156 Photography and Design <input type="radio"/> 1193G Culinary Arts 1</p>	<p>VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1331 Dance Exploration <input type="radio"/> 1351 Film Analysis <input type="radio"/> 1335 Band <input type="radio"/> 1343 Music Appreciation <input type="radio"/> 1357 Orchestra <input type="radio"/> 1340 Bass Choir <input type="radio"/> 1339 Concert Choir <input type="radio"/> 1329 Drama <input type="radio"/> 1301 Draw & Paint</p> <p>ELECTIVES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1218 Yearbook 1 <input type="radio"/> 1226 Journalism 1 <input type="radio"/> 9401 AVID 9 (By application only) <input type="radio"/> 1337 Ethnic Studies <input type="radio"/> 1002 Leadership/ASB (By application only)</p>
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TYPICAL FRESHMAN SCHEDULE

COURSES	OPTIONS	NOTES:
English	CP or Honors	7-period days are restricted to students in special programs including CTE, AVID, ASB, and Instrumental Music. 6 Period is offered only upon availability and is not guaranteed. Sports are added to schedules after athletic classes have been approved by coaches.
Math	Alg.1, Geometry CP or H, Alg.2/ Trig CP or H	
Science	Biology CP or AP	
World Language	Spanish, French, Latin, Span. for Native Speakers	
Phys. Ed.	PE, FE Band/Colorguard, Sport	
Elective	CTE Pathway	
	VPA Elective, AVID, General Elective	



Total graduation credits required: 230

Every freshman will take 6 classes:

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Course Selection

ENGLISH

- 1200 English 1
- 1202 English 1H

MATH

- 1504 Algebra 1
- 1504H Algebra 1H
- 1506 Geometry
- 1505 Geometry H
- 1550 Alg. 2/Trig
- 1550H Alg. 2/ TrigH

SCIENCE

- 1700 Biology
- 1726 Bio AP

PE/ ATHLETICS

- 1600 Physical Education
- 1645 PE Marching Band
- 1338 PE Color Guard

*If you plan on trying out for a sport, sign up for PE and your schedule will be adjusted by your counselor once coaches approve athletic rosters.

Course Selection – Electives

WORLD LANGUAGES

Recommended for college prep

- 1400 French 1
- 1401 French 2
- 1421 Latin 1
- 1414 Spanish 1
- 1415 Spanish 2
- 1435 Spanish for Native Speakers 1
- 1443 Spanish for Native Speakers 2

HISTORY (Select for IB)

- 1828 World History Honors

CTE

- 1370 Intro to Film Making (Dramatic Productions)
- 1130 Intro to Robotics Engineering
- 1120 Intro to Engineering and Design
- 1132 Computer Science and Software Engineering (Intro to Computer Science)
- 1158 Photography and Design
- 1193G Culinary Arts 1

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS

- 1331 Dance Exploration
- 1351 Film Analysis
- 1335 Band
- 1345 Music Appreciation
- 1357 Orchestra
- 1340 Bass Choir
- 1339 Concert Choir
- 1329 Drama
- 1301 Draw & Paint

ELECTIVES

- 1218 Yearbook 1
- 1226 Journalism 1
- 9401 AVID 9 (By application only)
- 1837 Ethnic Studies
- 1002 Leadership/ASB (By application only)

Sports

[Sports Information & Tryouts](#)



[NCAA Requirements](#)





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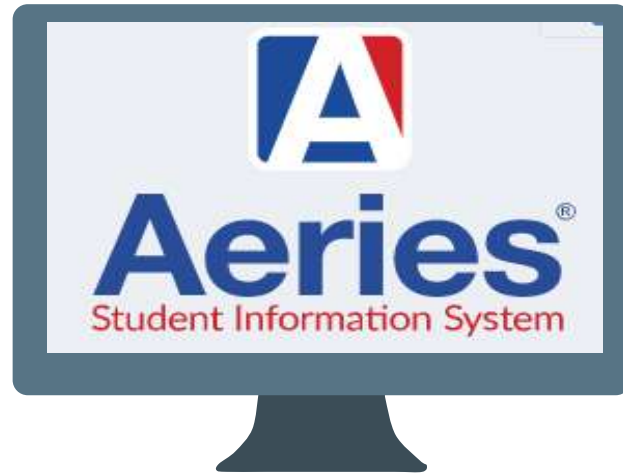
- ★ All freshmen must take 6 classes.
- ★ Everyone signs up for P.E.
- ★ Participation in sports/extra-curricular activities requires a 'C' average
- ★ FRESHMAN YEAR GRADES COUNT FOR COLLEGE!
- ★ If you fail a class, you will be assigned summer school





Deadline

April 18th



FOOTHILL SHOWCASE NIGHT
**8TH GRADE STUDENTS AND
PARENTS**

April 14th @ 6:00pm

Showcase Info



THANKS!

Questions on class registration?



Contact Ms. Diaz at:

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Counseling website:

foothillscounseling.org



Questions on programs?

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