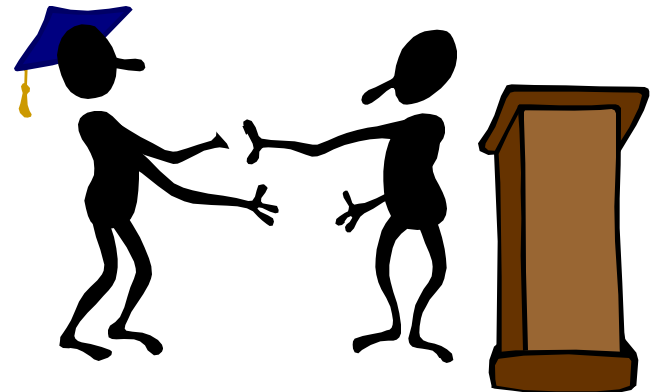
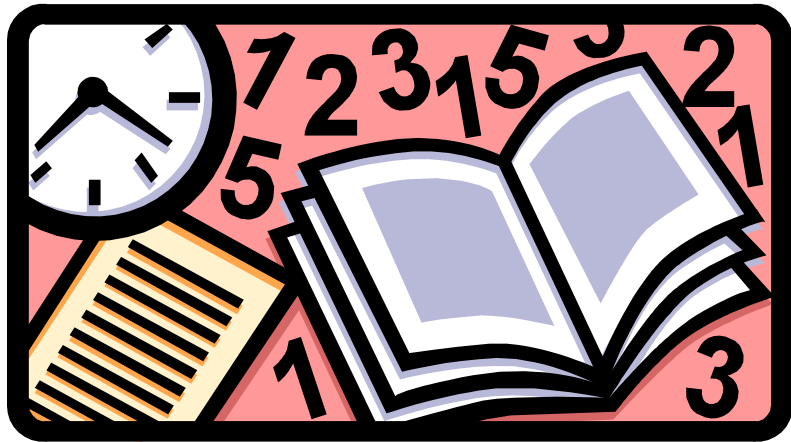


8th Grade Parent Night

- Welcome to North Harrison High School
- Jeff Huffman, Counselor A – L
jhuffman@nhcs.k12.in.us
- Kelli Stone, Counselor M – Z
kstone@nhcs.k12.in.us



Agenda



- Scheduling classes
- CORE 40
- Academic Honors
- General Diploma
- ISTEP ECA
- April Conferences



http://www.nhcs.k12.in.us/



Google

Favorites

North Harrison Community Schools



Page

Safety

Tools



North Harrison

COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

[North Harrison High School](#)
[North Harrison Middle School](#)
[North Harrison Elementary School](#)
[Morgan E. Sch...](#)

[HOME](#)
[DEPARTMENTS](#)
[HARMONY](#)
[SCHOOLS](#)
[STUDENTS](#)
[STAFF](#)

Our Mission

Quick Links

[Home](#)
[Academic Calendar](#)
[Accelerated Reader](#)
[Announcements - High School](#)
[Announcements - Middle School](#)
[Athletics](#)
[Employment](#)
[Food Services](#)
[Harmony - Mobile Links](#)
[Health Services](#)
[Forms & Links](#)
[News and Information](#)
[School Board](#)


LATEST NEWS

CALENDAR & EVENTS

<< January 2013

S	M	T	W	T	F
30	31	1	2	3	4
6	7	8	9	10	11
13	14	15	16	17	18
20	21	22	23	24	25
27	28	29	30	31	1
3	4	5	6	7	8

[view full month](#)
[Austin High School](#)

1/9/2013 - 6:00 PM

[School Board - Executive Session](#)

1/9/2013 - 10:30 AM

[School Board - Regular Monthly Meeting](#)

1/10/2013 - 7:00 PM



North Harrison HIGH SCHOOL

[North Harrison High School](#)
[North Harrison Middle School](#)
[North Harrison Elementary School](#)
[Morgan E. Sch...](#)

[HOME](#)
[DEPARTMENTS](#)
[HARMONY](#)
[SCHOOLS](#)
[STUDENTS](#)
[STAFF](#)

OUR MISSION

QUICK LINKS

- [Home](#)
- [Academic Calendar](#)
- [Announcements](#)
- [Athletics](#)
- [Band](#)
- [Bell Schedule](#)
- [Enrollment Information](#)
- [FFA](#)
- [Forms](#)
- [Guidance](#)
- [Lunch Menu](#)
- [Newspaper - The Cougar Courier](#)
- [Newsletter - The Cougar Roar](#)
- [PTO](#)

The **Vision of North Harrison High School** is to provide a collaborative learning environment that encourages each student to realize their fullest potential academically and socially.

1 2 3

LATEST NEWS

AskRose - Homework Hotline

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

[READ MORE](#)

calendar & EVENTS

<< January 2013

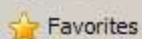
S	M	T	W	T	F
30	31	1	2	3	4
6	7	8	9	10	11
13	14	15	16	17	18
20	21	22	23	24	25
27	28	29	30	31	1
3	4	5	6	7	8

[view full month](#)

ECA Testing (Early Winter)
1/7/2013

Austin High School
1/9/2013 - 6:00 PM

Eastern High School - Pekin
1/11/2013 - 6:00 PM



North Harrison HIGH SCHOOL

[North Harrison High School](#)[North Harrison Middle School](#)[North Harrison Elementary School](#)[Morgan E. Sch](#)[HOME](#)[DEPARTMENTS](#)[HARMONY](#)[SCHOOLS](#)[STUDENTS](#)[STAFF](#)

QUICK LINKS

[Home](#)[Academic Calendar](#)[Announcements](#)[Athletics](#)[Band](#)[Bell Schedule](#)[Enrollment Information](#)[FFA](#)[Forms](#)[Guidance](#)[Lunch Menu](#)[Newspaper - The Cougar Courier](#)[Newsletter - The Cougar Roar](#)[PTO](#)[Renaissance Program](#)

Guidance

Counselor: A ~ L
Jeffrey A. Huffman
jhuffman@nhcs.k12.in.us
(812) 347-3908

Counselor: M ~ Z
Kelli Stone
kstone@nhcs.k12.in.us
(812) 347-3909

Secretary:
Elaine Rawert
erawert@nhcs.k12.in.us
(812) 347-3910

[NHHS Scholarship Monetary Awards 1997-2011](#)[College Information](#)[Financial Aid](#)[New Student Information](#)[Seniors](#)[Student Services](#)[Summer School](#)[Testing](#)



North Harrison HIGH SCHOOL

North Harrison High
School

North Harrison Middle
School

North Harrison
Elementary School

Morgan E
Sch

enter keywords...

HOME

DEPARTMENTS

HARMONY

SCHOOLS

STUDENTS

STAFF

QUICK LINKS

[Home](#)

[Academic Calendar](#)

[Announcements](#)

[Athletics](#)

[Band](#)

[Bell Schedule](#)

[Enrollment Information](#)

[FFA](#)

[Forms](#)

[Guidance](#)

[Lunch Menu](#)

[Newspaper - The Cougar Courier](#)

[Newsletter - The Cougar Roar](#)

[PTO](#)

[Renaissance Program](#)

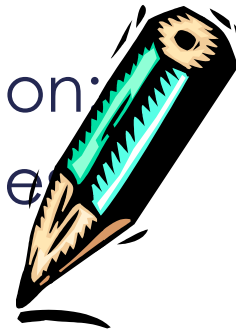
NEW STUDENT INFORMATION

[New/Transfer Students](#)

[Course Description Booklet](#)

Scheduling

- Classes are scheduled based on:
 - 1st and 2nd semester grade
 - ISTEP Scores
 - Diploma type
 - Student/Parent decisions
 - Teacher/Counselor recommendations



Your student will be scheduled for 9th
grade classes Feb. 19-22

Your student will bring home
a course selection sheet
and a parent letter to be
signed.

Some classes have a prerequisite:
(www.nhcs.k12.in.us)



Spanish : must have an A
or B in English and
literature the 8th grade
year.



More Prerequisites:

Algebra II Honors: must
have successfully
completed 8th grade
Algebra I and pass ECA

Same is true for Algebra II

Biology I Honors: A or B in 8th
grade science

Agriculture

- Those students taking Fundamentals of Agriculture will be eligible to take Plant and Soil Science their freshman year
- Those students not in an agriculture class this year could take Fundamentals of Agriculture as a freshman.

Required Course:

- Information Communications and Technology (computer class) is required of all freshmen.

Alternative P.E.

- A sport or band may substitute for P.E. I and II. Successful completion of the season required.
- You may only use a sport or band once to count as one semester of P.E.
- If you are in two sports, you may use each sport as a P.E. credit. (Example: Soccer and Baseball = 2 P.E. credits or Marching Band and Track = 2 P.E. credits)
- Freshmen using a sport to count for P.E. I take health first semester and advanced physical conditioning second semester.
- Freshmen using marching band first semester to count for P.E. I take health first semester and preparing for college and careers second semester unless he/she is also an athlete.
- This decision must be made by the end of May.
- A student is not allowed to complete a sport or marching band and then decide he/she wants to use it for P.E. credit. The decision must be made PRIOR to the season.

Grade Point Averages

- Quality Points
- Weighted classes
- A “D” or “F” does **not** disappear from a transcript
- No study hall can make a difference

CORE 40

- Core 40 is the default diploma
- College curriculum
- 40 credits required
- Some specific coursework required
- Math each year of high school **NEW**
- 2.0 overall GPA for financial aid
- See handout sheet



Prosser Vocational School

- A student must pass Algebra 1 the freshman year and complete three Core 40 science classes by the end of the sophomore year plus successfully complete all other 9th and 10th grade credits in order to attend Prosser and receive a Core 40 diploma. Otherwise, the student would possibly be able to attend Prosser and earn a General Diploma if all credits are in order.

Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma

- 47 credits required
- All 47 credits must be “C” or above to count
- 3.0 overall GPA upon graduation
- Math each year of high school **NEW**
- Very specific courses required
- See handout sheet



Core 40 with Technical Honors Diploma

- All 47 credits must be “C” or above to count
- 47 credits required
- 3.0 overall GPA upon graduation
- Very specific courses required
- See handout sheet

Science Options

- Core 40:
 - Biology 1
 - Integrated Chemistry-Physics (ICP)
 - Environmental Sci., Animal Sci., Plant & Soil Sci., or Anatomy & Physiology
- Academic Honors
 - Biology 1 Honors
 - Chemistry 1
 - Biology II, Physics, Adv. Anatomy & Physiology
 - Adv. Life Science-Plant or Animal, or Chemistry II

General Diploma

- Must opt out from Core 40
- 40 credits required
- 25 credits in specific areas
- 15 credits in elective courses/pathways
- Math or quantitative reasoning course the junior or senior year **NEW**
- See handout sheet



General Diploma

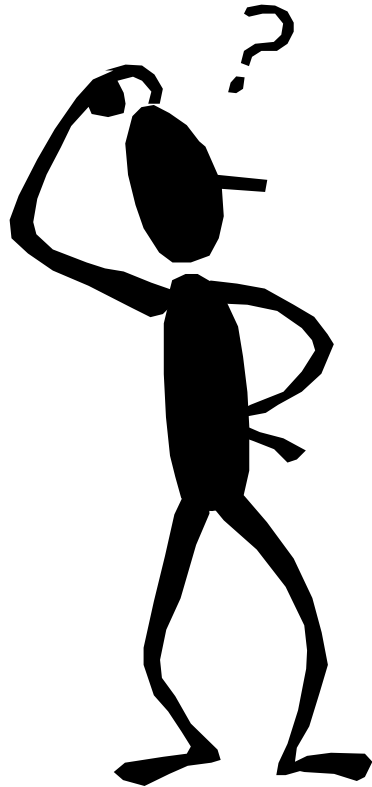
- Basic English 9-12, Inclusion health, Inclusion Biology or Physical Science, and resource room classes automatically place a student on a General Diploma track.
- Courses taken at Alternative School/Credit Recovery also place a student on a General Diploma track.

ISTEP ECA (GQE)

- End of Course Assessments in Alg. 1 & Eng. 10 graduation exams
- Assessments are taken in early May the year the course is taken
- Biology 1 ECA exam for NCLB



Questions?



- All parents are invited to a personal conference in April.
- Please note instructions on the parent letter your student brings home during scheduling.

Thank you for attending!

- Jeff Huffman, Counselor A – L

jhuffman@nhcs.k12.in.us

- Kelli Stone, Counselor M – Z

kstone@nhcs.k12.in.us

- Course Description Book

www.nhcs.k12.in.us

