

CCSD CAREER PATHWAYS





| | 9 th Grade Courses | 10 th Grade Courses | 11 th Grade Courses | 12 th Grade Courses |
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| English | 9 th Grade Literature/Composition | 10 th Grade Literature/Composition | American Literature/Composition or AP English or Dual Enrollment | British Literature/Composition or AP English or Dual Enrollment |
| Math | Coordinate Algebra or Accelerated Coordinate Algebra/Analytic GeometryA | Analytic Geometry or Accelerated Analytic GeometryB/Advanced Algebra | Advanced Algebra or Pre-Calculus or AP Math or Dual Enrollment | Advanced Mathematical Decision Making or Pre-Calculus or AP or Dual Enrollment |
| Science | Biology | Chemistry or Physics or Environmental Science or Earth Systems | Chemistry or Physics or AP Science or Dual Enrollment | Fourth Science Course or AP Science or Dual Enrollment |
| Social Studies | Government or AP Government | World History or AP World History | US History or AP History or Dual Enrollment | Economics or AP Economics or Dual Enrollment |
| Other Required Courses/ Recommended Electives | Health and Personal Fitness Foreign Language | Foreign Language | Foreign Language | Foreign Language |
| Required Pathway Courses | Introduction to Graphics and Design | Introduction to Graphics and Design or Graphics Design and Production | Graphic Design and Production or Advanced Graphics Design and Production* | Advanced Graphic Design and Production* |
| Other Possible Electives | Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual | Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual | Math Support, Fine Arts, GA Virtual, AP, Dual Enrollment, Career-Based Learning | Fine Arts, GA Virtual, AP, Dual Enrollment, Career-Based Learning |

Sample Occupations Related to This Pathway

- Graphic Designers
- Desktop Publishers
- Commercial and Industrial Designers
- Animators
- Computer Programmers
- Proofreaders
- Web Page Designers
- Entrepreneurs

Graphic designers – or graphic artists – plan, analyze and create visual solutions to communications problems. They find the most effective way to get messages across in print, electronic and film media using a variety of methods such as color, type, illustration, photography, animation and various print and layout techniques. Graphic designers develop the overall layout and production design of magazines, newspapers, journals, corporate reports and other publications. They also produce promotional displays, packaging and marketing brochures for products and services, design distinctive logos for products and businesses and more. Please visit gacollege411.com for more information about education, career planning and financial aid.

Upon completion of the 3rd course in the pathway, students will take the Skills USA Work Force Ready System Advertising Design Skills Connect End of Pathway assessment, a nationally recognized industry-based credential exam that shows students' technical skill attainment. This is provided at no cost to the student by the Clarke County School District.

Please note that this is intended as a guide and is not exhaustive.