

# It's Wolverine Time!

We want to participate in your success.



## Agenda:

- Welcome and Introductions
- Review Registration Packet
- Presentation by Department Heads
- Career Pathway/Elective Video
- Parent Portal Directions
- Review Upcoming Events/Deadlines

# In Your Packet

- WFHS High School 101 Information
- Four Year Plan
- Sample Schedule
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Offerings
- WFHS Career Pathways
- Parent Portal Directions and Screen Shots
- Counseling Contact Information

# Class of 2020

## Graduation Requirements



**23 credits**

English: 4 credits

Math: 4 credits

Science: 4 credits

Social Studies: 3 credits

Career/For. Lang./Fine Arts: 3 credits

Health/Personal Fitness

# West 101

School Day: 8:25-3:31

Modified Block Schedule

M,Tue,Fri- 7 period day/50 min classes

W, Th- 4 period day/90 min classes (with a built in IF/Study Hall)

Report card every 9 weeks

Final Grades posted and credit earned at the conclusion of the course

Credit/Units: Year-long course = 1.0 credit....Half-year course = .50 credit

Grading Scale: **Grading Scale**

A (90 – 100) 4.0

B (80 – 89) 3.0

C (70 – 79) 2.0

**Summative Grades (75%)**

**Formative Grades (25%)**

# REQUIRED FRESHMAN ACADEMIC CLASSES

## English

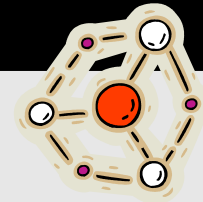
9<sup>th</sup> Lit/Comp



9<sup>th</sup> Lit/Comp Honors

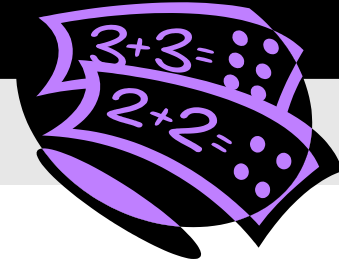
## Science

Biology



Biology Honors

# Math



Algebra I

Algebra I with Support

Accelerated Algebra I/Geometry A

Geometry

Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II

# FRESHMAN ACADEMIC ELECTIVES

## World Languages

Spanish

French

Latin



## Social Studies (academic elective only)

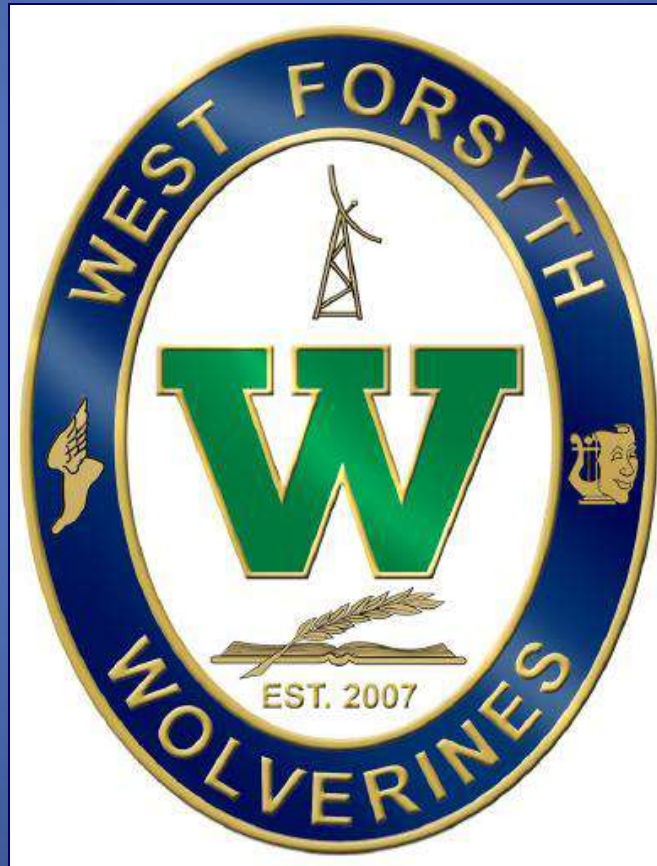
World Geography (semester/year)

AP Human Geography



# World Language Department

**Donna Duncan**







## Languages Offered

- French: Levels 1-4
- Latin: Levels 1-4
- Spanish: Levels 1-4
- AP Spanish Language



# Graduation Requirements

Completion of a foreign language is not required for graduation but may be required for college admission.



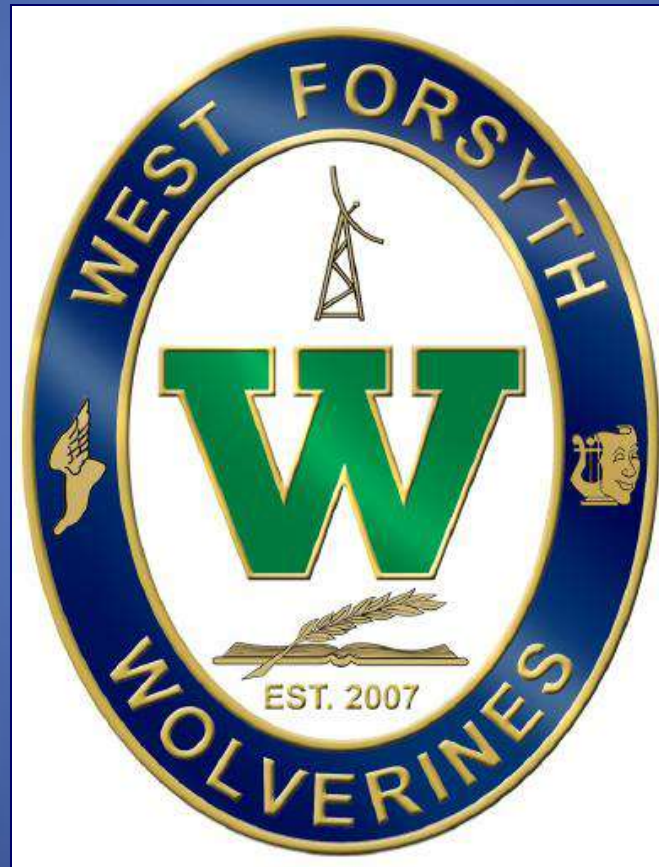
## Options for 9<sup>th</sup> Graders

Upon successful completion of Spanish 1:

- Spanish 2
- French 1
- Latin 1
- No foreign language

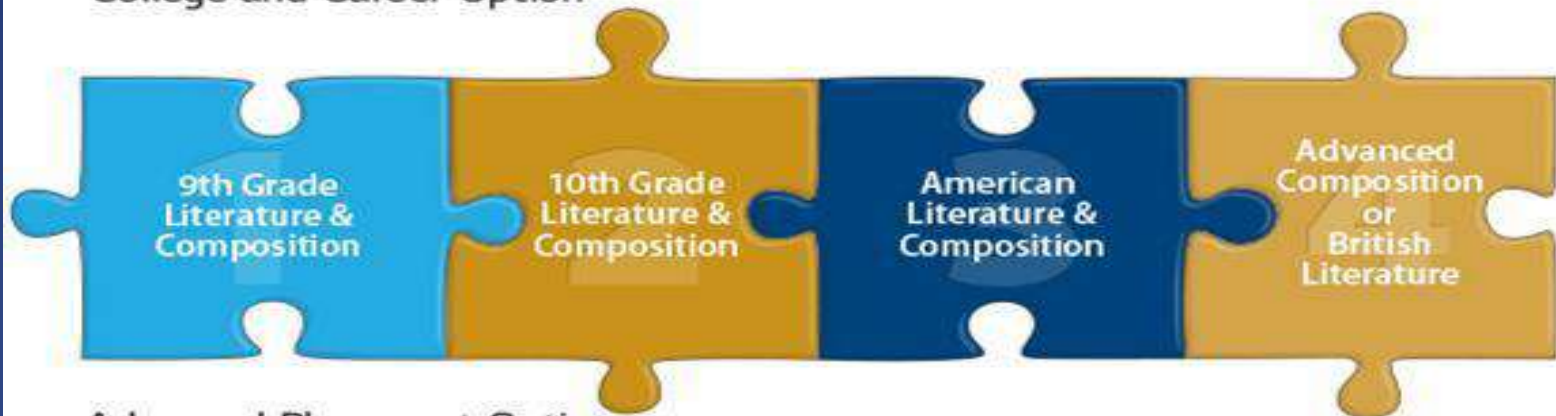
# English Department

**Rebecca Britten**



# English Course Sequence

College and Career Option



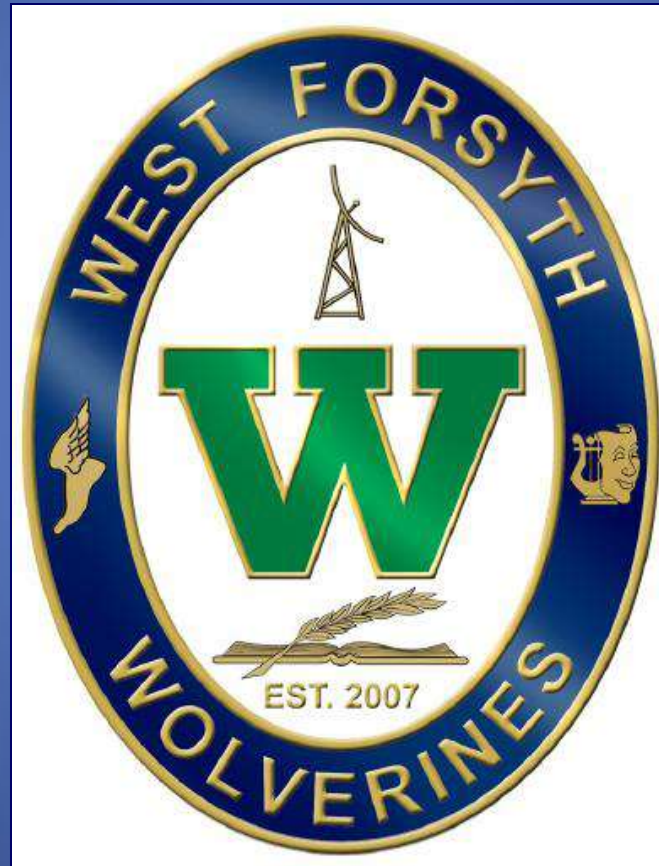
Advanced Placement Option



*\* It is recommended that students take 9th and 10th Grade Literature & Composition Honors before taking Advanced Placement (AP) courses; however, it is not required.*

# Mathematics Department

**Amy Studier**



Math Department Chair

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# Math Course Sequence

8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math or Advanced 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra II	*Pre-Calculus *Stat Reasoning *Advanced Math Decision Making *AP Statistics *Dual Enrollment
Advanced 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math	Accelerated Algebra I/ Geometry A	Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II	Accelerated Pre-Calculus	*AP Calc AB *AP Calc AB/BC *AP Statistics *Dual Enrollment
Accelerated Algebra I/ Geometry A	Geometry	Algebra II	Pre-Calculus	*Calculus *AP Calc AB *AP Statistics *Dual Enrollment
Accelerated Algebra I/ Geometry A	Accelerated Geometry B/ Algebra II	Accelerated Pre-Calculus	AP Calc AB/BC	*DL Calculus (Georgia Tech) *AP Statistics *Dual Enrollment



# Calculator needed for Algebra I and Geometry

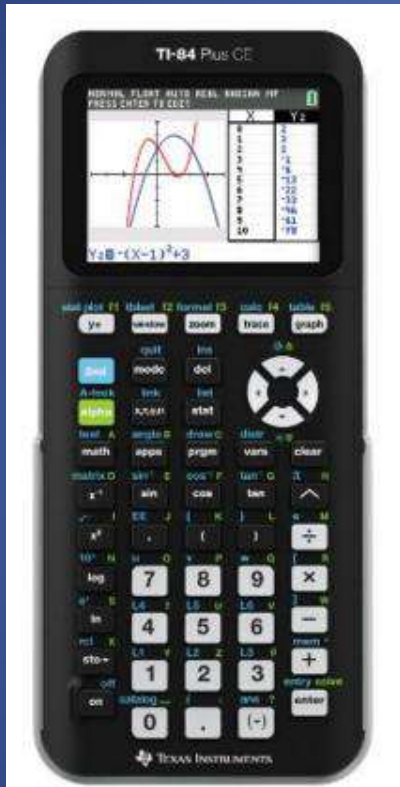


Texas Instruments  
TI-30XS Multiview

(Scientific Calculator)



# Calculators needed for **Accelerated** Math Classes



TI-84 Plus CE,  
TI-84 Plus C Silver,  
or TI-84 Plus

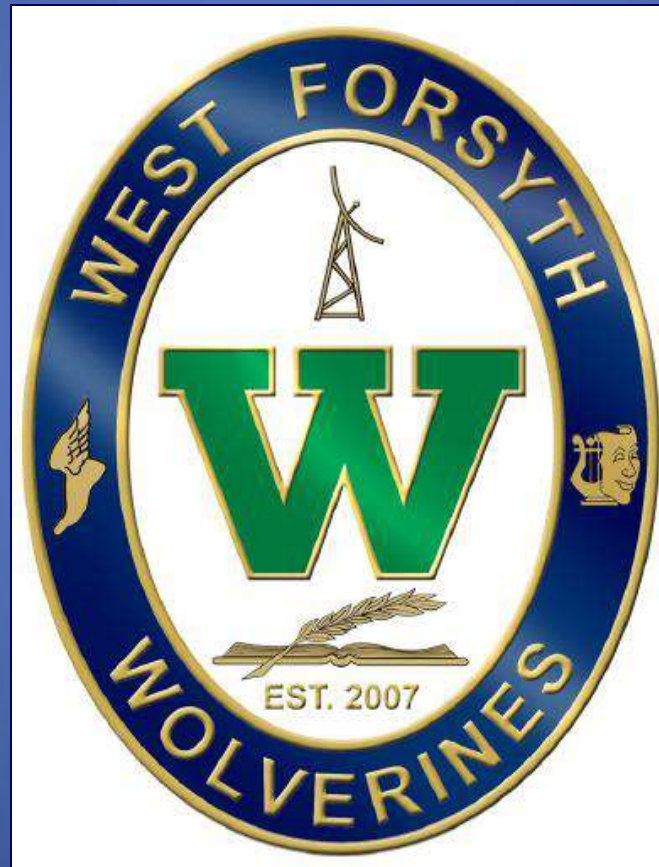
**AND**



TI-30XS Multiview

# Science Department

**Jim Ernst**



## HONORS BIOLOGY

## ON LEVEL BIOLOGY

DEEPER THAN THE STANDARD  
(AP PREP)

STANDARDS BASED

TESTS MORE WRITING BASED

TESTS DESIGNED AFTER EOC  
(MULTIPLE CHOICE)

FASTER PACE

SLOWER PACE

AP (COLLEGE LEVEL) STYLE  
LABS

HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL LABS

# SCIENCE OPTIONS BY YEAR

9	10	11	12
H. BIOLOGY	H. CHEMISTRY	AP BIOLOGY	AP BIOLOGY
BIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	AP CHEMISTRY	AP CHEMISTRY
	AP BIOLOGY	AP ENVIRONMENTAL	AP ENVIRONMENTAL
	ENVIRONMENTAL	AP PHYSICS	AP PHYSICS
	EARTH SYSTEMS	(HONORS) ANATOMY	(HONORS) ANATOMY
	ASTRONOMY/ OCEANOGRAPHY	PHYSICS	EARTH SYSTEMS
		ENVIRONMENTAL	ENVIRONMENTAL
		ASTRONOMY/ OCEANOGRAPHY	ASTRONOMY/ OCEANOGRAPHY
		EARTH SYSTEMS	FORENSICS
			PHYSICS

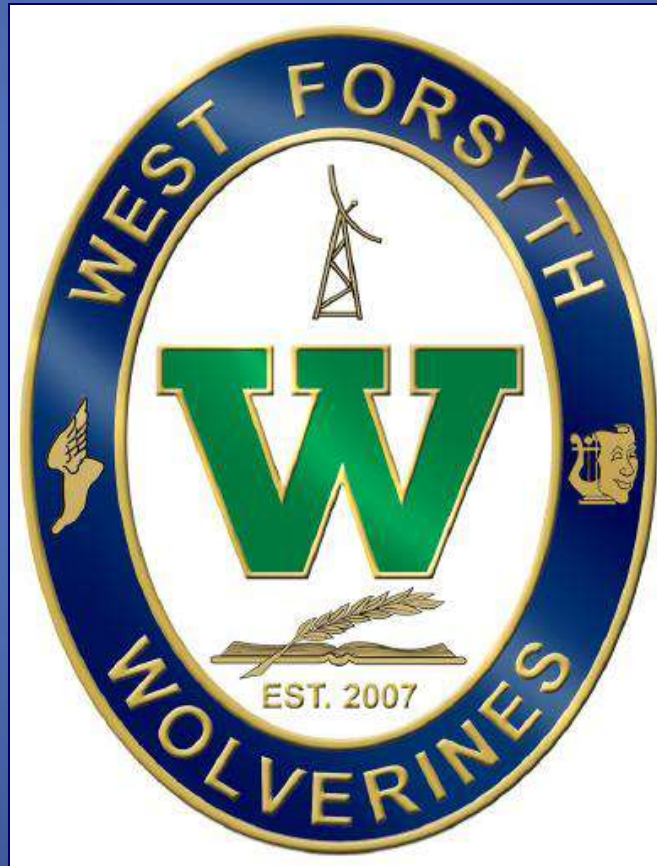
## Courses For College Bound Students

AP Courses	Honors Courses	On-Level	Other
AP Biology	H. Biology	Biology	Earth Systems
AP Chemistry	H. Chemistry	Chemistry	Environmental
AP Environmental	H. Anatomy	Physics	Forensics
AP Physics 1 & 2			Oceanography
AP Physics C			Astronomy

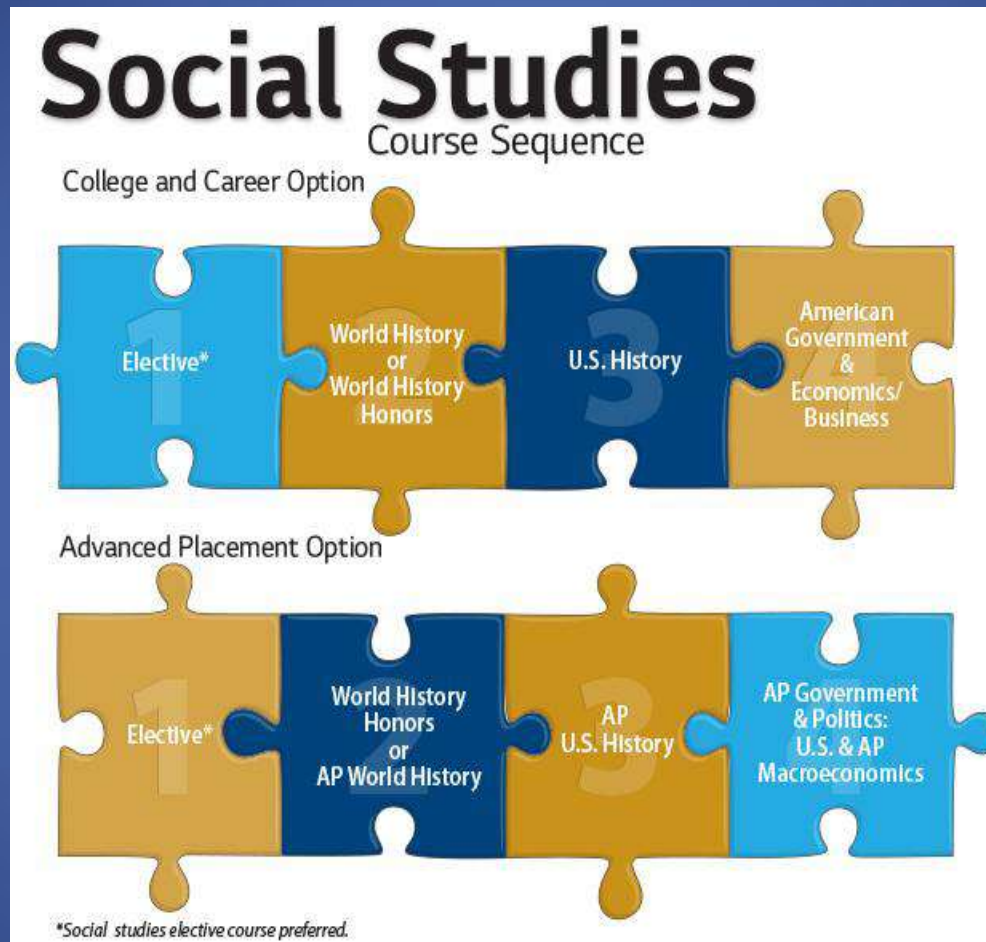
<b>GRADE</b>	<b>ACCELERATED HONORS PATHWAY</b>	<b>TYPICAL HONORS PATHWAY</b>	<b>ON LEVEL PATHWAY (College Prep)</b>
9	H. BIOLOGY	H. BIOLOGY	BIOLOGY
10	H. CHEMISTRY AP BIOLOGY	H. CHEMISTRY	CHEMISTRY
11	AP CHEMISTRY ANATOMY	AP BIOLOGY AP CHEMISTRY AP ENVIRO. ANATOMY	PHYSICS
12	AP PHYSICS AP ENV SCIENCE	PHYSICS Or AP PHYSICS	AP CLASSES

# Social Studies Department

**Robert Jenkins**



# Social Studies



- 9<sup>th</sup> grade elective options are: AP Human Geography or World Geography.



# Keys to consider in class selection

- ✓ How motivated are you?
- ✓ What kind of student do you want to be?
- ✓ What are your future goals?
- ✓ Do you push yourself to be the best?
- ✓ Are you persistent and determined when it gets difficult?
- ✓ How involved are you? Find a balance!

\*school organizations

\*athletics

\*leadership positions

\*community activities



# Sample Schedule

9<sup>th</sup> Lit/Comp

Biology

Algebra I

Health/Personal Fitness

Elective

Elective

Elective

# Sample Schedule

9<sup>th</sup> World Lit/Comp Honors

Biology Honors

Acc Algebra I/Geometry A

Health/Per. Fitness

Spanish/French/Latin

AP Human Geography

Elective (student choice)

Note: Soc St is NOT a requirement in 9<sup>th</sup> gr.

# West Forsyth 2015-16 Elective Video

# Course Registration 15-16

You will see a numeric value at the top of your registration page....

You must have a 70/70 to have a full/complete schedule

Units: (60/70) ←

## Required Courses

18055y 10th Lit/Comp

28835y Analytic Geometry

28845y Analytic Geometry Support

30375s Oceanography

30455s Astronomy

49575y World History

## Requested Courses

702755y Intro Sports  
Entertainment/MKT ←

## Alternate Courses

# Course Registration Timeline

Teachers will be making Academic recommendations for your student

**Feb 17<sup>th</sup>**...Portal Opens @ 8:00 am

**March 4<sup>th</sup>**...Portal Closes @ 4:00 pm

**April 1<sup>st</sup>** ...Academic Course Waiver Deadline @  
4:00 pm



# Course Waiver

If you are completing a Course Waiver Request to  
override a teacher recommendation ...all Waivers are due  
by:

**April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Waivers will be completed  
online ONLY**

# Counselor Help

Counselors will be available on a walk-in basis on the following day: Please note: This is not an excused absence for your student at the MS

Wednesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>

Hours: 8:30 am to 3:30 pm



# WFHS Freshman Festival

## February 20<sup>th</sup> 9am-11am

Tour the WFHS Campus and visit career pathway/elective programs, extracurricular/club representatives, and meet coaches/athletic programs



# Wolverine Days

**Dates TBD (end of July)**

Pick up class schedule

Find your classes/tour the building

Pay fees (Locker, PE Uniform etc.)

Clubs, Activities, Athletics

Purchase Spirit Wear

Bus # and route information

Questions??