



9TH GRADE SCHEDULING

Montoursville Area High School

AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions
- High School Counts
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- 9th Grade Schedule
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HIGH SCHOOL COUNTS



- Colleges
 - Look at grades beginning in 9th grade
 - NCAA Clearinghouse
- Prerequisites
 - AP courses – Most require a 90% average
 - Honors – Most require a 90% average
- Scholarships and Awards
 - Most require outstanding academic performance
- Orientation
 - Mandatory Orientation for Parent and Student – TBA



CREDITS AND REQUIREMENTS



Updated 01/04/2018
Starts with Class of 2020

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

English (4 credits)

_____ English 9 (Honors/Reg)
_____ English 10 (Honors/Reg) _____ Keystone Exam
_____ English 11 (Honors/Reg)
_____ AP English Lang. & Comp.
_____ English 12 (Honors/Reg)
_____ AP English Lit. & Comp.

History (4 credits)

_____ Civics & Gov't (Honors/Reg)
_____ American History
_____ AP US History
_____ World History
_____ AP World History
_____ CSS (Honors/Reg)
_____ AP Econ. & AP Gov't & Politics (1.5)
(If take both, counts as senior history &
AP Gov't & Politics (0.5) counts as elective)

Math (3 credits-Req: Algebra I)

_____ Algebra I _____ Keystone Exam
_____ Keystone Algebra _____ Keystone Exam
_____ Geometry*
_____ Geometry (Honors/Reg)
_____ Algebra II (Honors/Reg)
_____ Trig/Honors Trig&Pre-Calc/CR Math

Science (3 credits-Req: Biology & Chemistry/S.T.E.M.)

_____ Life & Physical Science
_____ Biology (Honors/Reg/*) _____ Keystone Exam
_____ Chemistry (Honors/Reg)
_____ S.T.E.M.
_____ Honors Physics/Anat&Phys/EnvSci

Physical Education (2 credits)

_____ Intro to PE
_____ Health
_____ PE/STFL
_____ PE/STFL
_____ PE/STFL

Arts & Humanities (2 credits)

(includes all electives except
business & computer courses)

Additional Credits (8.0 credits)

_____ Computer Applications
_____ Information Literacy
_____ Driver's Safety (optional)
_____ Practice Driving (optional)

Local Assessment, if needed:

Once reaches proficiency, check & write
the name of local assessment used & the
Keystone requirement that was met.

8th Grade _____ (Algebra I/Spanish I)

9th Grade _____

10th Grade _____

11th Grade _____

12th Grade _____

Add. Year _____

Total credits _____ (26.0)

Courses Needed (12th grade)



COURSE SEQUENCES: SCIENCE



Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Advanced Science	Honors Biology	Honors Chemistry	Honors Physics (or) AP Chemistry	AP Chemistry (or) AP Physics (or) Elective
Science	Biology	Chemistry	Honors Physics	Elective
Science	Life & Physical Science	S.T.E.M. (or) Chemistry (or) Animal & Plant Science	Technical Biology	Elective
<i>Electives Include:</i> Environmental Science, S.T.E.M., and Anatomy and Physiology, Medical Careers, Health Services, and AP Environmental Science				



COURSE SEQUENCES: ENGLISH



Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Advanced Language Arts	Honors English 9	Honors English 10	AP English Language and Composition	AP English Literature and Composition
Advanced Language Arts	Honors English 9	Honors English 10	Honors English 11	Honors Tech Comm
Language Arts	English 9	English 10	English 11	Tech Comm
	<i>Electives Include:</i> Drama, Journalism, Yearbook, Creative Writing			



COURSE SEQUENCES: SOCIAL STUDIES

Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Social Studies	Honors Civics & Government	AP US History	AP World History	Honors CSS (or) AP US Gov & Politics (or) AP Economics
Social Studies	Civics & Government	American History	World History	CSS
	<i>Electives Include:</i> Law, Psychology, AP Psychology, History Through Film I & II			



COURSE SEQUENCES: MATH



Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Geometry	Honors Algebra II	Honors Trig	Honors Pre-Calculus	AP Calculus
Algebra I	Geometry	Algebra II	Trig	Pre-Calc or Stats
Algebra I	Algebra I or Algebra IA	Geometry or Algebra IB	Algebra II or Technical Math	Trig
Pre-Algebra	Algebra IA	Algebra IB	Technical Math	Elective
	<i>Electives Include:</i> Statistics, Consumer Review Math			





COURSE SEQUENCES: ELECTIVES

- Art
 - 2-D
 - 3-D
- Business
 - Penn College NOW courses
- Drama
- Music
 - Band
 - Chorus
- Tech Ed
 - Agriculture
 - Metal
 - Wood
- Internships
- Medical Careers



9TH GRADE SCHEDULE



Student Name _____		Total # days must equal 45
Montoursville Area High School Course Selection Sheet 2020-2021 Due 03/06/20 Grade 9		
All freshmen must select one English course. (counts as 6 days)		
_____ 1010 English 9 (6)	_____ 1000 Honors English 9 (6)	
All freshmen must select one Social Studies course. (counts as 6 days)		
_____ 2000 Civics & Government (6)	_____ 2010 Honors Civics & Government (6)	
All freshmen must select one Math course. (counts as 6 days)		
_____ 3000 Algebra IA (6)	_____ 3050 Geometry (6)	_____ 3040 Algebra II (6)
_____ 3010 Algebra I (6)*	_____ 3060 Honors Geometry (6)	_____ 3020 Honors Algebra II (6)
All freshmen must select one Science course. (counts as 6 or 9 days)		
_____ 4000 Life & Physical Science (6)	_____ 4020 Biology (6)*	_____ 4010 Honors Biology (9)*
All freshmen must select Physical Education credit. (counts as 3 days)		
_____X_____ 650 Physical Education/Health (3)		

*indicates that a Keystone Exam will be taken at the end of the course.

FRONT MUST EQUAL 27 DAYS
(or 30 days IF taking Honors Biology)

Elective choices are on the back.

BACK MUST EQUAL 18 DAYS (or 15 days IF taking Honors Biology)

Electives-days per week are included [(3) or (6)].	Refer to the course catalog for more info!
_____ 1110 Newspaper I/Journalism: I (3) (should be taking Honors English)	_____ 5000 Principles of Business (6)
_____ 1260 Intro to Drama (3)	_____ 5080 Marketing (3)
_____ 1100 Creative Writing (3)- <i>not offered in 2020-21</i>	_____ 6600 Metalworking I (3)
_____ 1105 Film & Literature (3)- <i>not offered in 2021-22</i>	_____ 6610 Metalworking I (6)
_____ 2140 History Through Film (Colonial Period-WWII) (3) - <i>not offered in 2021-22</i>	_____ 6680 Wood I (3)
_____ 2150 History Through Film (WWII-present & world events) (3) - <i>not offered in 2020-21</i>	_____ 6690 Wood I (6)
_____ 3170 Computer Programming (6) (must have had Algebra I)	_____ 6760 Eng. Draft & Design I (6)
_____ 7000 Spanish I (6)	_____ 6900 Architecture-Construction Design Technology (6)
_____ 7010 Spanish II (6)	_____ 6800 Agriculture I (6) (Theory & Shop)
_____ Online Language (6) (see counselor)- Language requested _____	_____ Study Hall (3 or 6). <u>Cannot</u> exceed 6.
_____ 6000 Music Theory I (3) (must be able to read music)	Flex period and lunch are automatically added to your schedule.
_____ 6200 Band (3) (must be current band member)	
_____ 6100 Concert Choir (3)	
_____ 6360 Drawing I (3)	
_____ 6370 Drawing I (6)	
_____ 6380 Painting I (3)	
_____ 6390 Painting I (6)	
_____ 6400 Ceramics I (3)	
_____ 6410 Ceramics I (6)	

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Counselor initial & date _____



ATHLETICS AND ACTIVITIES

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Football
- Soccer
- Softball
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Track
- Wrestling
- ❖ Academic Decathlon
- ❖ Army STAR Club
- ❖ Art Honor Society
- ❖ Archery Club
- ❖ Battle of the Books
- ❖ Culture Club
- ❖ English Honor Society
- ❖ French Club
- ❖ Future Business Leaders of America
- ❖ Future Farmers of America
- ❖ History Club
- ❖ History Honor Society
- ❖ Improv Troupe
- ❖ Key Club
- ❖ Marksmen Club
- ❖ Math Honor Society
- ❖ Mock Trial
- ❖ National Honor Society
- ❖ Warrior Ambassadors
- ❖ Physical Education Club
- ❖ Physics Club
- ❖ Social Science Seminar
- ❖ Spanish Club
- ❖ Spanish Honors Society
- ❖ Students Against Destructive Decisions
- ❖ Student Government
- ❖ Theater Arts Club
- ❖ Technology Student Association



ATHLETICS AND ACTIVITIES

- Band
- Chorus
- Play
- Musical
- The Arrowhead – School Newspaper
- The Sock – Yearbook



LYCOCTC

- Computer Service Technology
- Automotive Technology
- Construction Technology
- Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement
- Culinary Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Health Careers



CLOSURE

- Get Involved
- Challenge Yourself
- Study and Work





ANY QUESTIONS?