# Greenfield-Central H.S.

## Graduation Requirements

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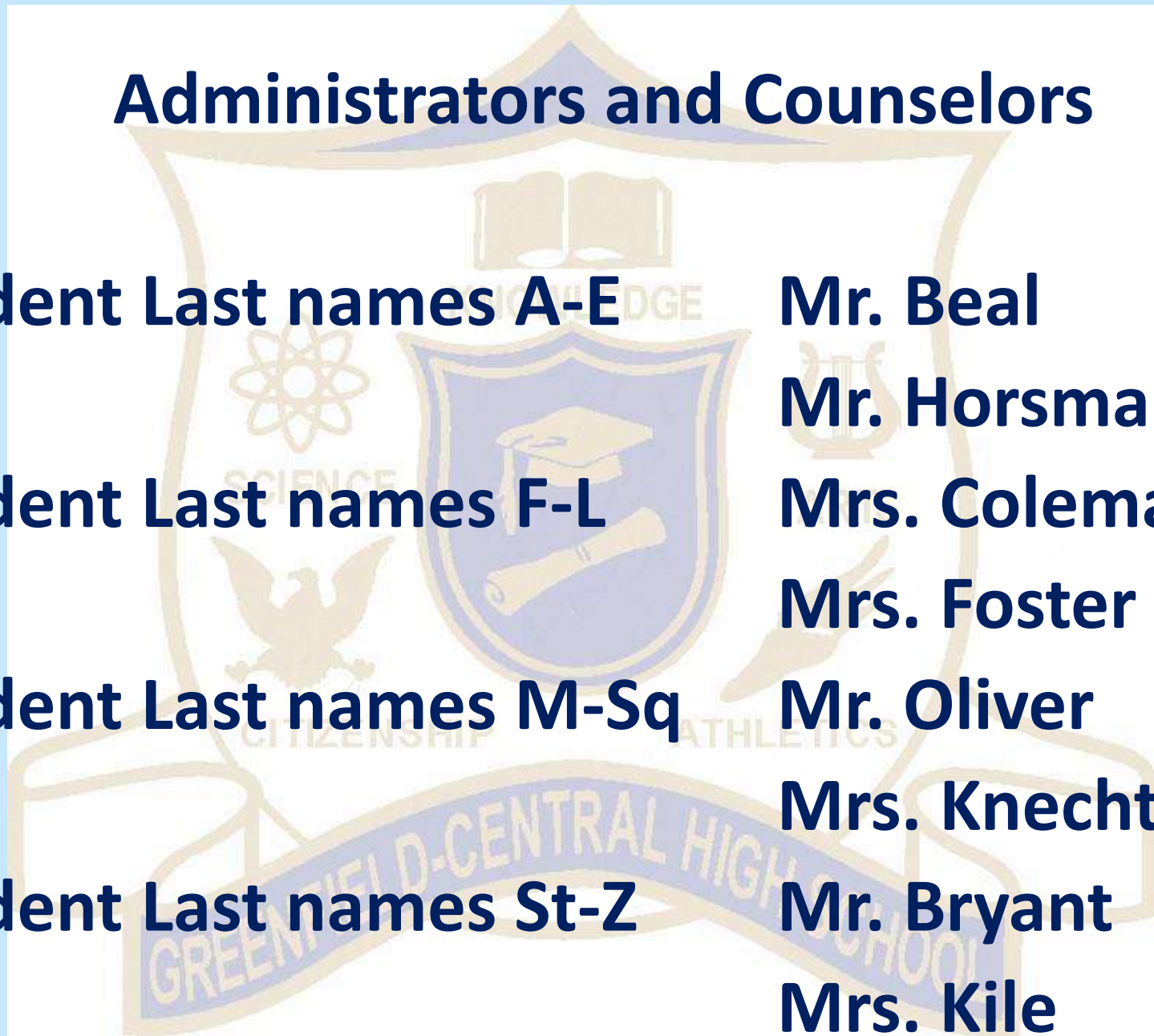**Student Last names M-Sq**     **Mr. Oliver**

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# INDIANA CORE 40

> **Effective beginning with students who enter high school in 2012-13 school year (class of 2016).**

## Course and Credit Requirements

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| **English/ Language Arts** | **8 credits** |
| | Including a balance of literature, composition and speech. |
| **Mathematics** | **6 credits** (in grades 9-12) |
| | 2 credits: Algebra I<br>2 credits: Geometry<br>2 credits: Algebra II<br>Or complete Integrated Math I, II, and III for 6 credits.<br>Students must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year in high school |
| **Science** | **6 credits** |
| | 2 credits: Biology I<br>2 credits: Chemistry I or Physics I or Integrated Chemistry-Physics<br>2 credits: any Core 40 science course |
| **Social Studies** | **6 credits** |
| | 2 credits: U.S. History<br>1 credit: U.S. Government<br>1 credit: Economics<br>2 credits: World History/Civilization or Geography/History of the World |
| **Directed Electives** | **5 credits** |
| | World Languages<br>Fine Arts<br>Career and Technical Education |
| **Physical Education** | **2 credits** |
| **Health and Wellness** | **1 credit** |
| **Electives*** | **6 credits**<br>(College and Career Pathway courses recommended) |

## 40 Total State Credits Required

## C●RE4O with Academic Honors (minimum 47 credits)

For the **Core 40 with Academic Honors** diploma, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 2 additional Core 40 math credits.
- Earn 6-8 Core 40 world language credits (6 credits in one language or 4 credits each in two languages).
- Earn 2 Core 40 fine arts credits.
- Earn a grade of a "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- Complete <u>one</u> of the following:
  - A. Earn 4 credits in 2 or more AP courses and take corresponding AP exams
  - B. Earn 6 verifiable transcripted college credits in dual credit courses from priority course list
  - C. Earn two of the following:
    1. A minimum of 3 verifiable transcripted college credits from the priority course list,
    2. 2 credits in AP courses and corresponding AP exams,
    3. 2 credits in IB standard level courses and corresponding IB exams
  - D. Earn a combined score of 1750 or higher on the SAT critical reading, mathematics and writing sections and a minimum score of 530 on each
  - E. Earn an ACT composite score of 26 or higher and complete written section
  - F. Earn 4 credits in IB courses and take corresponding IB exams.

## C●RE4O with Technical Honors (minimum 47 credits)

For the **Core 40 with Technical Honors** diploma, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 6 credits in the college and career preparation courses in a state-approved College & Career Pathway and one of the following:
  1. Pathway designated industry-based certification or credential, or
  2. Pathway dual credits from the lists of priority courses resulting in 6 transcripted college credits
- Earn a grade of "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- Complete <u>one</u> of the following,
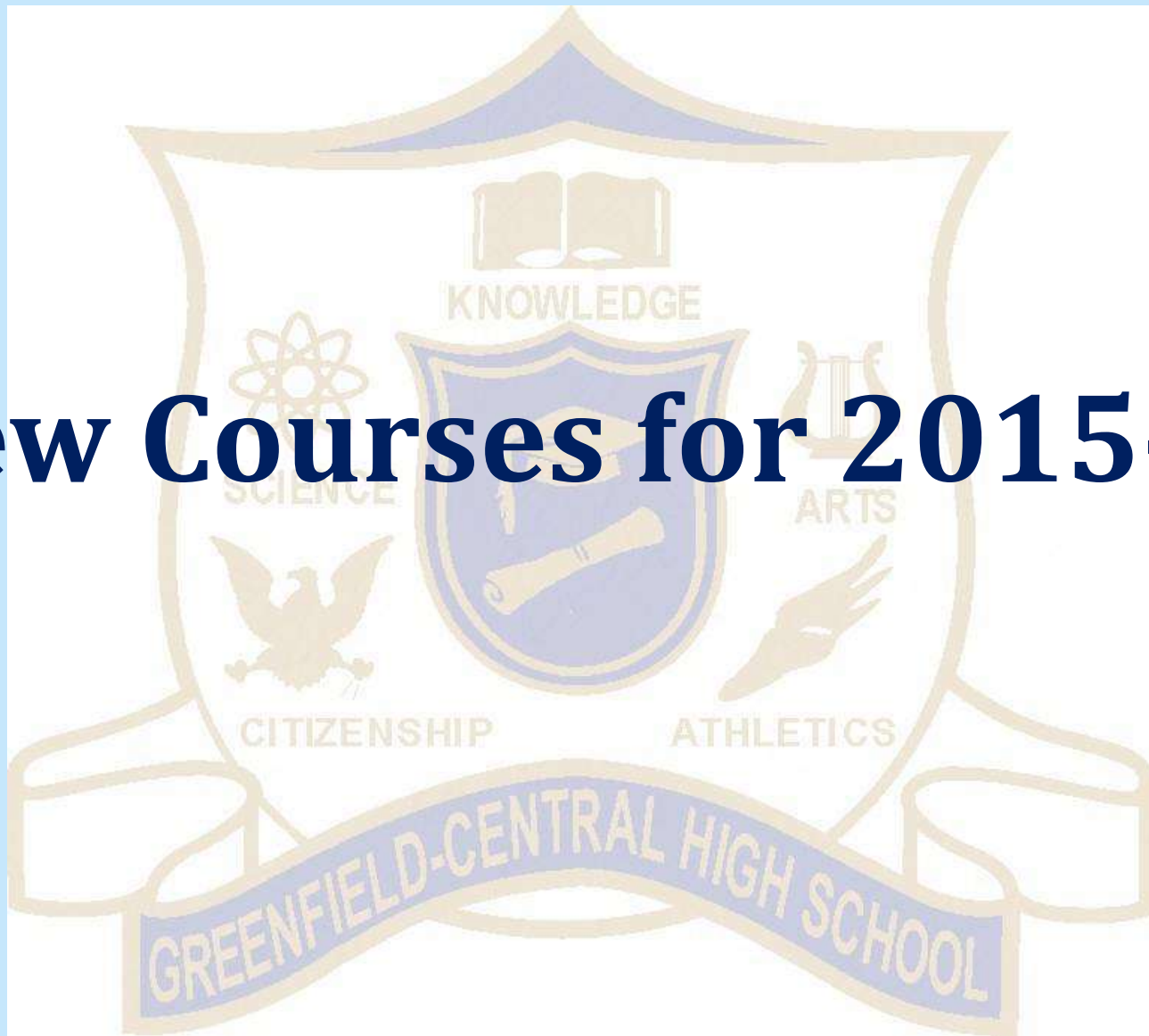  - A. Any one of the options (A - F) of the Core 40 with Academic Honors

# Additional Graduation Requirements

# ISTEP+ Graduation Examination

- Algebra I End-of-course Assessment (ECA)/ISTEP+*
- English 10 End-of-course Assessment (ECA)/ISTEP+*
- *Indiana DOE is currently re-designing the graduation exams and some classes may need to take additional exams as a part of their graduation requirements.*

- All Indiana students are required to <u>pass</u> the Algebra I and English 10 ECAs currently in order to graduate.
- Students will have multiple opportunities to take the assessments.
- Waiver options are available, but students must take advantage of remediation opportunities – Math Lab and Developmental Reading, if recommended.
- Students are required to *take* the Biology I ECA, but a passing score is not required to graduate.

# New Courses for 2015-16

# New Courses at G-CHS for 2015-16

- Computer Programming II (first year offered)
- Novels (Contemporary Young Adult Literature)
- ACP Chemistry (Dual-credit with IU-Bloomington)
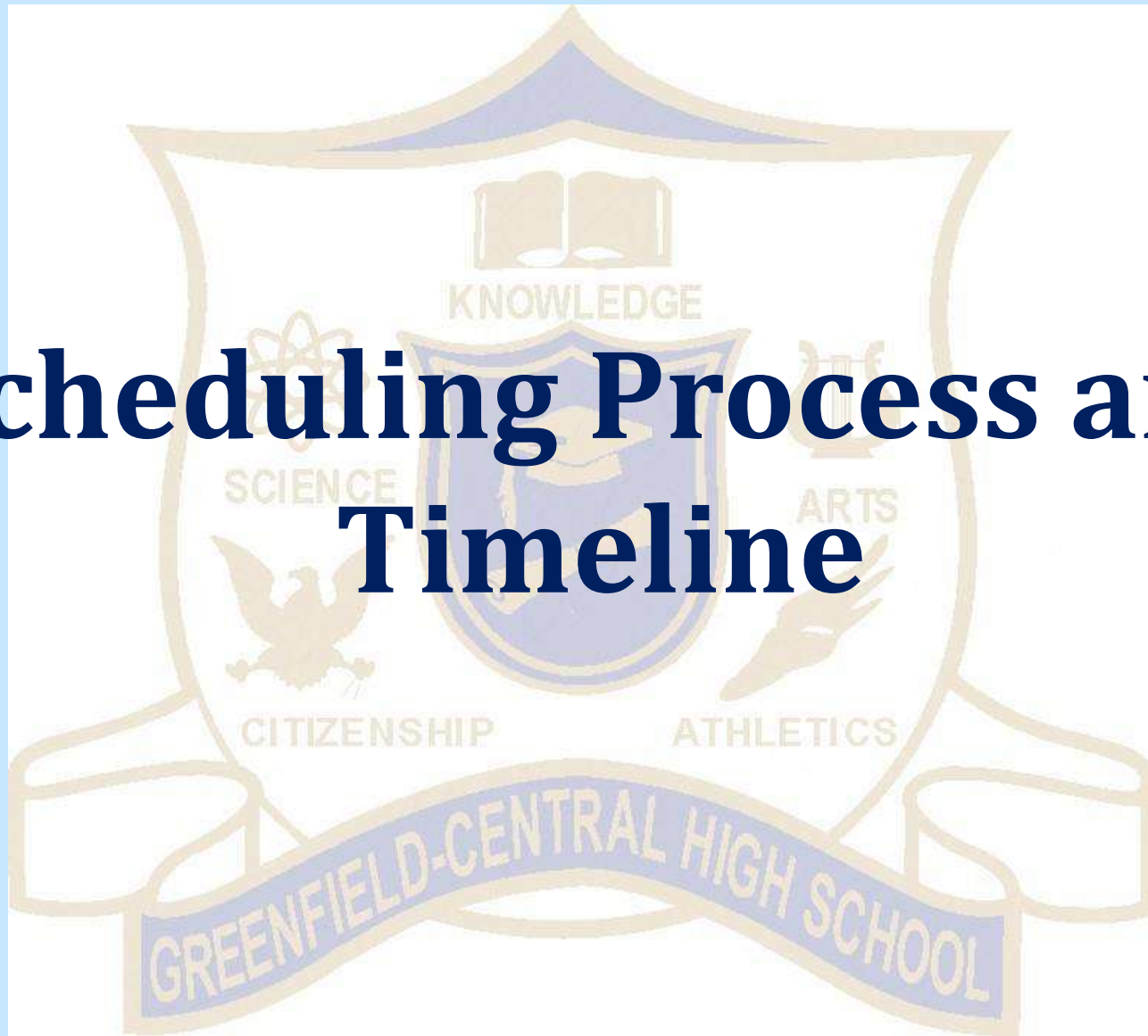- Honors Chemistry

# Course Changes for 2015-16

- Mass Media no longer counts as an English credit.
- Aquatics is now an elective PE credit unless you are currently enrolled or have already taken it for a PE credit.
- PE II now combines team, individual, and recreational sports.
- PLTW Biomed courses are now science elective courses.

# Don't Forget...

AP courses are year-long courses. Please do not schedule an AP course if you do not intend to complete it (even if it is harder than you expected!). Also, please do not ask to join an AP course mid-year.

# Scheduling Process and Timeline

# Scheduling Activities

- Class presentations
  - January 26, 27, and 28
- Individual scheduling appointments
  - Begin on January 29 and will take place through Enrichment Blocks – students who do not have an EB will be called down individually
  - All schedules need to be completed by March 6

*Please make sure you have your scheduling form and suggested classes ready on your scheduling day.*

***Remember***

*The 2015-16 scheduling guide is on-line and is available now.  Find it on the G-CHS website!*
http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us/?page_id=9905

# Greenfield-Central High School Course Selection Form Grade 9

Student Name Printed_____ SS# _____ _____ _____

Current School: _____GCJH_____ St. Michael's _____ Other _____

Freshmen students are required to enroll in one math, one science, and one English course.  Freshmen will select 7 classes to accompany an Enrichment Block.  Please see the reverse side of this form for guidelines to help  you select required courses and for a complete list of freshmen elective courses. Students should complete PE 1, PE 2 and health by the end of their sophomore year.

**If GCHS should be awarded a Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) program, would you be interested in selecting it as an  elective course?          YES          NO**

| Diploma: please circle | Core 40 | | | | Ethnic Origin: please circle | Caucasian | Native American |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Academic Honors | | | | | Hispanic | African American |
| | Technical Honors | | | | | Asian | |
| | Semester 1 | | | | | Semester 2 | |
| ENGLISH | ENH110 | Regular English 9 | | | ENGLISH | ENH111 | Regular English 9 |
| | ENH120 | Honors English 9 | | 1 | | ENH121 | Honors English 9 |
| MATH | MAH200 | Algebra | | | MATH | MAH201 | Algebra |
| | MAH210 | Geometry | | 2 | | MAH211 | Geometry |
| | BUH200 | Business Math (by recommendation only) | | | | BUH201 | Business Math (by recommendation only) |
| | MAH150 | Algebra Enrichment (to be taken with Algebra by rec) | | | | MAH151 | Algebra Enrichment (to be taken with Algebra by rec) |
| SCIENCE | SCH230 | Integrated Chem/Phys | | | SCIENCE | SCH231 | Integrated Chem/Phys |
| | SCH100 | Biology 1 | | 3 | | SCH101 | Biology 1 |
| | SCH200 | Biology 2 | | | | SCH201 | Biology 2 |
| | SCH250 | Prin Biomed Science F | | | | SCH251 | Prin Biomed Science S |
| ELECTIVE/alternate | | | | 4 | ELECTIVE/alternate | | |
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| STUDY | ADH006 | Enrichment Block | | 8 | STUDY | ADH007 | Enrichment Block |

# List of Electives - Sample

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| ADH003 | Credit Recovery F | BUH314 | Business Law & Ethics F | FCH353 | Education Professions 2 S |
| ADH004 | Credit Recovery S | BUH315 | Business Law & Ethics S | FFH100 | French I F |
| ADH006 | Enrichment Block F | BUH 316 | Entrepreneurship & New Ven | FFH101 | French I S |
| ADH007 | Enrichment Block S | BUH343 | Sports & Entertain. Marketing | FFH200 | French II F |
| ADH100 | Peer Tutoring F | BUH402 | Personal Finance | FFH201 | French II S |
| ADH101 | Peer Tutoring S | BUH500 | Corp Finance U of I    # | FFH300 | French III F |
| ADH130 | JROTC F | EHH310 | Adv Life Sci Foods F    & | FFH301 | French III S |
| ADH131 | JROTC S | EHH311 | Adv Life Sci Foods S    & | FFH400 | French IV F |
| ADH250 | College Entrance Prep | EHH320 | Adv Life Sci Plant F    & | FFH401 | French IV S |
| ADH300 | Early Release  F | EHH321 | Adv Life Sci Plant S    & | FGH100 | German I F |
| ADH301 | Early Release S | EHH330 | Adv Life Sci Animals F    & | FGH101 | German I S |
| ADH303 | Work Release S | EHH331 | Adv Life Sci Animals S    & | FGH200 | German II F |
| ADH350 | Career Start F | ENH110 | English 9 F | FGH201 | German II S |
| ADH351 | Career Start S | ENH111 | English 9 S | FGH300 | German III F |
| ADH400 | School Services F | ENH120 | Honors English 9 F | FGH301 | German III S |
| ADH401 | School Services S | ENH121 | Honors English 9 S | FGH400 | German IV F |
| ADH410 | Mid-year Graduation | ENH130 | Journalism I | FGH401 | German IV S |
| ADH450 | Career Ex Internship F | ENH210 | English 10 F | FSH100 | Spanish I F |
| ADH451 | Career Ex Internship S | ENH211 | English 10 S | FSH101 | Spanish I S |
| ADH500 | Drivers Education | ENH220 | Honors English 10 F | FSH200 | Spanish II F |
| ADH501 | Drivers Ed Class | ENH221 | Honors English 10 S | FSH201 | Spanish II S |
| AGH211 | Horticultural Sci 1 | ENH230 | Etymology | FSH210 | Honors Spanish II F |
| AGH212 | Horticultural Sci 2 | ENH300 | Speech S121    & | FSH211 | Honors Spanish II S |

# Summer School Options

# Summer School

- Dates (as of today)
  - June 2- June 26
- Courses being offered (must have at least 15 in each class for it to "go" as a classroom course)
  - Algebra I (F) & (S)
  - English 9 & 10
  - Government
  - Pre-Calculus (F)
  - Physical Education
- Cougar Academy Courses
  - Many courses are available on-line through Cougar Academy
  - Students must complete on-line courses by Friday, July 24. The drop date without a "WF" penalty is Monday, June 15.

*Courses are $30 and you must pay at the time of registration.*

*Don't forget that you can re-take a course for a better grade if you received a D+ or lower.*

# Questions?