



Class of 2022

Frisco

Rising Raccoon Planning Guide

High
School

December 2017

Future Raccoons!

Welcome to Frisco High School! We are thrilled to have you as part of our Class of 2022 and want to ensure a smooth transition for you to high school. We hope this guide serves to answer questions you might have regarding choosing courses for 9th grade and completing your four year plan. Speaking to current teachers regarding recommendations for PAP/AP classes and discussing outside of class commitments with your parents is essential in creating a well-balanced schedule. Please contact your middle school counselor or future FHS counselor with any questions you may have throughout this process.

Join our Remind 101 group for the class of 2022 to receive texts about upcoming events, deadlines and announcements from the FHS counselors. **Text @6he2ech To 81010.**

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Our Mission is to live the Frisco SPIRIT: Service, Perseverance, Intellectual Curiosity, Relationships, Integrity, Tradition.

FRISCO HIGH SCHOOL 4 Year Plan & 9th Course Selection

There are multiple purposes for having a four year plan:

1. Allows students to learn how to plan for endorsement pathways and the prerequisites.
2. Allows student to set academic and career goals.
3. Allow students experience in setting goals prior to college.
4. The State of Texas requires four year planning.

This is only a plan and will be reviewed/changed each spring!

Some items to remember when completing the form:

The following courses takes up **TWO** boxes each year:

Football	Basketball	Volleyball	Soccer	Tennis
Baseball	Softball	Swimming	Wrestling	Band
Golf	Girls Track/X-Country			

The following courses takes up **ONLY ONE** box each year:

Drill Team Colorguard Trainer

CREDITS:

Full year course (2 semesters) = 1.0 credit

1 semester course (1 semester) = .5 credit

Full year course (2 semesters) = 1 box

1 semester course = 1/2 box, so you will need **TWO** 1 semester courses for a box.

Full year course takes up 1 box	Two semester classes Required for one box
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DISCLAIMER

Course selections can be changed at any time until **April 13, 2018**. FISD high schools employ teachers based on student's course requests. We appreciate the efforts of students and parents in properly choosing classes that are appropriate. Any course selection change request after April 13th will be handled on individual student basis. Please sign below for your acknowledgement.

Changes to course requests can be made by emailing your high school counselor by April 13, 2018.

I acknowledge that the **FOUR YEAR PLAN/ENDORSEMENTS** can be changed each year.

I understand that I have until **April 13th** to make any changes to 9th grade **COURSE REQUESTS** and FHS may not be able to honor requests after that date.

What counts as foreign language?

- Spanish
- French
- Chinese (online class)

What counts as technology?

- BIM (Word, Excel, PPT class)
- Digital Media (graphics- Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Indesign)
- 3D Modeling & Animation (MAYA animation- also satisfies fine art credit)
- Computer Science (JAVA-programming; Algebra 1 prerequisite)
- Computer Maintenance (hardware, computer repair; Algebra 1 prereq)
- TV Broadcast (film and editing)
- Intro to Engineering (Algebra 1 prereq)
- Yearbook (application process)
- Architecture and Construction II (Arch & Construction I prerequisite)
- Architectural Design (Architecture & Construction II prerequisite)
- Journalism
- Photojournalism
- Web Technologies (10th; 3D modeling or Digital Media prerequisite)

What counts as health credit?

- Health class in 8th grade/summer school
- Health class at HS (one semester class)
- Health Science class (full year class open to grades 10+; Medical Terminology Prerequisite)

What counts as PE?

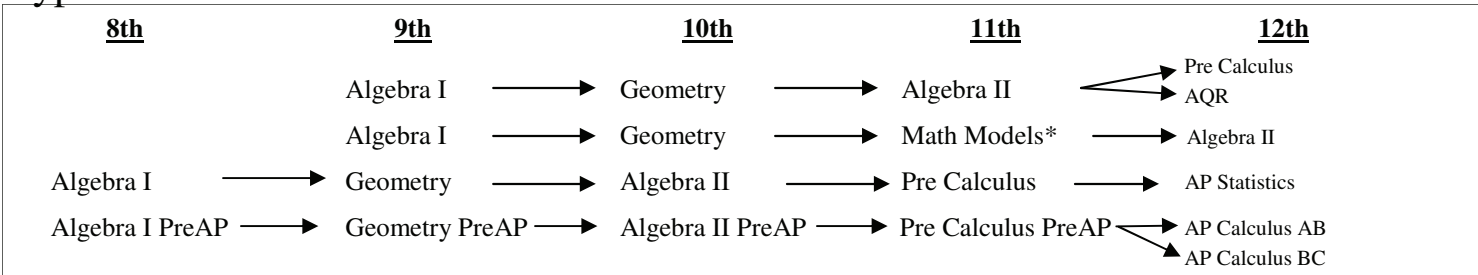
- Band
- Athletics
- PE class
 - Team Sports (rotates through several sports for fun, like VB, Basketball, Soccer)
 - Weightlifting (in weight room, conditioning)
 - Foundations of Personal Fitness
 - Aerobics
 - Outdoor Education
- Drill Team
- Dance class
- Color Guard
- Cheerleading (doesn't go on schedule)
- Trainer (10th, co-requisite of Sports Medicine and application)
- Off Campus PE (application and fee required)

What counts as fine art?

- Art
- Theater (acting)
- Tech Theater (behind the scenes- lighting, set design)
- AP Art History
- Orchestra
- Band
- Choir
- 3D Modeling & Animation (also satisfies Tech credit)
- Floral Design
- Dance (includes Drill Team/Color Guard)
- Music Theory
- AP Music Theory

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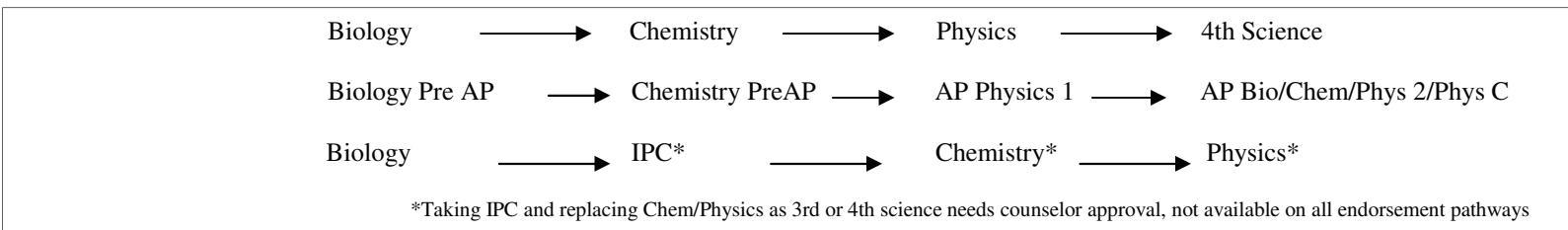
Typical Math & Science Flow Chart



Other math courses after Algebra II:

- AP Statistics
- Statistics
- Dual Credit Math (Collin College)
- Advanced Quantitative Reasoning (AQR)

Students may choose PreAP classes at any time during the four years. It is recommended that if Calculus is the terminal math, PreAP math courses leading up to Calculus be PreAP.



4th Sciences:

- Aquatics
- Environmental Systems
- Earth & Space
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Medical Microbiology
- Pathophysiology
- Forensics
- Food Science
- Adv. Animal Science
- Adv. Plant & Soil
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics I&II
- Physics C
- AP Environmental Science

Students may choose PreAP classes at any time during the four years. It is recommended to take PreAP Science courses prior to choosing any of the AP Science courses.

Courses that have applications:

Advanced Culinary Arts	Practicum in Educational Practice
Baking and Pastry	Practicum in Government
Child Guidance	Practicum in Graphic Des & Illustration
Culinary Arts	Practicum in Vet Med Apps
Health Science Clinical A and B	Practicum in Law Enforcement
Education and Training	Practicum in Marketing Dynamics
Electrocardiography	Sports Management
Emergency Medical Technician	
Pharmacology	
Practicum in Child Guidance	

Courses that have fees (see academic guide for full list and prices):

3D Modeling and Animation	Introduction to Culinary Arts
Accounting I and II	Journalism and Photojournalism
Advanced Plant & Soil Science	Medical Microbiology
Ag Mechanics	Mock Trial
Art Classes	Money Matters
Audio & Video Production I and II	Pathophysiology
Child Guidance	Pharmacology
Culinary Arts and Advanced Culinary Arts	Practicum in Government
Dance	Practicum in Marketing Dynamics
Electrocardiography	Project Lead the Way—Engineering Classes
Fashion Design and Fashion Marketing	Securities & Investments
Floral Design and Advanced Floral Design	Sports Management
Food Science	Survey of Education and Training
Graphic Design & Illustration I, II and Practicum	Survey of Law and Practicum in Law Enforcement
Health Science	TV Broadcast and Broadcast Journalism
Health Science Clinical A and B	Technical Theatre and Theater Arts
Horticulture Science	Wildlife, Fisheries, Eco Management
Interior Design I and II	



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<u>English Language Arts</u>	<u>Foreign Language</u>	<u>Architecture & Construction</u>	<u>Education & Training</u>	<u>Information Technology</u>
ELA51100 Broadcast TV 1 + \$ ELA52100 Broadcast TV 2 ^ # \$ (10) ELA55100 Video Technology ^ # (10) ELA25100 Professional Communications * SPCH 1311 * DC \$ (10) ELA21100 Debate 1 # ELA22100 Debate 2 ^ # (10) ELA21200 Oral Interp ^ # ELA25600 Adv Public Speaking ^ (10) ELA41100 Journalism + ELA44100 Photojournalism + \$ ELA41600 Yearbook 1 + ^ (10) Ind. Study in Journal ^ # (10) Creative Writing * (10)	FLG11100 French 1, 2 or 3 FLG12200 PAP French 2 or 3 FLG21100 Spanish 1, 2, or 3 Spanish Speakers # FLG22200 PAP Spanish 2 or 3 FLG61100 Chinese 1, 2, or PAP Chinese 3 (DL)	CATE04200 Architecture & Const. 1 Architecture & Const. 2 ^+(10) CATE04300 Interior Design 1 \$ (10)	CATE24400 Interpersonal Studies * CATE24700 Child Development (10) CATE14200 Survey of Education & Training	CATE27200 Survey of Information Tech CATE11300 Touch System Data Entry* CATE27300 Computer Maintenance + ^ TEC21100 Computer Science + ^ TEC21200 Pre-AP Computer Science + ^ TEC21300 AP Computer Science ^ (10) Networking (10) CATE27700 Video Game Design ^ (10) CATE27900 Web Technologies + ^ (10)
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AP Capstone Program AP Seminar (10)	PE/Health PEI01001 PE- Individual and Team Sports * PEF01001 PE-Personal Fitness * PEA01001 PE-Aerobics * PEI02001 PE-Weightlifting * PEO01001 Adventure Outdoor Education * \$ PEF02001 PE - Partners PE * # (10) HPE45100 Health * SUB3001 Off Campus PE # \$ ELC55110 Athletic Training-Sports Med co-req # (10)	Hospitality & Tourism CATE22400 Survey of Hospitality & Tourism CATE22500 Travel & Tourism Mgmt ^ (10) CATE22300 Hotel Management ^ (10) CATE24500 Intro to Culinary Arts \$ (10)	LEGEND \$ = requires fee -see course catalog ^ = pre requisite required * = one semester only + counts as technology credit Double Blocked- add to your card in 2 boxes Bold=CTE center # = instructor approval/application required FA = Fine Arts Credit DL = Distance Learning DC = Dual Credit	
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1 st Course in Sequence	2 nd Course in Sequence	3 rd Course in Sequence	4 th Course in Sequence
ARTS & HUMANITIES ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Fine Arts - Art			
<input type="checkbox"/> Art 1 <input type="checkbox"/> PAP Art 1 (Class of 2018 & Beyond) <input type="checkbox"/> 3D Modeling & Animation - Fine Arts Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> Art 2 <input type="checkbox"/> AP Art – Drawing <input type="checkbox"/> Art 2 – Ceramics	<input type="checkbox"/> Art 3 <input type="checkbox"/> AP Art – 2D or 3D <input type="checkbox"/> AP Art – Drawing	<input type="checkbox"/> Art 4 <input type="checkbox"/> AP Art – 3D <input type="checkbox"/> AP Art History
Fine Arts - Dance			
<input type="checkbox"/> Dance 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance 4
Language			
<input type="checkbox"/> Spanish 1 <input type="checkbox"/> French 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese 1 <input type="checkbox"/> ASL 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Spanish 2 or PAP Spanish 2 <input type="checkbox"/> French 2 or PAP French 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese 2 <input type="checkbox"/> ASL 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Spanish 3 or PAP Spanish 3 <input type="checkbox"/> French 3 or PAP French 3 <input type="checkbox"/> PAP Chinese 3	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Spanish 4 <input type="checkbox"/> AP French 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese 4
Fine Arts - Music			
<input type="checkbox"/> Band 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Choir 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Band 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Choir 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Band 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Choir 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Band 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Choir 4
Social Studies – Students must earn 5 total credits in Social Studies			
<input type="checkbox"/> World Geography <input type="checkbox"/> AP Human Geography	<input type="checkbox"/> World History OR AP World History <input type="checkbox"/> GT Humanities II / AP World History <input type="checkbox"/> AP Seminar	<input type="checkbox"/> US History or AP US History <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology (1/2) or AP Psychology (1/2) or Sociology (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> AP European History <input type="checkbox"/> AP Seminar	<input type="checkbox"/> US Government (1/2) or AP US Government (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Economics (1/2) or AP Economics (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Credit US. Govt. (1/2) & Dual Credit Economics (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> AP Seminar
Fine Arts - Theatre			
<input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Theater 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts 2 / Theatre Production 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Theater 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts 3 / Theatre Production 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Theater 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts 4 / Theatre Production 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Theater 4
BUSINESS & INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Advanced Journalism			
<input type="checkbox"/> Journalism or Photojournalism <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcast 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Debate 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcast 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Debate 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcast 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Debate 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Video Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Adv Public Speaking
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources – Animal Science OR Veterinary Assistant			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Agriculture, Food & Natural Res (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife, Fisheries, & Eco Mgmt (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Equine Science (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Small Animal Management (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Livestock Production (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Veterinary Medical Applications (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Adv Animal Science (1) (Science Credit) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Practicum in Vet Med Apps (2) Internship
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resource - Floral Design OR Horticulture & Landscape Design			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Agriculture, Food & Natural Res (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Floral Design (1) (Fine Arts Credit) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Horticulture Science (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Landscape Design and Mgt (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Floral Design (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Greenhouse Operation & Production (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Adv Plant & Soil Science (1) (Science Credit)



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Agriculture, Food & Natural Resource - Ag Mechanics			
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Mechanics & Metal Technologies (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Ag, Food & Natural Res(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Ag Structures Design & Fabrication(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Ag Equipment Design & Fabrication (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Introduction to Welding (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum In Ag Structures & Equipment(2)
BUSINESS & INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Architecture & Construction			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Architecture & Construction I(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Architecture & Construction II(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Interior Design I (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Architectural Design I(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Interior Design II (2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC –Architectural Design II(2) Internship
Arts, AV Technology & Communication – Audio & Video Production			
<input type="checkbox"/> TV Broadcast I	<input type="checkbox"/> TV Broadcast II	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Audio/Video Production I(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Audio/Video Production II(2)
Arts, AV Technology & Communication – Graphic Design & Illustration			
<input type="checkbox"/> Digital Media (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Graphic Design & Illustration I(2) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Web Technologies (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Graphic Design & Illustration II(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Pract in Graphic Design & Illustration (2) Internship
Arts, AV Technology & Communication – Animation			
<input type="checkbox"/> 3D Modeling & Animation (1) (Fine Arts Credit)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Animation I (2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Animation II(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Animation (2)
Arts, AV Technology & Communication – Fashion Design			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Business, Marketing & Finance(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Design I(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Marketing (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Design II(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Marketing (3) Internship
Business Management & Administration			
<input type="checkbox"/> Business Information Management I(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Business, Marketing & Finance(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Business Information Management II(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Entrepreneurship (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Business Law (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Global Business (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Marketing (3) Internship
Financial Systems			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Business, Marketing & Finance(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting I (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Banking & Financial Services (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Dollars & Sense (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Accounting II(1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Money Matters (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Securities & Investments (1)
Hospitality & Tourism			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Hospitality & Tourism(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Culinary Arts(1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Hotel Management(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Travel & Tourism Management(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Culinary Arts(2) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Hospitality Services(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Advanced Culinary Arts (2) Articulated Credit <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Baking & Pastry (1) DualCredit <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Hospitality Services (2) Internship <input type="checkbox"/> Food Science (1) (science credit)
Information Technology			
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Maintenance (1) ArticulatedCredit <input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Information Technology(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Networking (1) Articulated Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Internet Working I (CISCO 1 & 2) Articulated Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Internet Working II (CISCO 3 & 4) DualCredit



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1 st Course in Sequence	2 nd Course in Sequence	3 rd Course in Sequence	4 th Course in Sequence
Marketing, Sales, & Service			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Business, Marketing & Finance(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Marketing (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Media (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports & Entertainment Marketing (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Social Media Marketing (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Advertising (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Entrepreneurship (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Marketing (3) Internship
Sports & Entertainment Management			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Business, Marketing & Finance(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Hospitality & Tourism (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Media (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Advertising (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Social Media Marketing (1/2) <input type="checkbox"/> Sports & Entertainment Marketing(1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Sports Management (2) Internship
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics			
<input type="checkbox"/> Geometry	<input type="checkbox"/> Algebra II	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC-Foundational Concepts of Aviation Studies (Fall) (.5) Dual Credit <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC-Power Plant Systems for Pilots (Spring) (.5) Dual Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC-Aircraft Systems for Pilots (Fall) (.5) Dual Credit <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC-Flight Science 1 (Spring) (.5) Dual Credit
MULTIDISCIPLINARY ENDORSEMENT –This is the recommended approach for this endorsement. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Core Courses – 16 total credits; select one credit from each core area in each sequence box (Dual Credit Courses in these areas count towards the requirements)			
<input type="checkbox"/> English 1 / PAP English 1 / GT Humanities I <input type="checkbox"/> Biology / PAP Biology <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra 1 / PAP Algebra 1 <input type="checkbox"/> World Geography / AP Human Geography	<input type="checkbox"/> English 2 / PAP English 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry / PAP Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Geometry / PAP Geometry <input type="checkbox"/> World History / AP World History / GT Humanities II	<input type="checkbox"/> English 3 / AP English Language <input type="checkbox"/> Physics / AP Physics 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra 2 / PAP Algebra 2 <input type="checkbox"/> US History / AP US History	<input type="checkbox"/> English 4 / AP English Literature <input type="checkbox"/> AP Physics 2 / AP Physics C / AP Biology / AP Chemistry / or other 4 th Science <input type="checkbox"/> Pre Calculus / AP Calculus / or other 4 th Math <input type="checkbox"/> Government (1/2) & Economics (1/2) or AP Government (1/2) & AP Economics (1/2)
PUBLIC SERVICE ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Education & Training			
<input type="checkbox"/> Survey of Education & Training (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Interpersonal Studies (1/2)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC –Education & Training (2) Internship <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Child Guidance (2) Internship	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Education & Training (2) Internship <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Practicum in Child Guidance(2) Internship
Government & Public Administration			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Survey of Gov't & Public Admin(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Court Systems & Practices(1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Political Science (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Mock Trial (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Practicum in Government (2) Internship <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Foreign Service & Diplomacy (1)
Health Science			
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Terminology (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Health Science (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Anatomy & Physiology (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Health Science Clinical (2) Articulated Credit/Internship <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Pathophysiology (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Medical Microbiology (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Terminology (1) CCOnline <input type="checkbox"/> Intro to the Healthcare System (1) CCOnline	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Electrocardiography Dual Credit/Internship <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Emergency Medical Technician (2) Dual Credit <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacology (1)
Law, Public Safety, Corrections, & Security			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Survey of Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Law Enforcement I (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Law Enforcement II (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Forensic Science (1) (ScienceCredit)



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1 st Course in Sequence	2 nd Course in Sequence	3 rd Course in Sequence	4 th Course in Sequence
STEM ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Computer Science – In addition to Algebra 2, Chemistry, & Physics			
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science (1) <input type="checkbox"/> PAP Computer Science (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Computer Science (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Video Game Design (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Computer Science (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – Mobile Application Programming (1)
Math – 5 Total Math Credits (Completion of TWO additional math courses AFTER completion of Algebra2) - In addition to Chemistry & Physics			
<input type="checkbox"/> PAP Algebra 1 / Algebra 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Geometry / PAP Geometry	<input type="checkbox"/> Algebra 2 / PAP Algebra 2 <input type="checkbox"/> AP Computer Science (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Quantitative Reasoning <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Calculus / PAP Pre-Calculus	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Statistics <input type="checkbox"/> Bus. Calculus (1/2) / College Algebra (1/2)– Dual Credit <input type="checkbox"/> AP Calculus AB <input type="checkbox"/> AP Calculus BC
Science – 5 Total Science Credits (Completion of TWO additional science courses AFTER completion of Physics) – In addition to Algebra 2			
<input type="checkbox"/> Biology / PAP Biology	<input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry / PAP Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Anatomy & Physiology <input type="checkbox"/> Physics / AP Physics 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Systems <input type="checkbox"/> AP Environmental Science <input type="checkbox"/> AP Biology <input type="checkbox"/> AP Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Earth & Space Science	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Physics B <input type="checkbox"/> AP Physics C <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Medical Microbiology (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC - Pathophysiology (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Forensic Science (check pre-requisites) <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Animal Science (check pre-requisites) <input type="checkbox"/> Food Science (check pre-requisites)
STEM ENDORSEMENT -Unless noted, this endorsement can be earned with 4 credits in a coherent sequence. Please view the FISD Course Catalog for prerequisites and other specifics.			
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Introduction to Engineering Design(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Principles of Engineering Design(1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Civil Engineering & Architecture(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Digital Electronics (1) <input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Aerospace Engineering(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTEC – PLTW - Engineering Design & Development (1)

*Students do NOT NEED to take EVERY course listed under each sequence, nor are these prescribed sequences for students - these are recommended sequences only. There are MANY options in each endorsement and in each pathway.

The default plan for FISD student is the Distinguished Level of Achievement, which requires Alg. II to be in the math sequence of the student’s endorsement plan. Please consult your counselor, the FISD Course Catalog, the FISD Academic Guide, or the CTE Center Counseling Department for additional information on other possible endorsement or pathway course selections.

FHS Frequently Asked Questions

When will I get my schedule? Students have until April 13, 2018 to make changes to their course requests for the following school year. Students will be able to pick up their schedule in mid-August.

Why can't I change my schedule once school has started? The deadline to make changes to course requests is April 13, 2018. At that time, we hire teachers and buy books. If we allowed schedule changes during the year, we would risk not having the correct number of teachers or books. The only allowable changes once school starts are Athletics, Program Changes, and PAP drops after the first six weeks of school or at semester.

Do you have a freshmen orientation? Yes, we call it Raccoon Rally. Additional information can be found on the FHS website during the summer months.

How does the A/B block work? We have a total of 8 classes. Four classes meet each day for an hour and a half each; the next day, four different classes meet. The first four classes are 'A' day, the second four classes are 'B' day, and they alternate all year long.

Should I take Pre-AP/AP classes? Obviously, this is a very individual decision, and there are many factors to take into consideration: areas of strengths, previous grades, other commitments, teacher recommendations, etc. Your parents and current teacher knows your skill set the best and will be the best judge of your academic readiness. Taking all Pre-AP/AP in all areas is very challenging and time consuming, especially for those who have extracurricular commitments. Please know very few students can juggle this load well. We encourage you to balance your life and your school load. Students who decide to take Pre-AP/AP classes are required to complete the **entire first 6 weeks** of the class before a move to regular level would be considered.

Can I request a particular teacher/period/lunch? We do not honor requests for certain teachers, class periods or lunches.

What classes at the middle school level in FISD count as high school credit for graduation? Spanish 1, Algebra 1, Geometry and Health all count for high school credit. Courses taken in middle school for high school credit receive GPA points.

Can I play multiple sports at FHS? Yes, however, only the sport that occurs first will appear on your schedule. It is important to discuss your plans with your coaches because some sports' seasons overlap quite a bit, making it very difficult to participate in both.

Can I be in the band and also in athletics? Yes, but you will need to consult with both the band director and the coach of the sport you wish to play. It is very time consuming to do both of these activities. While it might be allowed, it will be a challenge.

Can you explain the PE options at FHS? There are several classes that satisfy the 1 PE credit required for graduation. You have the following choices under the PE option: Aerobics, Team Sports/Individual Sports, Weightlifting, Outdoor Education, and Personal Fitness. If you do not take a PE class, you can take one of the following instead: band, dance, color guard, athletics, drill team, or cheer. Anyone can sign up for dance class, but the rest of these require a tryout or approval from the instructor. Band and Cheerleading receive .5 PE credit for the fall semester, so two years of participation will fulfill the PE requirement. Please note that athletes cannot be enrolled in dance as it is a UIL violation.

Which classes count as two credits? Dance is the only class that counts as two credits; students receive both a fine arts and PE credit for successfully completing Dance 1. Athletes are not able to be enrolled in Dance due to UIL rules. Digital Graphics and Animation receives a fine art credit and technology waiver. A technology waiver means students do not have to take another technology course for graduation.

Who is eligible for Late Arrival/Early Release? Juniors and seniors who are on track with their credits, have passed EOCs, have parent permission and who have transportation at the appropriate times may request late arrival (arrive at 10:30 am) or early release (leave at 2:45 pm). Students should be aware that this may impact the other courses available to them and that selective colleges do not look favorably upon this option.

Can I take classes at the CTE Center? There are a couple of classes open to 9th graders at the CTE Center. Transportation is provided. Many CTE classes have prerequisites so be sure to check the course catalog to see if you are eligible. The course catalog is posted on the Frisco ISD website. Any class that has (CTEC) listed under the course title is taught at the CTE Center.

How can I find my GPA? Currently, weighted GPAs are calculated twice per year after semester grades are finalized; they are posted to Family Connection, and an email is sent when they are uploaded. Occasionally, seniors will need to know their un-weighted GPA for a scholarship or college application. Please contact your counselor for this information. Both types of GPA appear on the transcripts we send to colleges.

What is the difference between weighted and un-weighted GPA? The weighted GPA gives an extra point value for the PAP, AP, and dual credit classes, and some specialty programs. This is how we determine your class rank, Valedictorian, Salutatorian, and honor grads. Please see the [District Academic Guide](#) for detailed information. Un-weighted GPA is figured on a college 4.0 system, and sometimes out of state colleges ask that your GPA be converted to the 4.0 system.

When am I eligible for National Honor Society (NHS)? In the spring of 10th or 11th grade, students with a cumulative weighted GPA of 4.0 or higher will be invited to apply for NHS. Upon meeting the grade level, attendance and GPA standard requirements, candidates will be selected based on their service, leadership and character.

How do I place into a higher level of language? Students can take a placement exam for French or Spanish. The purpose of the LOTE Placement Exam for Acceleration is for students to progress to courses that challenge them without having to take prerequisites that cover information they already know. If a student takes a LOTE Placement Exam and scores an 80 or higher, the student will be enrolled in a higher level of the language. If the student gains credit in that higher level, credit will be granted for the lower level(s) automatically. Please see your current Middle school campus counselor for more details on testing this SPRING.

Can I take classes in the summer? Yes, this past summer classes were offered online. Courses available to take in summer school were Health, Speech (Prof Comm), Medical Terminology, Bus Info Management (BIM), and IPC. These were the only classes offered in summer school for advancement (to get ahead) and are subject to change. With summer classes online, it is recommended for students to sign up for classes one at a time. Once completed, an additional class can be added if time permits. Each course costs \$300 (subject to change). [Summer School Information](#), including dates and location, will be available online in April. All other classes taught in summer school are only open to students who need to repeat the class due to failure.

Do I have to have community service hours, and when can I start counting them? Community service is not required but looks great on college applications. If you earn 100 hours, you will be recognized at graduation for your service. You may start keeping up with these hours the summer after 8th grade. Please visit the FHS Counselor's website under X2VOL for more information.

What's the best way to reach my counselor? E-mail is the best during the spring course selection time.