

## Hillsboro High School 4 Year Planning

Please use this document as a way to help you look ahead and plan accordingly for your courses at HHS.

### 25 Total Credits EARNED is Required at Hillsboro High School

- 4 in English
- 3 in Mathematics
- 3 in Science
- 2 in History (required - 1 in Am. History and 0.5 in A. Gov.)
- 1 in Humanities (Art, Music, Foreign Lang. or Vocational)
- ½ in Health
- 1 in Business Technology & Consumer Concepts
- ½ in Interpersonal Communications
- Enrolled in P.E. each semester
- Additional elective credits needed to reach 25

### Freshman Year - 9th Grade

1. English: Adv. English 1 OR English 1
2. Math: Algebra 1 OR Freshman Geometry
3. Science: Biology or Adv Biology
4. P.E. (Dr. Ed. depending on birthday)
5. Business Technology & Concepts
6. Health: 1 semester/ Interpersonal Communications
7. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_

*Fr. Electives include:* Band, Choir, Introduction to Agriculture, World History, Art Skills, DIY, Spanish 1, Wildlife Management (Sci), Home Ec.

### Sophomore Year - 10th Grade

1. English: Adv. English 2 OR English 2
2. Math: Geometry OR Algebra 2 (Alg. 2 is only for students who took Fr. Geom.)
3. Science: Physical Science or Adv. Physical Science
4. P.E. OR P.E. Weight Training (BTW)
5. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_

*Soph. Electives include:* Band, Choir, Ag. class, Art class, Business/ Computer class, DIY, Spanish II, Wildlife Management (Sci), Home Ec., World History.

### Junior Year - 11th Grade

1. English: English 3 OR English 2250 (dual credit with SLU)
2. Math: Algebra 2 or Pre-Calculus
3. American History
4. Science: \_\_\_\_\_
5. P.E. OR P.E. Weight Training
6. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_

*Jr. electives include:* Band, Choir, Ag. class, Art class, Business/Computer class, Spanish Plus, Criminal Justice, Sociology, Psychology, Science class, Okaw, DIY, Cul. Arts, SCI Center, Co-op

### Senior Year - 12th Grade

1. English: English 4, Readers Response, Oral Comm., English 1500/1900 (SLU dual credit)
2. American Government/ \_\_\_\_\_
3. P.E. OR P.E. Weight Training
4. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Elective: \_\_\_\_\_

*Sr. Electives include:* Band, Choir, Ag. class, Art class, Business/Computer class, Spanish Plus, Criminal Justice, Sociology, Psychology, Science class, Okaw, DIY, Cul. Arts, SCI Center, Co-op`

**Special Course Information for planning:** Course options for Junior and Senior years.

**Okaw (Vandalia location)**

- Programs offered: Auto Body, Auto Mechanics, Computer Aided Drafting, Computer Technology & Networking, Culinary Arts & Food Service ( at HHS), Graphic Design/Commercial Art, Office Technology/Business Entrepreneur, Power Mechanics/Power Sports, and Welding/Metal Fabrication
- Visit [www.okaw.us](http://www.okaw.us) for more detailed information and descriptions of each program
- 4 class periods of the day

**College Now with LLCC Litchfield**

- Students can attend AM and/or PM Monday through Friday. Students earn both college credit and high school credit. Students are required to pay all tuition, fees, and book costs. Payment plans can be set up with LLCC.
- Benefits: earn college credits during your senior year that will transfer to MOST colleges and universities, reduce anxiety of transitioning to college, lighten your college load once you are a full-time college student
- Must be on track to graduate to take College Now courses
- Does not count toward required courses at HHS

**Dual Credit Options**

- Music in America – 1 semester Fall or Spring, Junior or Senior (LLCC)
- Psychology – 1 semester Fall or Spring, Junior or Senior (LLCC)
- ENG 2250 – Junior year long (SLU), ENG 1500/1900 (SLU -senior year)
- BIO 1240/1245 – Junior or Senior year (SLU - 4 credits)

**CEO – Montgomery County Program (seniors only)**

- 2 class periods of the day

**Montgomery County CTE Options**

- *Advanced Culinary Arts:* The Bakeshop (in Nokomis)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Ag Academy* (Raymond/Lincolnwood – PM course)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Agriculture Metal Fabrication* (SCI Center Litchfield)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Applied Skills in Agricultural Mechanics* (Hillsboro)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Automotive Technology* (SCI Center Litchfield)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Basic Nurse Assistant Program* (Hillsboro Hospital/LLCC) – AM 2 class periods)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Building Trades* (Hillsboro – AM or PM-3 class periods)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Child Care* (Hillsboro – AM 2 class periods)- Dual credit through LLCC
- *Education Pathways* (with Dr. Doerr in Nokomis – online/hybrid)- Dual credit courses through LLCC
- *IT Jump Start* (online/semester)- Dual credit through LLCC

*Note from Mrs. Kenny:* Please fully review your high school transcript before selecting courses. Notice if you need to repeat a required course. Some classes require a prerequisite, please ask me if you have questions on concerns about those requirement