

Welcome to The Woodlands High School Senior Campus



HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS CLASS OF 2014

Rising 10th grade, current 9th

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• ENGLISH	4.0
• MATHEMATICS	4.0
• SCIENCE	4.0
• SOCIAL STUDIES	4.0
• FOREIGN LANGUAGE**	2.0
• HEALTH	.5
• P.E. OR P.E. SUBSTITUTE (can earn up to 4)	1.0
• FINE ARTS	1.0
• COMMUNICATION APPLICATIONS (SPEECH)	.5
• ELECTIVES	5.0

TOTAL CREDITS

26.0



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• SOCIAL STUDIES	4.0
• FOREIGN LANGUAGE**	2.0
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• COMMUNICATION APPLICATIONS (SPEECH)	.5
• COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY***	1.0
• ELECTIVES	3.5

TOTAL CREDITS

26.0



Building Name: CONROE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 Address : THE WOODLANDS HIGH SCHOOL
 Campus Phone : 6101 RESEARCH FOREST THE WOODLANDS TX
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Student Name:
 ID# (SSN) :
 Birthdate :
 Parent Info :
 Address :
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Grad Date: Prog. Type: TAAS MASTERY
 Class Rank : 349 Rank Date: 10/07/2003 Reading :
 GPA : 3.8929/5+ Mathematics :
 Class Size :1180 Writing :

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SCHOOL YEAR: 2002 GR:09

EN ENG 1	H			81	82	1.0
EN COMMAPP				90		0.5
MA GEOM	H			79	83	1.0
SC BIO	H	88	83			1.0
SS W GEO		90	92			1.0
HL HLTH ED					92	0.5
PE PE EQ1			100			0.5
PE PE EQ2					100	0.5
TA TSMCL		93	91			1.0
JH ALG 1	J	P	P			1.0
CREDIT:	LOCAL:	0.0		STATE:		8.0

SCHOOL YEAR: 2004 GR:

EN ENG 3	H	90	95			1.0
MA PRE-CALC						0.0
SC PHYSICS		82	90			1.0
SS US HIST	H					0.0
FL SPAN 2		84	80			1.0
FA TH1						0.0
LC PE	L		99			0.5
CREDIT:	LOCAL:	0.5		STATE:		3.0

SCHOOL YEAR: 2003 GR:10

EN ENG 2	H	94	88			1.0
MA ALG 2	H			84	80	1.0
SC CHEM		94	88			1.0
SS W HIST	H			90	89	1.0
PE PE EQ3			100			0.5
PE PE EQ4					100	0.5
FL SPAN 1				85	82	1.0
FA ART 1		100	97			1.0
CREDIT:	LOCAL:	0.0		STATE:		7.0

*EXCESSIVE ABS,**EXCESSIVE ABS W/PASSING GRADE-CREDIT AND GRADE POINTS DENIED
 OTHER DISTRICT(S) AWARDDING CREDIT :

Date Printed:

SIGNATURE OF SCHOOL OFFICIAL

Materials Provided for Completing Registration Forms

- **Course Description Guide (also online)**
- **Registration Form**
- **Registration Handout explaining the specific instructions to assist in completing the registration form.**
- **Handout of graduation requirements**
- **Planning the block worksheet**

COMPLETING THE FORM

Step-by-Step



PLANNING THE BLOCK

Fall

Spring

1st period

1A

Acapella Choir 5114

1B

Teen Leadership 1543

Reading Applications
2363

2nd period

2A

Spanish II
3011F

Spanish III
3031S

2B

3rd period

English III H/PreAP
(2111)

U.S.
History A
1111

U.S.
History B
1111

4th period

Chemistry PreAP
(0231)

Algebra II H/PreAP
1681

GRADE CLASSIFICATION

Sophomores--6 cred.

Juniors--12 cred.

Seniors--18 cred.

What if I failed a Required Course?

- What are your options?
 - Take it in summer school.
 - Put it in your schedule for next year.
 - See your counselor about a credit-by-exam. (\$40.00/half credit; Review sheet on line @ www.dce.ttu.edu)
- **Remember, you must have 6 credits by August of 2011 to be classified as a sophomore, 12 to be a junior, and 18 to be a senior.**



Summer School

- Will be mid June – mid July . There will be two semesters.
- Credit recovery and acceleration at a south county school to be announced in March.
- Classes available for:
 - Repeat Credit (Most academic core courses)
 - First Time Credit (Health, PE, Communication Appl, Technology, Fine Arts, Govt. and Eco., Dual credit U.S. History)
 - Accelerated Summer School—a few weeks longer than regular summer school.
- Initial credit Spanish and math
- Information and Registration Forms available in the Grade Level Office
- Sign Up in April
- Total Credit = 1
- Out of District Availability



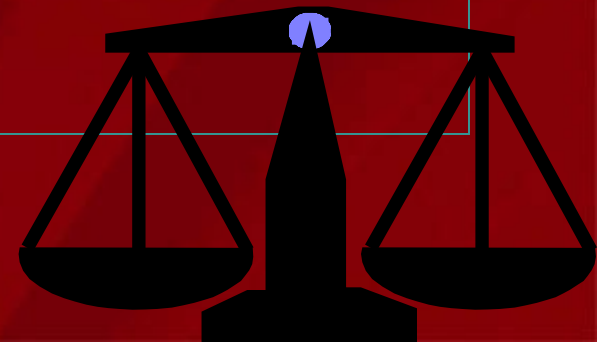
What level of a course should I register for?

- What are your choices? (Level, Honors, Pre-AP, Advanced Placement)
- What is your teacher's recommendation?
- What are your past grades?
- How much time will be required?
- How much time are you willing to devote?

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What level of a course should I register for?

- How much time will you be spending on other things? (school activities, church, community, jobs)
- Why are you choosing this level?
- How many other advanced level courses are you taking?



How Much Homework??

Level Classes:

30-45 minutes per class each night

Honors Classes:

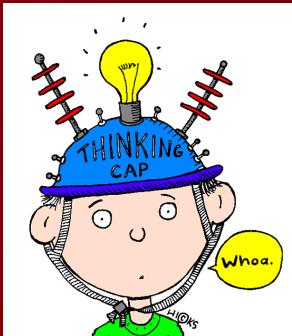
Approximately 60 minutes per class each night

Pre-AP & AP Classes:

60 – 90 minutes per class each night, or more

- Faster pace
- More reading, writing, and research-based assignments

Plan carefully and make good choices!!!!



Registering for Honors/Pre-AP/AP Courses

- No teacher signature is required . However you are encouraged to seek the advice of current teachers who know your work ethic and skills.
Pay careful attention to your total course load. There is no guarantee a particular course will be offered a specific term. Counselors will try to balance if you ask before school begins.
The best preparation for college is a rigorous course load during high school.

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Dual Credit Courses

- Juniors and Seniors may take Dual Credit courses. These are college courses that receive high school credit.
- Dual Credit English IV receives 6 points for an A. All other dual credit classes receive 4 points for an A.
- You must take the e-COMPASS test and make certain scores, qualify with SAT or ACT test scores, or qualify with TAKS scores of 2200 or above before May 13 in order to enroll in a dual credit course.
- Seniors may not take a Dual Credit course and also take an early release or late arrival. The exception is English IV Dual Credit because it is taught on our campus.
- You must register on-line for admission at Lone Star College and pay before May 13 in order to be enrolled for the Fall term.



DUAL CREDIT WORKFORCE PROGRAMS

- Continuing Education/Workforce Programs through Lone Star College—they will not require the THEA or e-COMPASS tests for admission. You must fill out an information sheet. You must provide your own transportation.
- Awarded high school credit, but are taught at the Lone Star College facility in Conroe.
 - Certified Nurse's Aid/Phlebotomy—Seniors turning 18 by Oct. 15.
 - American Welding Certification—Juniors and Seniors at least 16 years old.
 - Computer Numeric Control Machining—Certificate program aimed at seniors.
 - Audio Visual Systems Specialist—Taught from 1:00-3:00 at the Montgomery College location to students who have an interest in the sound, lighting, and audio-visual field. Only a limited number of students accepted from our campus.

VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS

- These are programs in which you travel to Conroe or Oak Ridge for part of your day. An information sheet may be required. Transportation is provided there and back. Course requirements may the extend the normal school day.
- Cosmetology I, II—ORHS
- Auto Technician I, II—Conroe
- Automotive Collision Repair and Refinishing Technology I, II--
Conroe

COURSES REQUIRING INTEREST SHEETS

- Some vocational courses
- Instructional Practices in Education and Training and Practicum in Education and Training(childcare lab)
- AP Art 2-D and 3-D, and Art Photography courses
- Trainer
- Practicum in Health Sciences I and II
- Newspaper II and above
- Yearbook II and above
- Office Aide
- Off-Campus P.E.

New CTE (Career Technology Education) Courses

- Many new, exciting courses replacing previous listings
- Previous courses have new names
- Integration of technology into programs
- Carefully review course descriptions
- Some previous .5 credit courses now 1.0 credit courses
- Technology requirement courses notated on the course selection sheet with a “T”
- Current 9th graders do not have technology requirement

What is the schedule for registration?



- Meet with students during February to review registration materials and instructions. Ask questions in the cafeteria at Counselors' Corner during all lunches.
- Parent Meetings @ 7PM on February 8th –senior campus auditorium. Electives fair with course information too!
- Parent and Student Help Night, 4-7PM on February 24th –senior campus cafeteria.
- Current 9th grade sheets due Feb.28th to 4th period teacher.
- Upperclassmen Course Selection Sheets due to your counselor when you meet individually, Feb. 9-March 11. Your teachers will give you the date of your counselor meeting.
- All course selection sheets must be received no later than Friday, March 11th but will be collected earlier at counselor appointment.
- Receive Verification Sheet in April. Submit changes if needed.
- Any changes must be submitted in writing and signed by a parent **by May 13th**.



OFF-CAMPUS P.E.

- Forms and approval required.
- Must be approved by May 13.
- Club Sports—Rugby, lacrosse, field hockey, ice hockey, roller hockey all receive $\frac{1}{2}$ credit for the whole year.
- District approved facilities (Olympic-type sports) receive $\frac{1}{2}$ credit for each 18 week period.
- Time sheets must be submitted to the Off-campus P.E. counselor every 3 weeks and are subject to U.I.L. eligibility.

Fall Semester 2011

- Schedules will be handed out in the middle of August at Orientation.
- Review the schedule carefully—make sure there is not an error. NOTE: changing your mind is not considered an error. Errors include: courses previously passed, academic misplacement, or courses for which the prerequisites have not been met.
- If you need to have your schedule balanced, call your counselor immediately. Do not wait until after school starts.
- Paperwork for parking (juniors and seniors) will be submitted during orientation. Yearbook pictures and I.D.s will also be taken.



IMPORTANT POINTS

- Be sure you do your required summer reading! Don't depend on having English scheduled in the Spring. You will be given a test over this material on the first or second day of class.
- All schedule changes must be made in writing with parent signature no later than May 13th, unless there is a failing grade at the end of the year or if a required course has been omitted by mistake.



What should current Juniors be doing in the college search at this point?

- Sign up for the SAT or ACT . 60% of the current juniors can receive a voucher for a free SAT or ACT during the last two test administration dates for this school year. Vouchers are available in the College and Career Center, room 254, and are first come, first served. If you have already paid for one of these test dates, a refund is available until March 15th only.
- Go to the College and Career Center and pick up a free online test prep code. These, as well as courses through CISD, are available to help all students prepare for the SAT and/or ACT.

Begin to research colleges and narrow your college choice to 5 – 7 schools. Important factors to consider are location, size, climate, available majors and cost.

Counselors are meeting with all juniors in individual conferences. These will resume later in March after the registration process is completed. Ask your child if he/she has had a junior conference as yet. Ask to see the junior/senior handbook. This is a valuable tool in the college search process.

Go to the Counselors' Corner website as well as begin to utilize Family Connection.

To Log on to Family Connection

- Go go <http://connection.naviance.com/thewoodlands>
- Enter registration code
- You will be prompted to enter your email address and a password

Your email address and the password you select will be used to log on to Family Connection once you register. Both the student and parent can have an account.

Be sure to bookmark the website or save it to your desktop!

College Readiness

- Utilize the valuable information provided with the PSAT/NMSQT results
- My College QuickStart and My Road available through www.Collegeboard.com
- Registration codes valid until graduation. This code is listed several places on the PSAT score report.

Counselor Divisions 2010-2011

- A-Chal Kelly Stewart
- Cham-Flan Tracie Breidenthal
- Flao-Johns Suzanne Smith
- Johnsa-Mayo Laura Willard
- Mayp-Pic Jane Iribarren/Lyda Salmons
- Pid-Srn Allison Chambers
- Sro-Z Kathy Dudek

- College and Career Sheredian Vickers
- Lead Counselor Denise Cipolla

TWHS Website

The TWHS website is
www.twhs.conroeisd.net/ .

We have a Counselor's Corner on this site where our parent presentations, handbooks, and other resources are uploaded throughout the year.

**THANK YOU
FOR ATTENDING**

