

DSHS Course Selection Quick Guide (2022-23)

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ENGLISH COURSES

English I

English 1
Honors English 1
GT Honors English 1

English II

English 2
Honors English 2
GT Honors English 2

English III

English 3
AP English 3
GT AP English 3
ACC English 3
UT On-Ramps Rhetoric English III

English IV

English 4
AP English 4
GT AP English 4
ACC English 4 (fall)

Electives

Creative Writing (not a state ELA credit)
Advanced Creative Writing II (not a state ELA credit)
Advanced Creative Writing III (not a state ELA credit)
Debate I, II, III, IV (not a state ELA credit)
ACC Speech (9-12) (spring) (not a state ELA credit)

SOCIAL STUDIES COURSES

World Geography
Honors World Geography (no GT option)
AP Human Geography
GT AP Human Geography

World History
Honors World History
AP World History
US History
AP US History
ACC US History (required)
UT OnRamps US History
US Government
AP US Government (no GT option)
ACC US Government (fall)
Economics
AP Macroeconomics (no GT option)

Electives

ACC US History (elective)
Bible Literacy (10-12) (1 sem.)
Psychology (10-12) (1 sem.)
AP Psychology (10-12)
ACC Psychology (10-12) (fall)
Sociology (10-12) (1 sem.)
ACC Sociology (10-12) (spring)
ACC Texas Government (12) (spring)

SCIENCE COURSES

Biology
Honors Biology
AP Biology
IPC
Chemistry
Honors Chemistry
AP Chemistry
Physics
Honors Physics (no GT option)

AP Physics I & II (11-12)
UT OnRamps GeoScience (11-12)
Aquatic Science (11-12)
Astronomy (11-12)
AP Environmental Science (11-12) (no GT option)
Environmental Science (11-12)
Adv. Biotechnology 1 (10-12)
Adv. Biotechnology 2 (11-12)
Honors Anatomy & Physiology (11-12)
Forensic Science (11-12)

Electives

Organic Chemistry (not state science credit)

MATHEMATICS COURSES

Algebra I
Honors Algebra I (no GT option)
Geometry
Honors Geometry
Algebraic Reasoning
Algebra II
Honors Algebra II
UT OnRamps Algebra II
Advanced Quantitative Reasoning
PreCalculus
Honors Precalculus
UT OnRamps PreCalculus
UT OnRamps Statistics
UT OnRamps Algebra II
AP Statistics
AP Calculus AB (no GT option)
AP Calculus BC
Multivariable Calculus (elective)

GT Sections are available in all Honors and AP core classes unless otherwise noted

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WORLD LANGUAGE COURSES

Spanish I
Spanish II
Honors Spanish II
Spanish III
Honors Spanish III
ACC OnRamps Spanish III/IV
AP Spanish IV
AP Spanish V
German I
Honors German II
Honors German III
AP German IV
Latin I
Latin II
Honors Latin II
Honors Latin III
Honors Latin IV
ASL I
ASL II
Honors ASL II

Electives

Greek and Roman Mythology (semester)
Greek and Roman Films (semester)

HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCE

CAREER AND COLLEGE READINESS

G.P.S - Goals for Personal Success (9th only)
ACC Effective Learning (1 semester class -
requires ACC registration) (9-12)
Test Prep (fee of \$799 to MTAT) (11-12)

EDUCATION

Principles of Education (9-10)
Advanced Education (10-11)
Instructional Practices (11-12)
Cornerstone in Education (12)

LAW & GOVERNMENT

ACC Speech (1 semester class - requires ACC
registration)
Debate I-IV
Principles of Government (9-11)
Planning and Governance (10-12)
Cornerstone in Law & Gov't (12)

LEADERSHIP

Student Leadership I & II (requires application)
PALS I & II (requires application)

APPLIED SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

ENGINEERING

Principles of Applied Engineering (9-12)
Principles of Engineering I for Women (9-12)
Engineering I-II (10-12)
CAD I-II
Robotics I-II
Cornerstone in Engineering
Fundamentals of Computer Science (9-12)
Computer Programming I & III
AP Computer Science A
Independent Study in Tech Apps (12)

WELDING

Principles of Agriculture
Welding I-III
Cornerstone in Welding

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Principles of Auto Technology
Auto Tech I-III
Cornerstone in Auto Technology

NATURAL SCIENCES

VETERINARY & ANIMAL SCIENCE

Principles of Agriculture (9-12)
Professional Standards in Agribusiness (10-12)
Wildlife Management (9-12)
Equine Science (1 semester class)(10-12)
Small Animal (1 semester class) (10-12)
Livestock Production (10-12)
Advanced Animal Science (11-12)
Vet Cornerstone (12)

MEDICAL & HEALTH SCIENCE

Principles of Health Science (9-10)
Health Science Theory (10-12)
Health Science Practicum (11-12)
Medical Terminology (9-12)
Personal Trainer (12)
Medical Assistant (12)
Pharmacology (12)
Anatomy & Physiology (11-12)
Cornerstone in Medicine (12)

Kinesiology (not state science credit) (10-12)

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BUSINESS ENTREPRENEURSHIP

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Principles of Business (9-10)
Financial Markets (10-12)
Marketing and Advertising (10-12)
Business Entrepreneurship (11-12)
Cornerstone in Business (12)

FINANCIAL LITERACY

Personal Financial Literacy (10-12)

REAL ESTATE

Principles of Real Estate (11-12)
Real Estate Seminar (12)

CAREER PREP

Career Prep I (11-12) (application required)
Career Prep II (12) (application required)

EVENT PLANNING AND HOSPITALITY

FLORAL DESIGN

Floral Design (9-12)
Advanced Floral Design (10-12)

HOSPITALITY

Principles of Hospitality and Tourism (10-12)
Cornerstone in Hospitality (12)

FINE ARTS, DESIGN & COMMUNICATION

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Principles of A/V Tech (Fine Art Credit) (9)
A/V I-II (10-12)
Cornerstone in A/V Tech (12)
Animation I (Fine Art Credit) (10-12)
Animation II (11-12)
Cornerstone in Animation (12)

Principles of Journalism
Yearbook (application required)
Newspaper (application required)
Graphic Design (10-12)

FINE ARTS - VISUAL

Art I
Honors Art I
2D Studio Art II
Honors 2D Studio Art II
3D Studio Art II
AP Art
Photography I-IV (application required)

FINE ARTS - PERFORMING

Treble Choir (9th girls)
Tenor Bass Choir (boys)
Bella Choir (10-12)
Chamber Choir (audition required)
Jazz Cats (audition required)
Jazz Orchestra (audition required)
Camerata Orchestra
Sinfonietta Orchestra
Band
Color Guard
JV Color Guard
Dance I-IV
Dance for Athletes
Drill Team (10-12)
JV Drill Team
Applied Music (application required)
Theater 1-4
Tech Theater 1-4

Intermediate Theater (audition required)
Advanced Theater Production (application & audition required)
Musical Theater I-IV

PE & ATHLETICS

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Tiger Fit
Weights and Conditioning
Athletic Trainer I
Dance 1 PE
Musical Theatre

ATHLETICS (requires tryout)

Baseball (10-12)
Cheer
Cross Country (10-12)
Football
Volleyball
Golf
Swimming
Women's Basketball
Men's Basketball
Women's Soccer
Men's Soccer
Softball
Track (10-12)
Tennis (single blocked)
Wrestling