

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Student Number: _____

Western High School

Grade 9 Course Selections 2024-2025

Directions:

1. Have your **CURRENT** schedule available (teacher and course name). You can access this information via Virtual Counselor with the following link using your student number as the User ID and the Password is a "P" followed by your birthday in the following format – DD/MM/YYYY
 - a. <https://www.browardschools.com/virtual-counselor>
2. Review this Course Card, discuss options with your teachers and parents, and carefully consider which courses will help you be most successful next year.
3. Have teachers initial course selections on the course cards.
4. Use this course card to choose 7 courses. (8th course is personalization) Make note of the course titles and numbers.
5. **Must have:** English, Math, Science, Social Studies, three electives and a personalization period/study hall.
6. It is recommended that students satisfy their Physical Education graduation requirement during their 9th grade year. This can be accomplished by :
 - a. Option 1: 1.0 Credit Physical Education to include integration of Health (**HOPE**)
 - b. Option 2: 0.5 Credit Personal Fitness; and 0.5 Credit PE Elective (may be satisfied thru **Marching Band**)
 - c. Option 3: Complete 2 full years of **JROTC** Option
 - d. Option 4: Complete 2 full seasons of a Junior Varsity or Varsity Sport
7. It is recommended that students satisfy their Performing/Fine Arts credit as early as possible. For the best results, students should join beginning-level Performing/Fine Arts in 9th grade, so they may be placed in advanced performing classes in 10th, 11th, and 12th grade if desired.
8. **Must select 3 Alternate Courses**
9. **Meet with a WHS Counselor to review and approve your schedule.**

STUDENTS/PARENTS: The courses you are selecting will be used for scheduling next year's classes. Give each choice careful consideration as schedule changes will not be permitted due to the Class Size Reduction Legislation and Mandate. Understand that the courses selected are for a full year. Courses in Business, Band, Orchestra, Color Guard, Chorus, Debate, JROTC & STEM, WILL require participation beyond the regular school day (Saturdays and/or evening performances or competitions). Choose carefully.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**WESTERN HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMAN SHOWCASE
ACADEMIC ELECTIVES/ATHLETICS/CLUBS
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH, 2024 AT
6:00 P.M.**

**Hear a message from your proud principal Mr. Arrojo!
Meet our School Counseling Staff!
Learn about high school graduation requirements!
Get Information about Courses, Clubs and Athletic Teams!**

2/16/2024 – Course Selection Card due to social studies teacher

2/20/2024-2/21/2024 Indian Ridge Registration/Scheduling takes place through social studies classes. (WHS School Counseling Department will meet one-on-one with every incoming student)

2/23/2024 – Tequesta Trace Registration/Scheduling takes place through social studies classes. (WHS School Counseling Department will meet one-on-one with every incoming student)

BE AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING SYMBOLS AS YOU REVIEW THE COURSE SELECTION OPTIONS:

*EOC Courses – Placement will be based on released test results. Adjustments will be made to course selection at that time.

**All students currently in a reading class will be scheduled into a reading class until FAST ELA results are released.

***Needs Teacher Approval

^ Application necessary (will be provided at registration)

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ENGLISH (EN)		
English 1	10013100	
AICE English General Paper ***	10094000	
MATHEMATICS (MA)		
Algebra 1A	12003700	
Algebra 1*	12003100	
Algebra 1 Honors ***	12003200	
Geometry*	12063100	
Geometry Honors***	12063200	
Algebra 2	12003300	
Algebra 2 Honors***	12003401	
SCIENCE (SC)		
Environmental Science	20013400	
Biology Honors***	20003201	
Chemistry Honors***	20033500	
SOCIAL STUDIES (SS)		
Financial Literacy/ Entrepreneurship Small Bus.	21023710	
Financial Literacy Honors/ Entrepreneurship Small Bus.	21023730	
AP Human Geography (FAST 5) Will need to satisfy Fin Lit requirement for grad. ***	21034000	
INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS		
STEM: Solar 1 Hon	2002340S	
STEM: Rocketry 1 Hon	2002340K	
STEM: Robotics 1 Hon	2002340R	
WORLD LANGUAGES (EL)		
American Sign Language 1	07173000	
American Sign Language 2***	07173100	
French 1	07013200	
French 2***	07013300	
Spanish 1	07083400	
Spanish 2***	07083500	
Spanish 3 Honors***	07083600	
Spanish Speakers 1	07093000	
Spanish Speakers 2***	07093100	
Spanish Speakers 3 Honors***	07093200	
ACADEMIC ELECTIVES (EL)		
Debate 1 Honors	1007330D	
Debate 2 Honors***	1007340J	
Journalism 1	1006300A	
Student Government 1 ^	24003000	
CAMBRIDGE: (Elective Credit) AICE Thinking Skills	17003720	
J.R.O.T.C. (EL)		
JROTC 1 Emerging Leaders	18013000	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION (EL)		
HOPE (Health & PE)	30260100	
PERFORMING ARTS/FINE ARTS (EL)		
Art		
2D Studio Art 1	01013000	
3D Art Sculpture	01013300	
Drama		
Introduction to Drama	04003000	
Musical Theatre 1	04007000	
Theatre, Cinema, & Film Production/Evaluation (Honors)	04006601	
Stage Management/Directing	04005000	
Band		
Beginning Band	13024600	
Guitar/Drums	13013200	
Band I (Double Block) ***	13023000	
	13023600	
Dance/ Color Guard	13053000	

Chorus		
Chorus 1 / Vocal Music 1	13033000	
Chorus 1 Honors / Vocal Music 1 Honors	13034300	
Music Technology and Sound		
Music Technology & Sound Production/Engineering 1	13043000	
CAREER & TECHNICAL (ELECTIVES)		
Digital Design		
Digital Design 1	82095100	
Intro to Computer		
Digital Information Technology	82073100	
Horticulture Science and Services		
Agri-science Foundations 1 Honors	81068100	
Medical Skills and Services		
Medical Skills & Services	84003200	
Pathways to Engineering		
Principles of Engineering Honors	86005200	
Computer Programming		
Advanced Information Tech Honors	90076100	
Business Management and Analysis		
Business	82151200	
Culinary Arts		
Culinary Arts 1	88005100	
OTHER ELECTIVE CREDITS		
Reading** (All 1-2 ELA FAST)	1000412A	
Developmental Lang (ELL)	10023811	
ESE: Learning Strategies	79630800	
Personalization Period		
Personalization (Required)	22003000	XXXXXXXX
ALTERNATE COURSES		
List 3 alternate elective choices below and choose them wisely. Should scheduling conflicts or cancellations occur, these alternates would be substituted in your schedule.		
ALTERNATE COURSES: PLEASE PRINT COURSE NAME & NUMBER:		
Course Name	Course Number	
Alternate 1		
Alternate 2		
Alternate 3		