



Washington Township High School
Counseling Department

Scheduling Advisement

*FOR
CLASSES OF
2026 TO 2029*



WTHS School Counselors



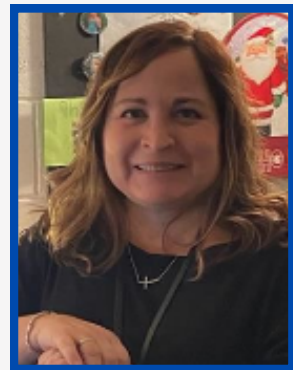
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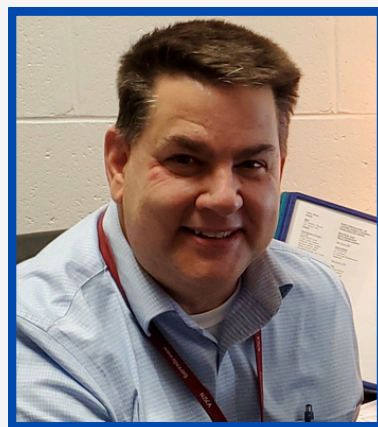
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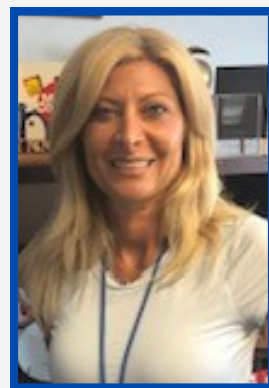
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Mrs. Williams

Become self-aware by asking...

- What subjects do I like best?
- What electives would I enjoy?
- What activities do I want to be involved in?
- Am I doing what I need to for graduation?
- Do I have a plan for after high school?



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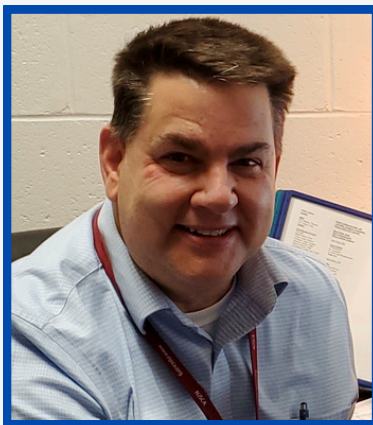
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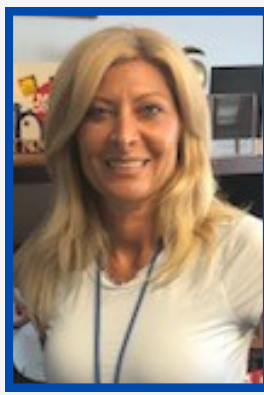
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Make responsible decisions by...

- *Having conversations with your teachers, parents, siblings, or friends before selecting your courses.*
- *Meeting with your counselor to create a Personalized Student Learning Plan that includes your accomplishments such as course/credits, GPA, standardized tests, extracurricular activities, and future goals.*




Let's celebrate you being you!



Customizing Your Plan

- Here is a sample of your **WTHS Personalized Student Learning Plan (PSLP)** where you can design your future:



WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

School Counseling Department

856-589-8500 Ext. 7419

Middle School:

Student:

Telephone:

2025-2026 Personalized Student Learning Plan

NJ State Minimum Graduation Requirements by Content Area indicated below:

G R A D E	ELA 4 yrs	SOCIAL STUDIES 3 yrs 1 yr WH 2 yrs US	MATH 3 yrs 1 yr Al 1 yr Ge	SCIENCE 3 yrs 1 yr Bio	WORLD LANG. 1 yr	PHYSICAL ED. & HEALTH 4 yrs	FINANCIAL LITERACY	VISUAL or PERFORM. ARTS 1 yr	21 st CENTURY 1 yr	ALT., 8 th CLASS, OTHER	CREDITS PLANNED 120 Total Required	T O T A L
9	ENG. 9	WORLD	MATH	SCIENCE	W.L.	PE H 9	Junior Year					
Units	/4	/3	/3	/3	/1							

4-year colleges will require additional courses and a minimum of 16 academic units

POSTSECONDARY GOALS:

TESTING: NJSIA (Spring) ELA Math AP (May, if applicable)

COUNSELING WEBPAGE: ☐ Naviance ☐ NHS – 90.0 weighted GPA or higher EXTRACURRICULAR:

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We wish your child success during this process!

- Access our 2025-2026 Program of Studies on www.wtpps.org/wthscounseling > Scheduling Advisement – Students should meet course recommendations listed
- Special education students will create their schedules with their counselor and their case manager will finalize
- Student-Athletes must refer to the NCAA requirements on www.eligibilitycenter.org ☐ NJSIAA Eligibility 30/15 ☐ NCAA
- No course changes after May 1, 2025 – Review final courses with your child via Genesis Course Verification by April 28th

Scheduling Counselor Name: Date:

* = Weighted course
+ = Dual credit eligible

PHYSICAL EDUCATION / HEALTH

11109 Physical Education 9

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

111 Honors English 9*

112 CP English 9

116 English Essentials

151 Creative Writing

171 Journalism 1

100 English Second Language

SOCIAL STUDIES

210 AP World History*+

211 Honors World History*

212 CP World History

241 CP US Government & Pol

249 CP Sociology & Contem Iss+

253 CP Humanitarian Studies/Soc Justice+

254 CP BIPOC+

AFJROTC

290 AFJROTC

MATHEMATICS

311 Honors Algebra 2*

322 Geometry A

305 CP Algebra 1

317 Essentials for Algebra

336 Introduction to Computer Science*+

SCIENCE

456 Physical Science

484 CP Energy in the Enviro

421 Honor Biology*

485 CP Biology

WORLD LANGUAGES

517 French 1

518 French 2

511 French 3

527 German 1

528 German 2

521 German 3

537 Spanish 1

538 Spanish 2

531 Spanish 3

VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

765/768 VPA Appreciation-Visual & Perf Arts

VISUAL ARTS

743 Experiencing Visual Art

711 Studio Art 1

712 Studio Art 2

706 Digital Arts Foundation

752 Animation 1

756 Digital Illustration

730 Digital Photography 1

759 Ceramics 1

726 Jewelry and Decorative Arts 1

722 Multi-Cultural Art and Design 1

PERFORMING ARTS

772 Music Theory 1

784 Music Technology 1

707 Keyboard 1

708 Keyboard for the Musician

764 Guitar 1

793 Dance 1

780 Band Activities

791 Marching Band

782 Choral Activities

789 Orchestra Activities

761 Exploring the Theater+

715 Theatre Academy 1

BUSINESS

610 Intro to Business/Careers

630 Principles of Marketing+

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

820 Intro to Culinary Arts 1

842 Early Childhood Development 1

844 Housing and Interior Design

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION

910 Intro to Engineering Technology

911 Material Processing & Production Syst

917 Video Game Des

925 Intro to TV Production+

941 Electrical Technology 1

943 Graphic Design I

949 Robotics Engineering

LUNCH & STUDY HALL

9001 Lunch

9999 Study Hall


Elective – Rank Order Course #:

1.

2.

3.

4.



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10	ENG. 10	US HIS. 1	MATH	SCIENCE		PE H 10 Dr.Ed.						
11	ENG. 11	US HIS. 2	MATH	SCIENCE		PE H 11	FIN. LIT. School-5 Online-2.5					
12	ENG. 12					PE H 12						
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POSTSECONDARY GOALS:

GPA:

NHS: 90.0 weighted GPA or higher

☐ Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) - New Jersey graduation requirement discussion

TESTING: PSAT/NMSQT (Oct.) AP (May)

SAT or ACT Accuplacer

State Assessments: NJSIA ELA Y N Math Y N Science Y N
NJGPA ELA Math - New Jersey graduation requirement

COUNSELING WEBPAGE: ☐ Career & College Planning ☐ Naviance ☐ Dual Credit: CCC, NJCU, RCSJ, SU ☐ ACT & SAT

EXTRACURRICULAR:

NOTES: ☐ Social-Emotional/Wellness ☐ Other

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Counselor Name: Date: Counselor Email:

Types of Courses:

- CP = College Preparatory
- H = Honors*
- AP = Advanced Placement*

Weighted Courses*:

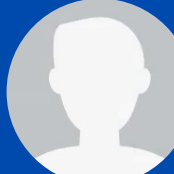
- Honors* = 6
- AP* = 10

Grade Point Average (GPA):

- 100-point scale

National Honor Society:

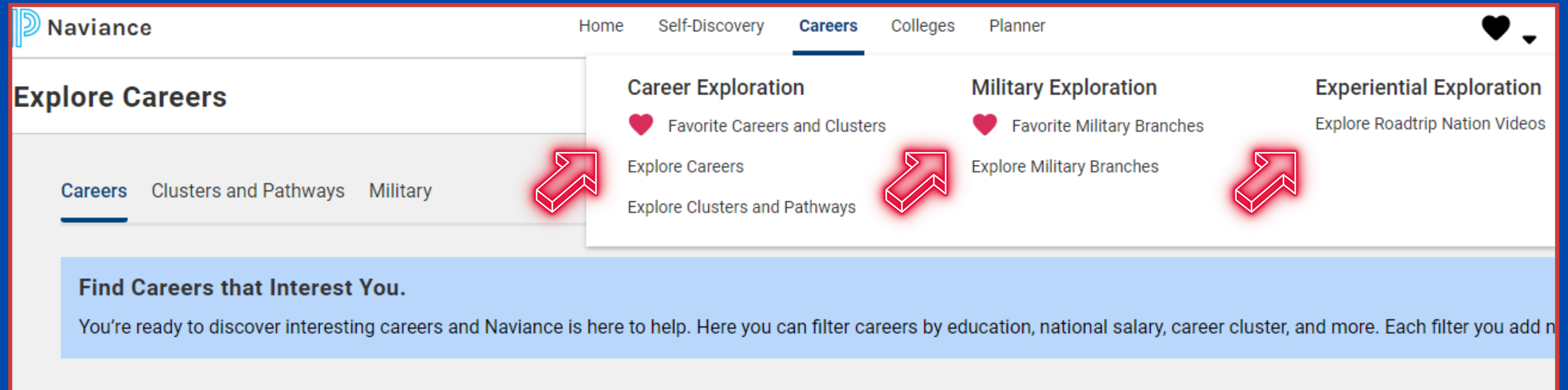
- 90.0 or above weighted GPA without rounding up



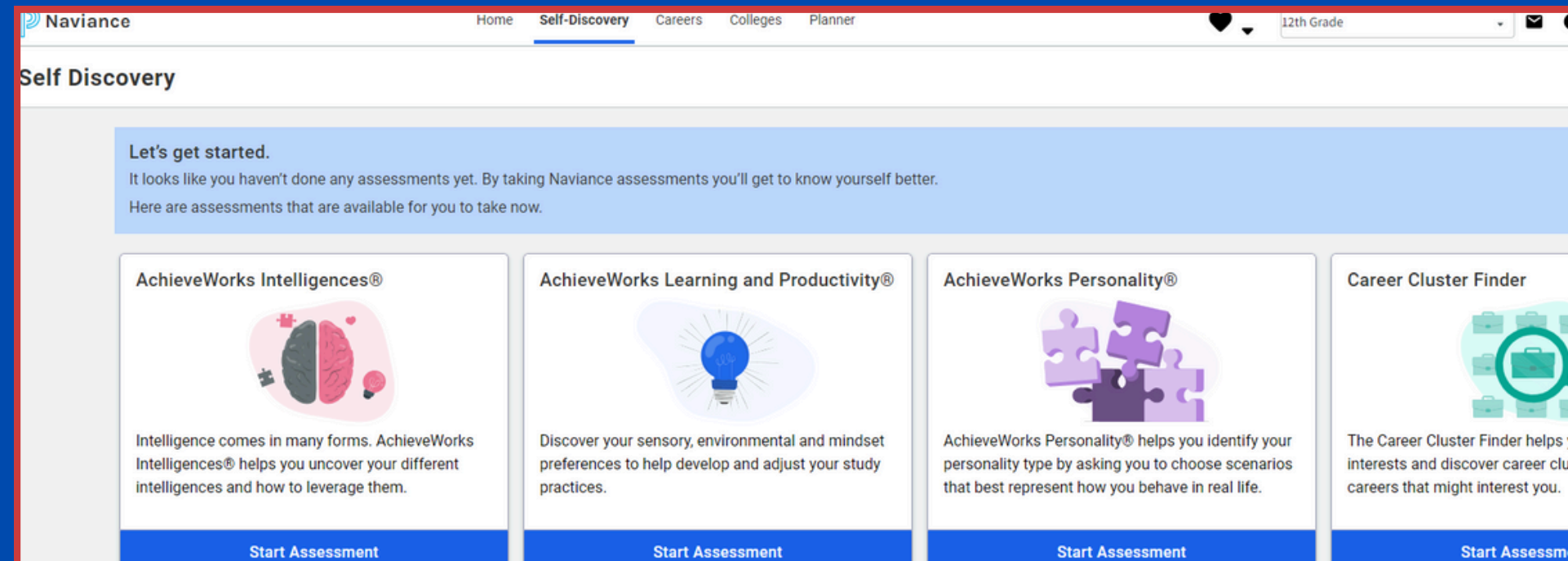
Customizing Your Plan

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- Students will select classes that match your interests – Use **Naviance** to assist you:
 - Login > **Careers** > Career Exploration, Military Exploration, or Experiential Exploration



- Login > **Self-Discovery** > Career Cluster Finder or Career Interest Profiler or Career Key > Start Assessment



How to Self-Manage Your Plan...

- NJ requires acquiring at least 120 credits for graduation
- NJ requires passing a standardized test such as the NJGPA during junior year for graduation
- NJ requires completion of the Free Assistance of Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) during senior year
- WTHS requires maintaining at least six classes per semester
- WTHS requires adhering to attendance and discipline code of conduct
- NJ requires student-athletes meeting NJSIAA eligibility and colleges require meeting NCAA eligibility





New Jersey Test Requirements

[Note: Waiting for NJDOE update]

Classes of 2023–2025 High School Graduation Assessment Requirements

Class of 2023 (Updated July 2022)

On Tuesday, July 5, 2022, Governor Murphy signed P.L.2022, c.60 (ACS for A-3196/S-2349), which requires the State Board of Education to administer the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA) as a field test for the class of 2023. There is no graduation assessment requirement for any student who is expected to graduate with the class of 2023. Students in the class of 2023 must still meet all the other State and local graduation requirements, including but not limited to credit, curriculum, and attendance requirements. The graduation assessment requirements for the classes of 2024 and 2025 remain in place.

Class of 2024 and 2025 (Updated May 2023)

On May 3, 2023, the State Board of Education approved the graduation ready cut score for the ELA and mathematics components of the NJGPA, as well as the menu of alternative assessments and aligned cut scores.

The requirements in this section were adopted by the New Jersey State Board of Education on September 8, 2021 for the classes of 2023–2025.

English Language Arts and Literacy (ELA)

If, after completing the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11, students did not demonstrate proficiency by passing the ELA component, such students may access the following pathways:

- **Second Pathway:** By meeting the designated cut score on a substitute competency test such as the PSAT, SAT, ACT, or ACCUPLACER; or
- **Third Pathway:** By submitting, through the district, a student portfolio appeal to the New Jersey Department of Education.

Mathematics

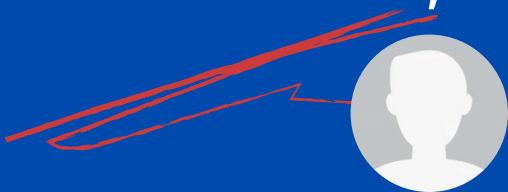
If, after completing the required New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11, students did not demonstrate proficiency by passing the mathematics component, such students may access the following pathways:

- **Second Pathway:** By meeting the designated cut score on a substitute competency test such as the PSAT, SAT, ACT, or ACCUPLACER; or
- **Third Pathway:** By submitting, through the district, a student portfolio appeal to the New Jersey Department of Education.



Prepare to Meet With Your School Counselor by...

- Speaking to teachers and your parents about course options
- Talking with your siblings and friends about their experiences
- Reviewing the **Program of Studies** on WTHS Counseling Webpage under Scheduling Advisement to understand courses, sequencing, etc.
- Considering course level change for a good challenge and review teacher and course recommendations
- Understanding weighted grading procedures for Honors and Advanced Placement
- Knowing Dual Credit courses to earn college credits while taking high school courses
- Exploring your Naviance account to see possible careers, schools, and post-graduation choices
- Coming to your appointment on time with questions about specific classes, general interests, and post-graduation ideas



WTHS Career Academy Programs



- AFJROTC
- Business Administration & Finance
- Early Childhood Education
- Culinary Creations
- Engineering (STEM)
- Marketing & Marketing Management
- TV Production & Broadcast Journalism
- Visual and Performing Arts



DEPARTMENT ELECTIVES

PHYSICAL EDUCATION / HEALTH

Careers in Health & Fitness

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Creative Writing (Sem)

Journalism 1 (Sem)

Journalism 2*

Journalism 3*

Journalism 4*

Contemporary Literature (Sem)

Film as Literature (Sem)

SOCIAL STUDIES

AP World History*+

CP Black and Indigenous Comm+

CP Humanitarian Studies+

CP Sociology & Contemp Issues+

CP US Government & Politics

AP US Government & Politics*+

CP Economics

AP Economics*+

AP Human Geography*+

AP Psychology*+

CP Psychology

MATHEMATICS

CP Pre-Calculus

Honors Pre-Calculus*+

Foundations for Prob, Stat, and Trig

CP Statistics

AP Statistics*+

Data Science

Mathematics for Medical Professionals

Concepts and Applications

Math Explorations and Applications (Sem)

Honors Calculus*+

AP Calculus AB*+

AP Calculus BC*+

Intro to Computer Sci*+

AP Computer Science Java*+

SCIENCE

Fund of Organic Chem

CP Atmospheric & Space Science

Anatomy & Physiology+

CP Marine Biology

Veterinary Science*

Human Biology

AP Biology*+

AP Chemistry*+

AP Physics C*+

AP Physics 1*+

AP Enviro Science*+

CP Forensic Science

CP Biotechnology

WORLD LANGUAGES

French 1, 2, 3

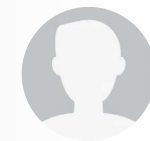
German 1, 2, 3

Spanish 1, 2, 3

*Denotes weighted course

+Denotes dual credit course

Red = Available to Incoming Freshmen



Visual And Performing Arts

VISUAL ARTS

VPA Appreciation - Visual Art /
Performing Art

Experiencing Visual Art

AP History of Art*

Studio Art 1

Studio Art 2

Studio Art 3*

AP Studio Art-Drawing/2D/3D*

AP Art History*

Digital Arts Foundations (A)

Amination 1

Animation 2

Digital Illustration

Digital Photography 1

Digital Photography 2

Ceramics 1

Ceramics 2

Ceramics 3*

Jewelry & Decorative Arts

Jewelry & Decorative Arts 2

Jewelry & Decorative Arts 3*

Multi-Cultural Art & Design

PERFORMING ARTS

GENERAL

Music Theory 1

AP Music Theory 2*

Music Technology 1

Music Technology 2

Keyboard 1

Keyboard 2

Keyboard for the Musician (A)

GUITAR

Guitar 1

Guitar 2

Guitar 3*

DANCE

Dance 1

Dance 2

Dance Production*

Dancer's Studio*

BAND

Concert Band

Symphonic Band

Wind Ensemble*

Marching Band

Jazz Ensemble

CHORUS

Mixed Chorus

Treble Chorus

Bel Canto*

Chorale*

A Capella Choir

ORCHESTRA

Concert Orchestra

Sinfonia

Chamber Orchestra*

THEATRE

Exploring the Theatre+

Theatre Academy 1 (A)

Theatre Academy 2 (A)

Theatre 3+

Theatre 4

*Denotes weighted course

+Denotes dual credit course

A = Academy course only

Red = Available to Incoming
Freshmen





21st Century Life and Careers.

Career and Technical Education (CTE)

AFJROTC

BUSINESS EDUCATION

Principles of Marketing+

Social Media Marketing

Sports and Enter Marketing

Advanced Marketing

Entrepreneurship+

Intro to Business Careers

Business and Personal Law*

College Level Accounting*+

Managerial Accounting*+

Business Adm & Mgmt+

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

Culinary Arts 1

Culinary Arts 2

Culinary Arts 3

Independent Study: Culinary

Early Childhood Development 1+

Childhood Development 2+

Foundation of Early Childhood+

Teaching Methods for Early Childhood+

Future Educators+

Independent Study: Child Development

Housing & Interior Design

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION

Intro to Engineering Technology

Material Processing and Production Systems

Advanced Material Processing and Production Systems

Video Game Design

Introduction to TV Production+

Podcasting 101

TV Broadcasting & Studio Production

Adv TV Broadcasting & Video Production

Field Production

Principles of Engineering & Tech Design+

Architecture Design Systems+

Advanced Applications in Engineering+

Electrical Technology

Graphic Design I

Graphic Design II

Construction Technology 1

Electrical Technology 2

Robotics Engineering

Engineering Design - Capstone*

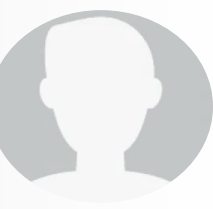
Graphic Design III

Field Production and Filmmaking


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Cohort / Grade Level Status

Credits Needed for Promotion	
	Class of 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029 (120 total credits required by New Jersey)
Incoming Freshmen	Completion of middle school
Freshmen	24 credits* *30 credits if you are a student-athlete to meet NJSIAA eligibility
Sophomore	54 credits
Junior	80 credits
Senior	120 total credits to graduate <ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Jersey test requirements• Completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)



WTHS Sample Final Transcript

Washington Township Public Schools		
Washington Township High School		
519 Hurffville-Cross Keys Road Sewell, NJ 08080		
Telephone: (856) 589-8500 Fax: (856) 582-6205 www.wtps.org		
CEEB Code	School Counselor	
311364		
Entry Date	Withdrawal Date	Graduation Date
09/01/2012		06/24/2025

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

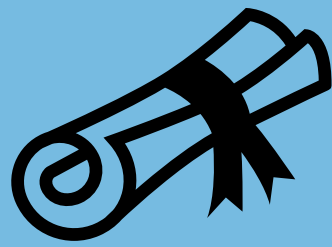


Student Name	
Address	
Sewell, NJ 08080	
Parent / Guardian	
Grade	Birthdate
12	
Student ID	State ID

ACADEMIC RECORD

Grade: 09 School Year: 2021-22			Grade: 10 School Year: 2022-23		
Course	Grade	Credits	Course	Grade	Credits
Honors English 9*	90	5.000	Phys Ed 10	100	2.500
Phys Ed 9	100	3.750	Health 10	100	1.250
Health 9	98	1.250	Driver Education	98	1.250
CP World Hist: The Modern Era	93	5.000	Honors English 10*	92	5.000
Honors Algebra 2*	83	5.000	Hon 1-The Expansion of America*	91	5.000
Honors Biology*	85	6.000	Geometry A	91	5.000
Spanish 2A	94	5.000	Honors Chemistry*	81	6.000
Dance 1	100	5.000	Honors Spanish 3*	93	5.000
Prenatal Development	93	5.000	Dance 2	97	5.000
			Child Development	98	5.000
Weighted GPA: 94.292 Unweighted GPA: Total Credits: 41.000			Weighted GPA: 95.353 Unweighted GPA: Total Credits: 41.000		
Grade: 11 School Year: 2023-24			Grade: 12 School Year: 2024-25		
Course	Grade	Credits	Course	Grade	Credits
Phys Ed 11	100	3.750	Phys Ed 12-Option Two		
Health 11	98	1.250	Health 12-Option Two		
AP English Lang/Comp*	92	5.000	AP English Lit and Comp*		
Hon 2-America on the World Stage*	97	5.000	AP Psychology*		
AP US Govt/Politics*	93	5.000	CP Humanitarian Studies/Soc Injustice		
CP Pre-Calculus	91	5.000	CP Statistics		
CP Forensic Science	98	5.000	AP Spanish*		
Honors Spanish 4*	98	5.000	Principles of Marketing		
Social Media Mkt/Web Page Dev	97	5.000	Entrepreneurship & Strategic Mktg		
Financial Literacy in the 21st Century	98	2.500	Future Educators		
Weighted GPA: 99.117 Unweighted GPA: Total Credits: 42.500			Weighted GPA: Unweighted GPA: Total Credits: 0.000		
Transcript Statistics			Grade Scale		
Cumulative GPA	GPA	Credits Earned	A 90-100	PA Pass	AU Audit
Weighted GPA: 98.289		124.500	B 80-89	FA Fail	ME Medical
Unweighted GPA:			C 70-79	INC Incomplete	NG No Grade
			D 60-69	WT Withdraw Fail	MLL Multi Language Learner
			F 0-59		
			Weighted Courses		
			* Indicates Weighted Course. Grades shown on transcript are unweighted final grades. Six points are added to the final grade for each honors course and 10 points are added to the final grade for each Advanced Placement (AP) course. The final grade for a course must be at least 70 to be applied.		

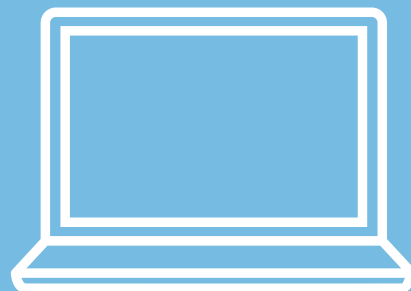
JUNIORS



- Consider your remaining classes, graduation plan, and post-graduation plans
- Focus on your grades
- On Counseling Webpage, follow your **WTHS Junior Year Planning Tools** and **WTHS Postsecondary Planning Guide**
- Visit colleges and career institutions this spring
- Prepare to take the SAT and ACT
 - Visit College Board and ACT for free practice tests and information
 - Attend WTHS SAT Review Sessions
- Build your Naviance Resume and add your activities or employment
- Take the NJGPA and NJSLA to graduate!

SOPHOMORES

- Consider your remaining classes and overall plan
- Focus on your grades for NHS
- Follow your **WTHS Sophomore Year Planning Tools**
- Prepare to take the SAT and ACT
 - Visit College Board and ACT for free practice tests and information
 - Attend WTHS SAT Review Sessions
- Check out Financial Literacy class options
- Build your Naviance Resume and add your activities or employment
- Take the NJSLA!



FRESHMEN

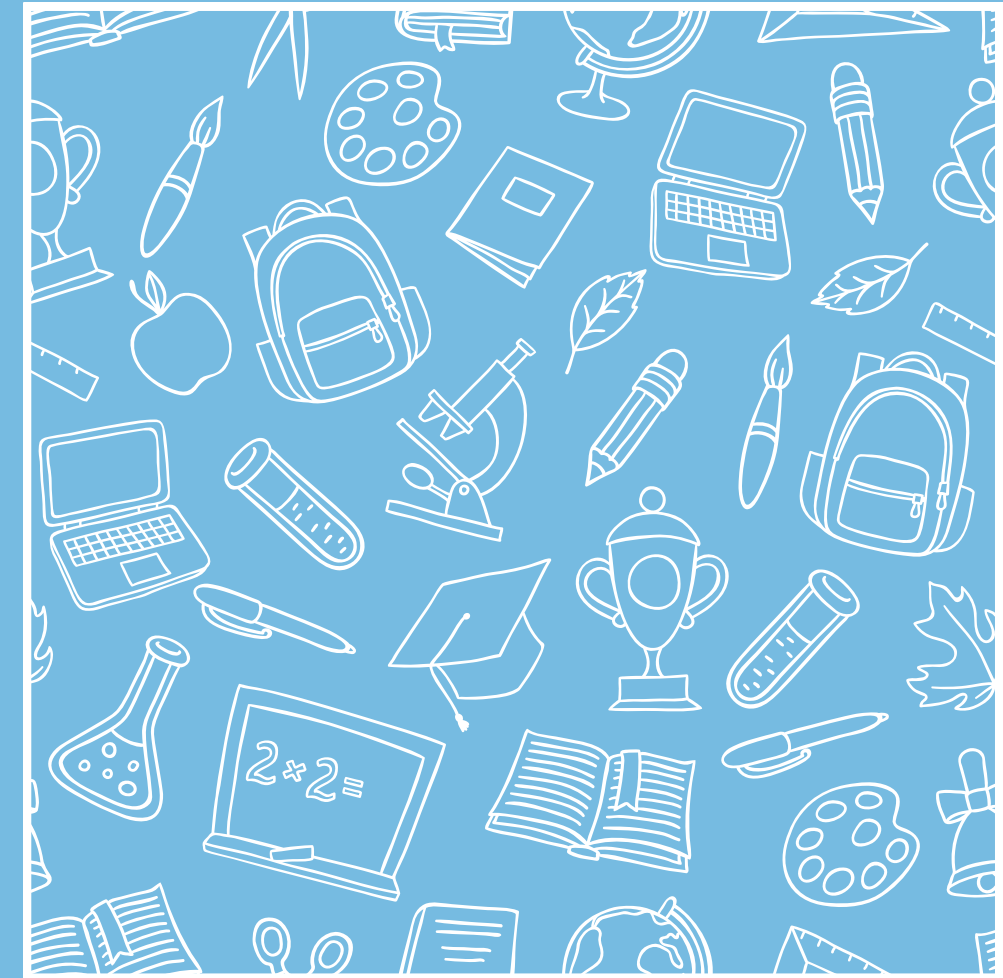


- Consider your remaining classes and overall plan
- Focus on your grades for NHS
- Balance your elective selections and be open to trying something new
- Follow your **WTHS Freshmen Year Planning Tools** form
- Consider new clubs, sports, and community service
- Build your Naviance Resume and add your activities or employment
- Create new relationships
- Take the NJSLA!



INCOMING FRESHMEN

- **Advocate** for yourself and your interests
- Get to know your **school counselor** and ask questions
- Consider applying to one of the **WTHS Career Academy Programs**
- Explore your **Naviance** account
- Create **new relationships**
- Get involved in **clubs, sports, and community service**
- Take the **NJSLA**



Sports

- Baseball
- Bowling
- Boys Basketball
- Boys Cross Country
- Boys Lacrosse
- Boys Soccer
- Boys Swimming
- Boys Tennis
- Boys Track
- Boys Volleyball
- Cheerleading
- Diving
- Field Hockey
- Football
- Girls Basketball
- Girls Cross Country
- Girls Gymnastics
- Girls Lacrosse
- Girls Soccer
- Girls Swimming
- Girls Tennis
- Girls Track
- Girls Volleyball
- Golf
- Softball
- Wrestling

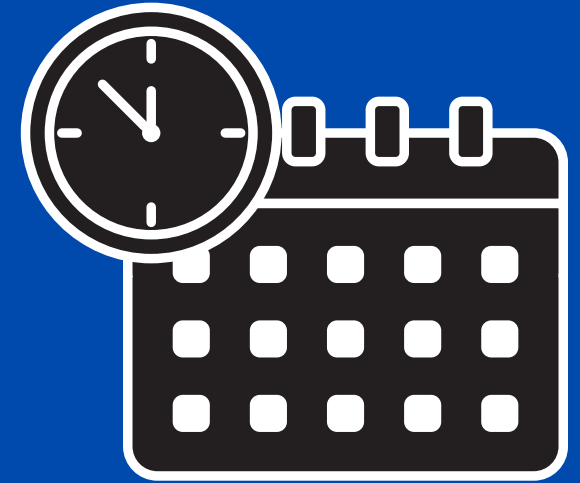


Clubs

- A Cappella Choir
- African American Culture
- All School Productions
- Anti-Defamation League
- Art
- Asian-American
- Athletic Training Student Assistants
- Bible
- Business Education Honor Society
- Dance
- DECA
- Disc Golf
- Drama
- Dungeons & Dragons
- Engineering By Design
- Family Career and Community Leaders of America
- French
- Freshmen Transition
- Freshmen Class Council
- Future Business Leaders of America
- Game
- Gay & Straight Alliance
- German
- Indoor Color Guard
- Interact
- Jazz Band
- Junior/Senior Class Council
- Junior Achievement
- Marching Band
- Math League
- Mock Trial
- Model UN
- Mu Alpha Theta
- Muslim Students Association
- National Honor Art Society
- National English Honor Society
- National Honor Society
- PAWS
- Peer Outreach
- Project Unify
- School Newspaper
- Science League
- Science National Honor Society
- Spanish
- Student Council
- Students Against the Violation of the Earth (SAVE)
- Students in Action
- Students United for Respect and Equality (SURE)
- Tech Crew
- Tri-M Music Honor Society
- Way Off Broadway Players
- Women's Forum
- Yearbook



Scheduling Timeline



- **November 20:** Grade 8 WTHS Open House
- **March 6:** Grade 8 Virtual Presentation by WTHS Counselors
- **February-April:** Grades 8-11 Individual Scheduling Advisement Appointments with your WTHS Counselor & View your Course Verification in Genesis
- **May 1:** Last day to make Course Request Changes
- **Late August:** Schedules available in Genesis





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**WTHS Counselors are
building better people...**
in academic success,
college and career readiness,
and social emotional development

