10th Grade Planning Guide and Course Selection

Troy School District Graduation Requirements

10th Grade | Class of 2026

English (4 credits):
- 9 Literature and Composition 1 and 2 (1.0 credit) *or* Honors English 9 (1.0 credit)
- ==10 Literature and Composition 1 and 2 (1.0 credit) *or* Honors English 10 (1.0 credit)==
- 11 Literature and Composition (0.5 credit) and English elective (0.5 credit) *or* AP English 11 (1.0 credit)
- 12 Literature and Composition 1 and 2 (1.0 credit) *or* AP English 12 (1.0 credit)

Science (3 credits):
- Intro to Biology (1.0 credit)
- ==Chemistry *or* Physics *or* Introductory Physics (1.0 credit each)==
- Science elective (1.0 credit)

Social Science (3 credits):
- World History/Geography 1 (0.5 credit)
- ==American History/Geography 1 and 2 (1.0 credit)==
- Government/Civics (0.5 credit)
- Economics (0.5 credit)
- World History/Geography 2 (0.5 credit) *Seniors Only*

Mathematics (4 credits):
- Algebra 1 (1.0 credit) *or* Honors Algebra 1 (1.0 credit)
- ==Geometry (1.0 credit) *or* Honors Geometry (1.0 credit)==
- Algebra 2 (1.0 credit) *or* Honors Algebra 2 (1.0 credit) *or* Algebra 2 Part A and Algebra 2 Part B (2.0 credits)
- Senior Math OR Math Elective (1.0 credit)

*High school math credits may be earned in middle school, but 4 credits must still be earned in high school.
*A grade earned in middle school will be calculated into the high school GPA.
*A full year of math or math-related credit must be taken during the final year of high school.

Physical Education (1.0 credit):
- Intro to Physical P.E. - 0.5 credit
- P.E. elective - 0.5 credit

Health (0.5 credit)

World Language (2.0 credits):
*These credits can be earned in middle school.
*Credits can be from two different languages.
*The second credit may be substituted with an additional VPAA credit.
*A grade earned in middle school will be calculated into the high school GPA.

Visual, Performing, and Applied Arts (VPAA) (1.0 credit):
*Applied Arts include courses in Business, Life Skills, and Industrial Career and Technical Technology Departments.

The highlighted courses are *Graduation Requirements* to each grade level. Refer to the Curriculum Guide on the Troy High School Counseling Website at http://troycounselingdepartment.weebly.com/

Important Dates	
February 14th – 1st hour	Troy High School scheduling documents will be shared with all students.
February 14th	Recommendation Day - Teachers and students will collaborate on class selections.
February 15th	Make-up Recommendation Day.
February 15th 3pm – 22nd 3pm	Students & families choose courses using the provided planning guide and input selections on PowerSchool. Counselors are available to meet with individual students and/or families by appointment through Sign-up Genius. Links can be found on the respective high school's website.
February 22nd – 3 pm	**DEADLINE FOR INPUTING COURSE SELECTIONS INTO POWERSCHOOL**

Troy High Counseling Scheduling Information - Counselor Assignments

Mr. Tommy Keegan Class of 2026: A - D	Mr. Monty Clary Class of 2026: E - H	Mr. Ali Ali-Ahmed Class of 2026: I -K	Ms. Taylor Young Class of 2026: L – M	Mr. John Le Class of 2026: N - R	Ms. Jesse Allgeier Class of 2026: S	Ms. Shanna Frendt Class of 2026: T - Z

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Please use the Course Planning Worksheet on the previous page to help organize and make your final decisions. Please be sure you have chosen 6 total credits for your preferred schedule and 1.5 total credits for your alternate courses. We ask you to choose alternate courses in the event your preferred courses are not available or offered.

Course Planning Worksheet

Selected Primary Courses "Preferred Schedule"	Credit
Example: 10 English Lit/Comp 1 & 2	1.0
Example: Computer Graphics 1	0.5
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	
8.	
9.	
10.	
11.	
12.	
TOTAL SHOULD EQUAL 6.0	

AT LEAST 3 ALTERNATE ELECTIVES COURSES (if your first choices above are not available)	Credit
Example: Marketing	0.5
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	
TOTAL SHOULD EQUAL *AT LEAST* 1.5	

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We will not collect this form. This is a working document and is designed to help you make your decisions before entering them into PowerSchool. Please refer to the PowerSchool Scheduling Directions or visit https://tinyurl.com/PSScheduling for more information on how to submit your selections into PowerSchool.

ENGLISH

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(100063/200063)	10 English Lit/Comp 1 & 2		1.0
	(100073/200073)	10 Honors English Lit/Comp 1 & 2		1.0
	(101013/201013)	Beginner ELD	ELD	1.0
	(101023/201023)	Intermediate ELD	ELD	1.0
	(101033/201033)	Advanced ELD	ELD	1.0
	(101113/201113)	Bridges to Lit/Comp For ELs	ELD	1.0
	(101103/201103)	EL Tutorial	ELD	1.0
	(000182)	Creative Writing 1		0.5
	(000192)	Creative Writing 2		0.5
	(000492)	Debate 1		0.5
	(000502)	Debate 2		0.5
	(000242)	Modern Shakespeae		0.5
	(000212)	Film & Literature		0.5
	(000232)	Classical Mythology & Drama		0.5
	(000352)	Personal Communication		0.5
	(000392)	Speech 1		0.5
	(000142)	Speech 2		0.5
	(000322)	Sports Literature		0.5
	(000342)	Writing for Broadcasting		0.5
	(100333/200333)	Writing for Publication/Newspaper		1.0
	(100343/200343)	Writing for Publication/Yearbook		1.0
	(009201)	Reading Strategies	IEPT	0.5
	(109303/209303)	English Language Arts 1	IEPT	1.0
	(109573/209573)	English Language Arts 2	IEPT	1.0
	(109163/209163)	Linguistics & Composition A & B	IEPT	1.0

SOCIAL STUDIES

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(102023/202023)	American History/Geography 1 & 2		1.0
	(102013/202013)	American History/Geography AP		1.0
	(002032)	History of American Criminal Law		0.5
	(002102)	Human Rights & The Law		0.5
	(002122)	Intro to Leadership		0.5
	(002125)	Leadership Lab		0.5
	(002222)	LINK		0.5
	(002322)	Political Science		0.5
	(002152)	Psychology 1		0.5
	(002162)	Psychology 2		0.5
	(002182)	Sociology		0.5
	(002422)	LS Economics	ELD	0.5
	(002272/002282)	LS World History/Geography 1 & 2	ELD	1.0

WORLD LANGUAGE

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(100853/200853)	Chinese 1		1.0
	(100873/200873)	Chinese 2		1.0
	(100883/200883)	Chinese 3		1.0
	(100893/200893)	Chinese 4		1.0
	(100813/200813)	Chinese AP		1.0
	(100603/200603)	French 1		1.0
	(100613/200613)	French 2		1.0
	(100623/200623)	French 3		1.0
	(100633/200633)	French 4		1.0
	(100653/200653)	German 1		1.0

WORLD LANGUAGE continued

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(100663/200663)	German 2		1.0
	(100673/200673)	German 3		1.0
	(100823/200823)	Japanese 1		1.0
	(100833/200833)	Japanese 2		1.0
	(100843/200843)	Japanese 3		1.0
	(100863/200863)	Japanese 4		1.0
	(100693/200693)	Spanish 1		1.0
	(100703/200703)	Spanish 2		1.0
	(100713/200713)	Spanish 3		1.0
	(100723/200723)	Spanish 4		1.0

SCIENCE

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(004122/004123)	Chemistry 1 & 2		1.0
	(104243/204243)	Chemistry 2 AP		1.0
	(104213/204213)	Introductory Physics		1.0
	(104223/204223)	Physics 1		1.0
	(104053/204053)	Bio: Anatomy & Physiology		1.0
	(104063/204063)	Genetics, Bacteriology, Biotechnology, Embryology (GBBE)		1.0
	(004212)	Astronomy		0.5
	(104313/204313)	LS Introductory Physics	ELD	1.0

MATH

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(103043/203043)	Algebra 1		1.0
	(103063/203063)	Geometry		1.0
	(103930/203930)	Geometry Honors		1.0
	(103093/203093)	Algebra 2		1.0
	(103183/203183)	Algebra 2 Honors		1.0
	(103263/203263)	Algebra 2 Part A		1.0
	(103233/203233)	Precalculus		1.0
	(103253/203253)	Precalculus Honors		1.0
	(103173/203173)	Calculus AB AP		1.0
	(103203/203203)	Calculus BC AP		1.0
	(103213/203213)	Statistics AP		1.0
	(103023/203023)	College Algebra		1.0
	(003142)	Computer Science 1		0.5
	(003162)	AP Computer Science A		0.5
	(103373/203373)	Computer Science Principles AP		1.0
	(003172)	Cyber Security		0.5
	(103383/203383)	Introduction to Data Science		1.0
	(009632/009642)	Life Skills Math	IEPT	1.0
	(009332/009342)	Math Skills A/B	IEPT	0.5
	(103003/203003)	Integrated Math 1	IEPT	1.0
	(103103/203103)	Integrated Math 2	IEPT	1.0

MULTI-DEPARTMENTAL

X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(102523/202523)	Seminar AP		1.0
	(109910/209910)	Achievement Skills 2A/2B	IEPT	0.5
	(008852)	Health		0.5

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PHYSICAL EDUCATION				
X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(007952)	Intro to Physical Activity 1		0.5
	(007962)	Intro to Physical Activity 2	more competitive	0.5
	(005515)	Beg/Int Tumbling & Gymnastics/Fitness		0.5
	(006162)	Exercise & Life-Long Fitness		0.5
	(005511)	Fall Team Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(008082)	Net Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(005521)	Learn Swim/Beg & Int Swim & Lifetime Fitness		0.5
	(008072)	Lifeguarding/Adv Swim & Lifetime Fitness		0.5
	(006172)	Self Defense		0.5
	(005512)	Spring Team Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(007922)	Weight Training & Aerobics – Fall		0.5
	(007912)	Weight Training & Aerobics – Spring		0.5
	(008014)	Strength & Conditioning		0.5

VPAA– Visual, Performing, Applied Art				
X	Course		Qualification	Credit
ART				
	(006212)	Multi-Media Art		0.5
	(006272)	Ceramics 1		0.5
	(006283)	Advanced Ceramics		0.5
	(006422)	Computer Graphics 1		0.5
	(006433)	Advanced Computer Graphics		0.5
	(006232)	Drawing 1		0.5
	(006243)	Advanced Drawing		0.5
	(006362)	Lettering & Calligraphy		0.5
	(006312)	Metals 1		0.5
	(006323)	Advanced Metals		0.5
	(006252)	Painting 1		0.5
	(006263)	Advanced Painting		0.5
	(007112)	Principles of Photography 1		0.5
	(007114)	Advanced Photography		0.5
	(006222)	Applied Arts and Design		0.5
	(006352)	Cartoons, Comics & Animation		0.5
	(006292)	Sculpture		0.5
BUSINESS				
	(005002)	Accounting 1		0.5
	(005022)	Accounting 2		0.5
	(005052)	Business and Personal Law 1		0.5
	(005062)	Business and Personal Law 2		0.5
	(005231)	Business Entrepreneurship		0.5
	(005122)	Financial Management		0.5
	(005222)	Marketing 1		0.5
	(005252)	Marketing 2/Sales & Soc Media		0.5
	(005223)	Honors Marketing		0.5
	(005182)	Sports/Entertainment Marketing		0.5
	(005272)	Web Page Creation 1		0.5
	(005282)	Web Page Creation 2		0.5
INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY				
	(107003/207003)	Automotive Technology 1	CTE	1.0
	(107294/207294)	Automotive Technology 2	CTE	1.0
	(007072)	Architectural Drawing 1		0.5
	(007082)	Architectural Drawing 2		0.5

VPAA– Visual, Performing, Applied Art Continued				
X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(108713/208713)	Mechatronics 1 A & B		1.0
	(108723/208723)	Mechatronics 2 A & B		1.0
	(107163/207163)	Woodworking Design & Fabrication 1		1.0
	(107173/207173)	Woodworking Design & Fabrication 2		1.0
MUSIC				
	(106023/206023)	Campus Band		1.0
	(106143/206143)	Cadet Band		1.0
	(106013/206013)	Concert Band		1.0
	(106003/206003)	Symphonic Band		1.0
	(106033/206033)	Jazz Ensemble		1.0
	(006042)	Jazz Exploration		0.5
	(006104)	Percussion		0.5
	(006002)	Color Guard		0.5
	(106073/206073)	Concert Orchestra		1.0
	(106093/206093)	Philharmonic Orchestra		1.0
	(106063/206063)	Symphony Orchestra		1.0
	(106113/206113)	Treble Choir		1.0
	(106103/206103)	Concert Choir		1.0
	(106053/206053)	Music Theory AP		1.0
	(006501)	Intro to Music Technology & Recording		0.5
LIFE SKILLS				
	(007292)	Foods and Culture		0.5
	(007282)	Foods 2		0.5
	(007332)	Fashion Design 1		0.5
	(007342)	Fashion Design 2		0.5
	(007242)	Parent/Child Development 1		0.5
	(007262)	Parent/Child Development 2		0.5
	(009862)	Essential Skills for Adulthood		0.5
	(007272)	Personal Money Management		0.5
	(007372)	Stitchery		0.5
THEATRE				
	(000162)	Youth Theatre		0.5
	(000402)	Introduction to Theatre		0.5
	(000412)	Theatre II		0.5
	(000422)	Theatre III		0.5

MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS CAREFULLY- ONCE STUDENT SCHEDULES ARE GENERATED, SCHEDULE CHANGES WILL NOT BE MADE WITHOUT EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES.

REQUIRED ALTERNATES
PLEASE NOTE: A MINIMUM OF FOUR COURSES IS REQUIRED.
Failure to choose alternates can greatly impact your schedule.

Course #	Course Name

FINAL CHECK	
I have selected 6.0 TOTAL CREDITS	
I have selected alternates for my electives	