



9th Grade Planning Guide and Course Selection

Troy School District | Class of 2028

2024-2025 School Year – Troy High School Scheduling Timeline

Important Dates	
3/4 8 am	Counselors to Boulan.
3/4 1:30 pm	Counselors to Baker.
3/5 9 am	Counselors to Smith.
3/20 7 pm	Curriculum Night at Troy High School Auditorium.
3/12 3 pm – 3/22 3 pm	9 th grade students & families choose courses using the scheduling planning guide and input selections on PowerSchool.
3/22 3 pm	DEADLINE FOR INPUTTING COURSE SELECTIONS INTO POWERSCHOOL.
4/3 - Baker & Smith	Counselors will meet with students to finalize scheduling.
4/4 - Boulan Park	Counselors will meet with students to finalize scheduling.
4/5 - Larson	Counselors will meet with students to finalize scheduling.

Troy High Counseling Scheduling Information

Please know these are only tentative counselor assignments. Counselor assignments will be finalized by September 2024.

Mr. Keegan Class of 2028: A - C	Mrs. Sobczynski Class of 2028: D – G	Mr. Ali-Ahmed Class of 2028: H - KAZ	Mrs. Bigelow Class of 2028: KB – MC	Mr. Le Class of 2028: MD - P	Ms. Allgeier Class of 2028: Q - STZ	Mrs. Frenndt Class of 2028: SU - Z
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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/>

Troy School District Graduation Requirements - Class of 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028

DEPARTMENT	REQUIRED CREDITS	REQUIRED COURSES AND CREDITS
English	4.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> English 9 - 1.0 credit English 10 - 1.0 credit (class of 2028+) English 11 Lit/Comp and an English Elective or 11 English AP 1 & 2 - 1.0 credit English 12 Lit/Comp 1 & 2 or 12 English AP 1 & 2 - 1.0 credit
Science	3.0	Class of '27 and '28 Requirements: 3 Years of Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology -1.0 credit Chemistry 0.5 credit/Physics 0.5 credit Earth Science 0.5 credit Science Elective 0.5 credit Current requirements: Class of '25, '26 3 Years of Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology -1.0 credit Chemistry OR Physics -1.0 credit Science Elective -1.0 credit
Mathematics	4.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algebra 1 - 1.0 credit Geometry - 1.0 credit Algebra 2 or Algebra 2 Part A & Algebra 2 Part B - 1.0credit (or may be met through CTE program completion (e.g., OSTC) Math Elective - 1.0 credit *Students must have a math experience in their final year of high-school.
Social Studies	3.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World History/Geography 1 & 2 - 1.0 credit American History/Geography 1 & 2 - 1.0 credit Economics – 0.5 credit Government and Civics - 0.5 credit
Personal Finance	0.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0.5 credit of Personal Finance will be embedded into Economics and is a graduation requirement for all students beginning with the class of 2028. Students must take a TSD Economics or AP Economics course in order to be eligible for this credit.
Physical Education	1.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intro to Physical Activity - 0.5 credit P.E. Elective - 0.5 credit
Health	0.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health - 0.5 credit



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World Language, Fine & Applied Arts, CTE	3.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.0 credits World Language (non-sequential accepted) or 1.0 credit World Language <i>in addition to</i> either 1.0 credit Career Technical Education (CTE) or 1.0 Visual, Performing, or Applied Arts (VPAA) 1.0 credit VPAA *VPAA includes Industrial Technology, Business & Life Skills classes
Online Learning Experience	0.0	A 20-hour on-line learning experience is required for graduation. This is a non-credit requirement embedded in Troy classroom experiences throughout middle and high school.
*State Assessments	0.0	Completion of the State of Michigan required assessments, as administered during high school.
Middle School Students – High School Classes	N/A	Credit bearing high school courses taken prior to high school matriculation will appear on a student’s Troy School District high school transcript including the grades earned for the course. High school courses may be retaken for any reason prior to or concurrent with the next course in sequence. Retaken course grade shall replace initial course grade unless prior administrative approval is granted.
Total Credits needed for Graduation	22.5	All students are required to earn a total of 22.5 credits to be eligible for Troy High School or Troy Athens Diploma.

Please use the Course Planning Worksheet on the previous page to help organize and make your final decisions. Please be sure you have chosen 6.0 total credits for your preferred schedule and 4 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: English 9	1.0
Example: Foods & Culture	0.5
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	
8.	
9.	
10.	
11.	
12.	
TOTAL SHOULD EQUAL 6.0	

AT LEAST 4 ALTERNATE ELECTIVES COURSES (if your first choices above are not available)	Credit
Example: Multi-Media Art	0.5
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	
TOTAL SHOULD EQUAL AT LEAST 2.0	

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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 for more information on how to submit your selections into PowerSchool.

ENGLISH					MATH continued				
X	Course		Qualification	Credit	X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(101043/201043)	English 9	Summer Reading	1.0		(103173/203173)	Calculus AB AP		1.0
	(101013/201013)	Beginner ELD	ELD	1.0		(103383/203383)	Introduction to Data Science		1.0
	(101023/201023)	Intermediate ELD	ELD	1.0		(103203/203203)	Calculus BC AP		1.0
	(101033/201033)	Advanced ELD	ELD	1.0		(103373/203373)	Computer Science Principles AP		1.0
	(101113/201113)	Bridges to Lit/Comp For ELs	ELD	1.0		(103003/203003)	Integrated Math 1	IEPT	1.0
	(101103/201103)	EL Tutorial	ELD	1.0		(103103/203103)	Integrated Math 2	IEPT	1.0
	(000352)	Personal Communication		0.5		(009332/009342)	Math Skills A/B	IEPT	1.0
	(000392)	Speech 1		0.5		(009632/009642)	Life Skills Math	IEPT	1.0
	(009201)	Reading Strategies	IEPT	0.5		(103163/203163)	AP Computer Science A		1.0
	(109303/209303)	English Language Arts 1	IEPT	1.0	WORLD LANGUAGE				
	(109573/209573)	English Language Arts 2	IEPT	1.0	X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(109143/209143)	Linguistics	IEPT	1.0		(100853/200853)	Chinese 1		1.0
	(100333/200333)	Writing for Publication: Newspaper		1.0		(100873/200873)	Chinese 2		1.0
	(100273/200273)	Writing for Publication: Journalism		1.0		(100883/200883)	Chinese 3		1.0
SOCIAL STUDIES						(100603/200603)	French 1		1.0
X	Course		Qualification	Credit		(100613/200613)	French 2		1.0
	(002232)	World History/Geography 1		0.5		(100623/200623)	French 3		1.0
	(102503/202503)	Human Geography AP		1.0		(100653/200653)	German 1		1.0
	(002032)	History of American Criminal Law		0.5		(100663/200663)	German 2		1.0
	(002122)	Intro to Leadership		0.5		(100673/200673)	German 3		1.0
	(002125)	Leadership Lab		0.5		(100823/200823)	Japanese 1		1.0
	(002092)	LS Government/Civics	ELD	0.5		(100833/200833)	Japanese 2		1.0
	(102703/202703)	LS Am History/Geography 1 & 2	ELD	1.0		(100843/200843)	Japanese 3		1.0
	(002272/002282)	LS World History/Geography 1 & 2	ELD	1.0		(100693/200693)	Spanish 1		1.0
	(002422)	LS Economics	ELD	0.5		(100703/200703)	Spanish 2		1.0
SCIENCE						(100713/200713)	Spanish 3		1.0
X	Course		Qualification	Credit	PHYSICAL EDUCATION				
	(104003/204003)	Introductory Biology		1.0	X	Course		Qualification	Credit
	(004122)	Chemistry 1		0.5		(007952)	Intro to Physical Activity 1		0.5
	(004231)	Physics 1		0.5		(007962)	Intro to Physical Activity 2	more competitive	0.5
	(104703/204703)	LS Biology	ELD	1.0		(008082)	Net Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(004313)	LS Physics	ELD	0.5		(005515)	Beg/Int Tumbling & Gymnastics/Fitness		0.5
	(004322)	LS Chemistry	ELD	0.5		(006162)	Exercise & Life-Long Fitness		0.5
MATH						(006172)	Self Defense		0.5
X	Course		Qualification	Credit		(005521)	Learn/Beg & Int Swim & Lifetime Fitness		0.5
	(103043/203043)	Algebra 1		1.0		(005511)	Fall Team Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(103063/203063)	Geometry		1.0		(005512)	Spring Team Sports & Fitness		0.5
	(103930/203930)	Geometry Honors		1.0		(007922)	Weight Training & Aerobics – Fall		0.5
	(103093/203093)	Algebra 2		1.0		(007912)	Weight Training & Aerobics – Spring		0.5
	(103183/203183)	Algebra 2 Honors		1.0		(008014)	Strength & Conditioning - Fall		0.5
	(103233/203233)	Precalculus		1.0		(008024)	Strength & Conditioning - Spring		0.5
	(103253/203253)	Precalculus Honors		1.0					

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MULTI-DEPARTMENTAL					VPAA– Visual, Performing, Applied Art continued				
X	Course	Qualification	Credit		X	Course	Qualification	Credit	
	(008852)	Health		0.5	LIFE SKILLS/CAREERS IN EDUCATION/CULINARY				
	(109909/209909)	Achievement Skills 1A/1B	IEPT	1.0		(007292)	Foods and Culture		0.5
VPAA– Visual, Performing, Applied Art						(007332)	Fashion Design 1		0.5
	Course	Qualification		Credit		(007342)	Fashion Design 2		0.5
ART						(009862)	Essential Skills for Adulthood		0.5
	(006212)	Multi-Media Art		0.5		(007272)	Personal Money Management		0.5
	(006272)	Ceramics 1		0.5		(007372)	Stitchery		0.5
	(006422)	Computer Graphics 1		0.5		(007384)	Restaurant Operations/Terrace Café	Athens	2.0
	(006232)	Drawing 1		0.5		(007373)	Commercial Baking	Athens	1.0
	(006362)	Lettering & Calligraphy		0.5		(007473)	Commercial Foods	Athens	1.0
	(007112)	Principles of Photography 1		0.5	THEATRE				
	(006201)	Mindful Art		0.5		(000402)	Introduction to Theatre		0.5
	(006222)	Applied Arts and Design		0.5		(000412)	Theatre II		0.5
	(006352)	Cartoon, Comics & Animation		0.5	<p>MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS CAREFULLY- ONCE STUDENT SCHEDULES ARE GENERATED, SCHEDULE CHANGES WILL NOT BE MADE WITHOUT EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES.</p> <p>ALTERNATES OF ELECTIVE COURSES REQUIRED PLEASE NOTE: A MINIMUM OF FOUR COURSES IS REQUIRED. Failure to choose alternates can greatly impact your schedule.</p>				
BUSINESS									
	(005002)	Accounting 1		0.5					
	(005022)	Accounting 2		0.5					
	(005232)	Business Entrepreneurship		0.5					
	(005415)	Business Law + Management		0.5					
	(005404)	Digital Business		0.5					
	(005122)	Financial Management		0.5					
	(005222)	Marketing		0.5					
INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY					Course #	Course Name			
	(107003/207003)	Automotive Technology 1		1.0					
	(007072)	Architectural Drawing 1		0.5					
	(007082)	Architectural Drawing 2		0.5					
	(108703/208703)	Mechatronics 1		1.0					
	(007122)	Game Design	Athens	0.5					
	(007102)	Game Design 2	Athens	0.5					
	(107163/207163)	Woodworking Design & Fabrication 1		1.0		FINAL CHECK			
MUSIC						I have selected 6.0 TOTAL CREDITS			
	(106023/206023)	Campus Band		1.0		I have selected alternates for my electives			
	(106083/206083)	Freshman Orchestra		1.0					
	(006042)	Jazz Exploration		0.5					
	(006002)	Color Guard		0.5					
	(006104)	Percussion		0.5	Questions:				
	(106113/206113)	Treble Choir		1.0					
	(106103/206103)	Concert Choir		1.0					
	(006501)	Intro to Music Technology & Recording		0.5					