

Welcome,

Mundelein High  
School

Home of the Mustangs



# Incoming 9th Grade Elective Course Selection





# Graduation requirements

*Most students earn more!*

4	credits	English
3	credits	Math
2	credits	Science
2.5	credits	Social Studies
0.5	credits	Consumer Ed
4	credits	Health and P.E.
6	credits	Electives
<b>22</b>	<b>credits</b>	<b>to graduate</b>

# Course selection

## process

✓ Everyone should have received their 9th grade Course Preference Form with core and support course placements

✓ If you did not receive your placements via mail, please contact Barb Tegtmeier at [btegtmeier@d120.org](mailto:btegtmeier@d120.org) 847-949-2200 x1129

✓ Core placements and support courses can only be changed by Academic Department Chairperson

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Science: Dr. Dave Greenwood, [dgreenwood@d120.org](mailto:dgreenwood@d120.org) x1087  
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**MUNDELEIN HIGH SCHOOL**  
9th Grade Course Preference Form  
MHS ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Sender School: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Required Courses	MHS COURSE PLACEMENT	
	Semester 1 = 0.5 credit	Semester 2 = 0.5 credit
ENGLISH		
MATHEMATICS		
SCIENCE		
SOCIAL STUDIES		
PE (circle one)		

**MHS Elective Choices or Required Support Class(es) - Must complete using elective options below**

MHS Elective Choice or Required Support Class	Elective Alternate Course	Elective Alternate Course

**MHS Elective Options**

Do you plan on taking this course?	MHS ELECTIVE OPTIONS	Credits	SPECIALIZED COURSES	Credits
	ART	0.5	ACTIVITY (by application)	1.0
	Computer Applications	0.5	TELEVISION & MEDIA	0.5
	Industrial Technology	0.5	Advanced Media I	0.5
	MUSIC	0.5	THEATRE	0.5
	Music Course	1.0	Introduction to Theatre	0.5
	Physical Education I	1.0	Beginning Acting	1.0
	Physical Education II	1.0	Technical Theatre	1.0
	Business	1.0	WELLNESS	0.5
	Personal Finance	0.5		
	Business Law	0.5		
	Computer Applications	0.5		
	App Development and Coding	0.5		
	ENGLISH	0.5		
	Science Fiction and Fantasy	0.5		
	Advanced	1.0		
	Journalism	1.0		
	Compositions, Textbook & Photojournalism	0.5		
	FAMILY & CONSCIENCE	0.5		
	College	0.5		

**WORLD LANGUAGES**

WORLD LANGUAGES	Credits
French 1	1.0
French 2	1.0
Spanish 1	1.0
Spanish 2	1.0
Spanish 3 Heritage Learner	1.0

1.0 = course has a prerequisite

# Academic Core Placement

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Preference Form

Student Name:

MHS ID Number:

Sender School:

### MHS COURSE PLACEMENT

Required Courses	Full Year Course = 1.0 credit	
	Semester 1 = 0.5 credit	Semester 2 = 0.5 credit
ENGLISH		
MATHEMATICS		
SCIENCE		
SOCIAL STUDIES	World Studies Earned Honors	

# Wellness, Support and Electives

WELLNESS (circle one)	Freshmen PE or Freshmen Strength	Health**
	Band* or Show Choir*(by placement)	
<b>MHS Elective Choices or Required Support Class(es) - Must complete using elective options below</b>		
Elective(s), Support Class or World Language Placement		
Elective(s) or Support Class		
Elective Alternate Course(s)		

*\*If you select Band or place into Show Choir, they are full year courses. You will either need to take Health as one of your semester electives or in summer school.*

*\*\*Health may be taken in summer school by any student. If Health is taken in summer school and you are not in Band or Show Choir, you would be enrolled in a full year of PE*

*Do you plan on registering for summer school health? (circle one) Yes or No*

# Elective Options

MHS ELECTIVE OPTIONS					
ART	Credits	INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY	Credits	SPECIALIZED COURSES	Credits
Art 2D (draw/paint)	0.5	Industrial Technology	0.5	AVID (by application)	1.0
Art 3D (ceramic/sculpture)	0.5	<b>MUSIC</b>		<b>TELEVISION &amp; MEDIA</b>	
Digital Photo Design	0.5	Beginning Guitar	0.5	Honors Media	0.5
Drawing/Painting ☐	0.5	Intermediate Guitar ☐	0.5	Advanced Media ☐	0.5
<b>BUSINESS</b>		Band (replaces PE)	1.0	<b>THEATRE</b>	
Personal Finance	0.5	Jazz Band	1.0	Introduction to Theatre	0.5
Business Law	0.5	Chorale	1.0	Beginning Acting	0.5
Computer Applications	0.5	Show Choir (must take Chorale or Band)	1.0	Technical Theatre	1.0
App Development and Coding	0.5	<b>PROJECT LEAD THE WAY (PLTW)</b>		<b>WELLNESS</b>	
<b>ENGLISH</b>		PLTW-Intro to Engineering Design	1.0	Dance	0.5
Science Fiction and Fantasy	0.5	<b>SOCIAL STUDIES</b>		<b>WORLD LANGUAGES</b>	
Mythology	0.5	AP Human Geography	1.0	French 1	1.0
Journalism: News in the 21st Century	1.0	Current World Issues	0.5	French 2	1.0
Journalism: Yearbook & Photojournalism	1.0	Civil Law	0.5	Spanish 1	1.0
<b>FAMILY &amp; CONS SCIENCE</b>		<b>SCIENCE</b>		Spanish 2	1.0
Clothing	0.5	Zoology	0.5	Spanish 2 Heritage Learner	1.0
				Spanish 3 Heritage Learner	1.0

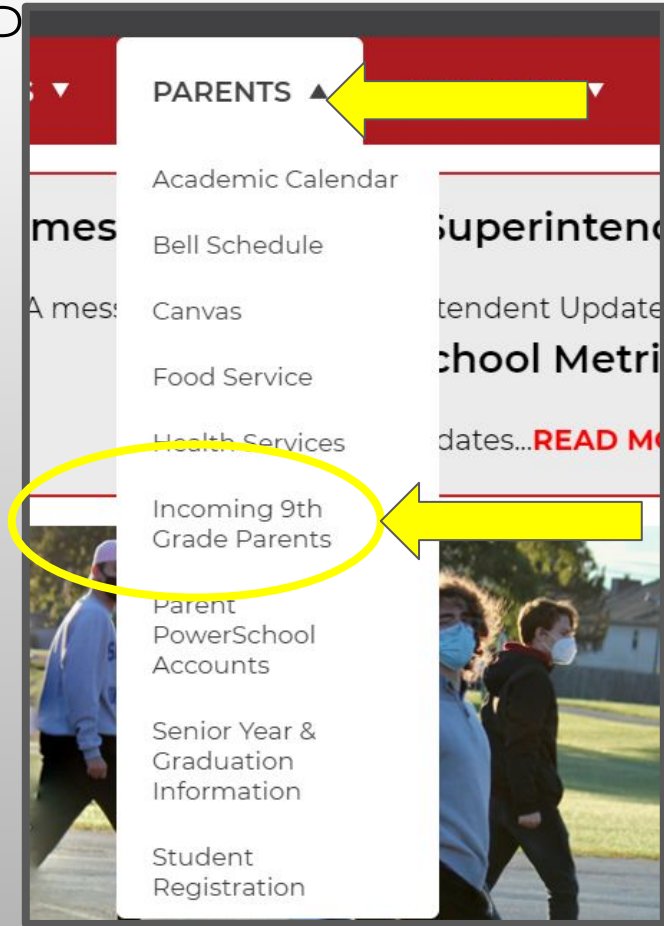
☐ = course has a prerequisite

# Sample Student Schedules

<b>Period</b>	<b>General Schedule</b>	<b>Supported Schedule</b>	<b>Band Student</b>	<b>Choir Student</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>English 1</b>	<b>English 1</b>	<b>English 1</b>	<b>English 1</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Algebra 1</b>	<b>Algebra 1</b>	<b>Algebra 1</b>	<b>Algebra 1</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>Biology</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>World Studies</b>	<b>World Studies</b>	<b>World Studies</b>	<b>World Studies</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Health/PE</b>	<b>Health/PE</b>	<b>Concert Band</b>	<b>Show Choir-Lights</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Lunch/FAM</b>	<b>Lunch/FAM</b>	<b>Lunch/FAM Marching Band</b>	<b>Lunch/FAM</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>Elective</b>	<b>Academic Support-Reading</b>	<b>Health/Elective</b>	<b>Chorale</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>Elective</b>	<b>Academic Support-Math</b>	<b>Elective</b>	<b>Health/Elective</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>(after school)</b>			<b>Show Choir - Sound</b>

# Incoming Freshmen

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## Incoming freshmen webpage link



*Mundelein High School New Students brochure*



# Incoming Freshmen

## Page

### 9th Grade Course Selection Process

Review the following links to become familiar with the course selection process for your incoming 9th grade student. Additional links are also provided for future planning.

- [Incoming 9th Grade Placement Process Letter](#)
- World Language Placement Letter [English / Spanish](#)
- [Course Selection Letter](#)
- 9th Grade Course Preference Form [English/ Spanish](#)
- Course Guide for 9th Grade [English/ Spanish](#)
- [4-year Planning Guide](#)
- [Sample Student Schedules](#)
- [Summer School Options for Incoming Freshmen](#)
- [Class of 2025 Elective Course Selection Form](#)



# Summer opportunities

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## **AP Boot Camp**

Prepares students for AP Human Geography

## **Geometry**

Earn credit and advance in math program

## **Health**

Students can take a year-long P.E. course, or an extra elective if students have a P.E. waiver.

## **Spanish Refresher**

For freshmen who plan on taking Spanish 2

## **Summer reading (required)**


**English 1:** One book of choice

**Honors English:** Two books of choice



# Elective Course

- Selection Use the Course Preference Form as a worksheet
- Complete the [Google Form](#) to select your electives
- Optional counselor meeting
  - Monday-Friday (2/1-2/5)
    - Contact counselor directly during school hours
    - Phone, Email, Zoom
  - Tuesday(2/2) & Thursday (2/4)
    - 6-8pm drop-in Zoom appointments with MHS counselors
    - Link will be posted on Incoming 9th grade web page



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### Class of 2025 Elective Course Selection

Please complete this form to select the elective courses your student would like to take at MHS for the 2021-2022 school year. Most students will have the opportunity to select two (2.0) credits worth of electives. A full year course is worth 1.0 credit. A semester (half-year) course is worth 0.5 credit.

\* Required

Email address \*

Your email \_\_\_\_\_

First and Last Name of Person Completing this Form \*





Your answer \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student \*





Parent/Guardian

Student

# Counselor Information

Counselor	Caseload Student Last Name	Email Address	Phone Ext.
	George Kaider	<a href="mailto:gkaider@d120.org">gkaider@d120.org</a>	1073
	Elena Martinez (bilingual)	<a href="mailto:emartinez@d120.org">emartinez@d120.org</a>	1042
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	Gwen Lopez (bilingual)	<a href="mailto:glopez@d120.org">glopez@d120.org</a>	1251

# Counselor Information

Counselor	Caseload Student Last Name	Email Address	Phone Ext.
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