

Senior Course Registration

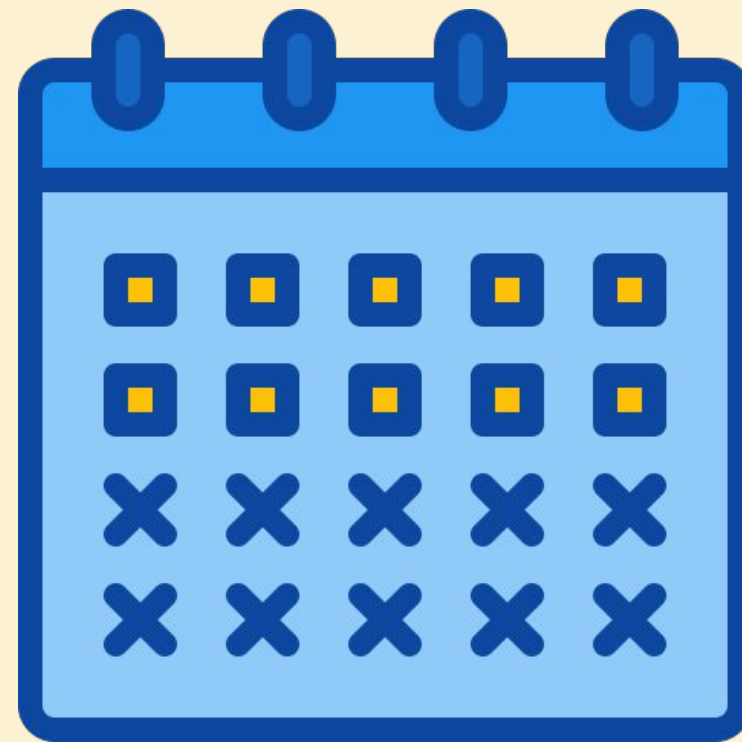
In this Presentation, We Will Review....

- How to Become a Senior
- Advanced Academic Programs
- Graduation Requirements
- College, Career and Military Readiness
- Open Periods
- Selecting Senior courses

How Do I Become a Senior?



Earn at least 15 Credits



No more than 9 nine unexcused
absences per class



Pass your courses with a 70 or
higher

How Do I Become a Senior?

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Final	Credit Earned
English	70	90	80	1.0
Math	75	60	68	0.5
Science	85	85	85	1.0
Social Studies	90	90	90	1.0
Elective	64	76	70	1.0
Elective	90	90	90	1.0
Elective	90	90	90	1.0
Elective	95	95	95	1.0
Credits	3.5	3.5		7.5

Graduation Course Requirements

**4 English
Credits**

4 Math Credits

**4 Science
Credits**

**3 Social Studies
Credits**

4 Social Studies credits
required if on Multi
Endorsement plan

**2 Credits in
Language
Other than
English**

1 PE Credit

**1 Fine Arts
Credit**

**7 Elective
Credits**

With 4 of those credits
in an Endorsement
Pathway

Program of Study	First/Second Course	Second/Third Course	Third/Fourth Course	Fourth/Fifth Course
STEM ENDORSEMENT				
Advanced Math (Physics must be a Science credit)	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2	2 credits from: Mathematics for Medical Professionals, Pre Calculus, AP Calculus AB or Dual Credit Math
Advanced Science	Biology	Chemistry	Physics	2 credits from: AP Physics I, Anatomy & Physiology, Astronomy, Adv. Animal Science, Pathophysiology
BUSINESS & INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENT				
Ag- Plant Science	Principles of Ag	Floral Design*	Adv Floral Design*	Practicum of AG (2 pd)
Ag- Animal Science	Principles of Ag	Livestock Production	Vet Med	Adv Animal Science*
Ag-Ag Mechanics	Principles of Ag	Ag Mechanics & Metal	Structures*	Ag Equipment (2 pd)
Hospitality & Tourism	Introduction to Culinary Arts	Culinary Arts (2 pd)	Adv Culinary Arts* (2pd)	Practicum of Culinary Arts (2 pd)
Audio/Video Technology	Principles of Arts & Video	Audio/Visual Production 1	Audio/Visual Production 2	Practicum of Audio/Video Production (2 pd)
Business Management	Business Information Management 1*	Business Information Management 2*	Business Management	Practicum of Business Management (2 pd)
PUBLIC SERVICE				
Health Sciences	Medical Terminology DC* OR Medical Terminology	Health Science Theory	Pharmacology A&P and/or Pathophysiology	Practicum- Health Science CET* CPT* PHARM TECH*
ARTS & HUMANITIES				
Theater	Theater 1	Theater 2	Theater 3	Theater 4
Theater Production	Theater Prod 1	Theater Prod 2	Theater Prod 3	Theater Prod 4
Art	Art 1	Art 2	Art 3	Art 4-Drawing Art 4-Painting
Band	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
MULTIDISCIPLINARY				
Multidisciplinary (Option 1) Four credits in each of the core areas (Option 2) 4 AP/Dual Credit Courses	English I, Algebra I, Biology I, World Geography	English II, Geometry, Chemistry, World History	English III or English III AP, Algebra II or 3rd math course, Physics or 3rd science course, US History or AP US History	English IV or English IV AP, 4th math course, 4th science course, Government/Economics, 4th social studies course (if needed)

	Credits	SE	9th Grade	10th Grade
1.0	J	Athletics	1.0	
			1.0	
			1.0	
			RDV	1.0
			Library	1.0
			Medical Term.	1.0
			Spanish 1	1.0
			World Geography	1.0

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Advanced Academics

Advanced courses have the possibility of earning you college credit.

Dual Credit (DC)

courses can be taken online or in person

Advanced Placement (AP)

Dual Credit courses are not counted in student's rank and GPA

Dual Credit Opportunities

- English IV*
- Government and Economics *

courses can be taken online or in person

* Courses require passing a college readiness assessment: TSIA, SAT, ACT

Dual Credit courses are not counted in student's rank and GPA

Showing College Readiness

SAT

- Reading: 480 or higher
- Math: 530 or higher

courses are taken in person at the designated Temple College campus

TSIA

- Reading: 945 or higher
- Writing- 5 or higher
- Math- 950 or higher

ACT

- Reading & Writing- combined score of 40 or higher
- Math- 22 or higher

***Dual Credit courses require passing a college readiness assessment: TSIA, PSAT, SAT**

****Dual Credit courses are not counted in student's rank and GPA****

Advanced Placement (AP)

Course curriculum is skill-based using specified standards provided by College Board.

Provides students with opportunities to “test out” of college classes while earning credit.

College credit earned by exam: score of a 3, 4, 5 ensures at least 3 hours of college credit.

New Courses for 2025-26

Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC)- Navy

Psychology and Sociology

Demonstrating College, Career and Military Readiness

College
Readiness
Assessment in
Reading and
Math

Industry
Certification and
Endorsement
Pathway

9 hours in Dual
Credit Courses
or 3 hours in DC
English class

Score a 3 or
higher on AP
Exam



Associates
Degree

College Bridge
Prep Course

Enlistment in
Military

Open Period Requirements

To be granted an open period, you must meet the following criteria:

On track for graduation

Passed all STAAR EOCs

Demonstrating College, Career, or Military
Readiness (CCMR)

11th Grade - 23/24	Credits
Anatomy &Phys.	[1.0]G
Art 1	[1.0]G
Athl 3 Girls	[1.0]G
DC ENG 3 (1301)	[0.5]G
DC ENG 3 (1302)	[0.5]G
PRE CAL ADV	[1.0]G
U S History	[1.0]G
Yearbook 2	[1.0]G
ALTERNATES	
1	
2	
3	
GP Completed Credits	0.0
GP Projected Credits	7.0

1. Review your remaining graduation requirements on your four-year plan.
2. The highlighted courses are needed for graduation and cannot be removed.
3. Make sure you have 7 projected credits at the bottom.
4. List three alternate courses.
5. Sign the paper in the Student Signature section.

Additional Information

For additional information about the courses offered
at Academy High School, please visit our website.

<https://www.academyisd.net/Domain/182>