

Daniel Ninth Grade Campus

2017-2018 Freshman Course Selections

Student Data			
Student Name:		Date of Birth:	
Student ID:		Last 4 of SSN:	

High School credit generating courses.					
√ Select any High School credit-generating courses that you have taken while in 8th Grade.					
Health	Spanish I	Algebra I	Art I		Theatre I
Professional Communication	Principles of Agriculture	Journalism I			
Other:					

Endorsement Selections				
√ Choose the Endorsement Pathway(s) you plan to pursue. See Registration Packet for Endorsement information.				
Arts and Humanities	Business and Industry	Public Services	STEM	Multi-Disciplinary
Choir	Finance	Cosmetology	Science	4 credits each in English, Math, Science and Social Studies
Band	Business Management	Education & Training	Computer Science	
Color Guard	Welding	Health Science	Engineering	4 credits in Dual Credit or AP courses
Theatre	Veterinary Science	Fire Science	Mathematics	
Visual Arts	Newspaper			4 Advanced Courses from each Endorsement
Lang. Other Than Engl.	Yearbook			
Social Studies	Automotive Technology			
	Animation/Graphic Design			

Core Courses			
√ Choose one course from each of the following required Core Subjects.			
ELA	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		1001	English 1
		1101	PAP English 1
SCIENCE	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		3001	Biology 1
		3101	PAP Biology 1

MATH	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		2001	Algebra 1
		2002	Geometry 1 #
		2102	PAP Geometry #
SOCIAL STUDIES	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		4002	World History
		4001	World Geography [^]
		4201	AP Human Geography [^]

Elective Courses		
√ Choose 3 full credits of Electives.		
GENERAL ELECTIVES	PE/ATHLETICS ELECTIVES	FINE ARTS ELECTIVES
1021 Journalism 1	6051 Weight Training (Boys)	7001 Art 1
1031 Newspaper 1 #	6061 Weights and Aerobics(Girls)	7002 Art 2 #
1011 Debate 1	6011 Team Sports	7072 Art 2, Design 1 #
6000 Health *	6141 Athletic Trainer (application)	7701 Theatre 1
8208 Professional Communication *	6101 Football 1	7702 Theatre 2 (audition)
1041 Yearbook 1 #	6111 Volleyball 1	7911 Choir 1
	6201 Basketball 1 (Boys)	7811 Band 1
	6211 Basketball 1 (Girls)	7821 Jazz Band 1 (audition)
	6221 Soccer 1 (Boys)	7831 Color Guard 1 (audition)
	6231 Soccer 1 (Girls)	7006 Music Theory 1
	6321 Baseball 1	8013 Principles of Floral Design
	6311 Softball 1	
	6121 Cross Country 1	
	6301 Golf 1	
	6131 Tennis 1	
	6241 Swimming 1	
CAREER & TECHNOLOGY ELECTIVES	FOREIGN LANGUAGE ELECTIVES	AGRICULTURE SCIENCE ELECTIVES
8000 Prin. of Ag, Food, & Natural Res.	5001 Spanish 1	8000 Prin. of Ag, Food, & Nat. Res.
8100 Principles of Construction	5002 Spanish 2 #	8001 Livestock Production #
8302 Business Information Management	5011 Latin 1	8002 Small Animal Management *#
8300 Prin. of Business Marketing & Fin	5051 American Sign Language 1	8003 Equine Science *#
8500 Principles of Health Science		8010 Wildlife, Fisheries & Eco. #
8707 Family & Community Services *		8015 Ag Mechanics & Metal Tech #
8702 Interpersonal Studies *		
8804 Digital Interactive Media		
8013 Principles of Floral Design		
COMPUTER SCIENCE ELECTIVES		
2111 PAP Computer Science #		

LEGEND

[^] Course not required for graduation

* Denotes Semester Course (.5 credit)

Prerequisite course required

All students must choose two full credits of Alternative Electives choices. Please indicate those choices below.

ALT. CHOICE #1		ALT. CHOICE #2	
	COURSE # TITLE		COURSE # TITLE

Please direct all questions to Carla Turner, Counselor at the Daniel Ninth Grade Campus. 817-441-4504 cturner@aledoisd.org
No changes may be made after June 1, 2017.

Graduation Requirements & Endorsement Information

The following requirements are set forth by the Texas Legislature, State Board of Education & Aledo ISD

Students may graduate under the Foundation High School Program (FHS) or the Distinguished Level of Achievement Program (DLA). Students who graduate under the FHS Program have limited post-secondary educational options, therefore, we guide all students towards the DLA Program when planning courses for ninth grade.

Why it Matters

Graduating under the DLA program will:

- allow students to compete for the 10% automatic admission eligibility into any Texas public university and allow students to be more competitive college applicants

What's Required

For students to graduate under the DLA program, they must fulfill the following requirements:

- Complete all curriculum requirements for the FHS Program
- Earn at least 26 credits (including a 4th credit in math, a 4th credit in science, and at least 2 additional electives)
- Complete all curriculum requirements to earn at least one Endorsement (including the completion of Algebra II)

Endorsements allow students to explore a career or subject area of interest while in High School which will aide students in making post-secondary plans. Endorsement options and curriculum requirements are outlined further on pages 14-18 in the Ninth Grade Course Registration Supplement.

Endorsement Options	
Endorsement	Curriculum Requirements
Arts & Humanities	Successful completion of 4 courses in Fine Arts, languages other than English, or 5 credits in Social Studies
Business & Industry	Successful completion of at least one pathway in the area of Finance, Business Management, Welding, Veterinary Science, Newspaper, Yearbook, Automotive Technology, or Animation/Graphic Design
Public Services	Successful completion of at least one pathway in the area of Cosmetology, Education & Training, Health Science, or Fire Science
STEM	5 credits in either Math/Science or 4 credits in one of the other STEM pathways
Multidisciplinary Studies	4 credits in each of the Core Courses (including Chemistry and/or Physics); 4 AP or Dual Credit Courses; or 4 Advanced courses either within a single endorsement area or multiple endorsement areas

Pre-AP/AP Schedule Change Policy

Students may sign up for Pre-AP/AP courses as they choose. However, it is important for them to understand the steps that must be taken to drop a class if they aren't experiencing their desired level of success.

Students may change from a Pre-AP/AP course to the on-level version of the same course AFTER creating and submitting an Academic Action Plan. The AAP is a document used to denote a student's good faith effort to complete class assignments, maintain good attendance, participate in tutorials, etc. indicating a genuine attempt to be successful prior to leaving the higher level course. Once completed and signed by the student, teacher and parent, the AAP can be submitted and a withdrawal form can be obtained. Students who move from a Pre-AP/AP course to an on-level version of the same course will be held responsible for making up all knowledge and skills covered in the on-level class prior to the move, and the grade earned in the Pre-AP/AP course will transfer with the student. Students not experiencing success in a Pre/AP course will be automatically moved to an on-level course at semester to attempt to avoid the loss of credit.

I have read and understand the policy and procedures for dropping a Pre-AP/AP course.

Student Initials _____ **Parent Initials** _____