

## Recommendations for College and Career Readiness

	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
<b>Core Courses</b>	<p>Consider the honors options in courses.</p> <p>Aim for C-level grades and above.</p>	<p>Consider the honors options in courses.</p> <p>Aim for C-level grades and above.</p>	<p>Consider IB classes.</p> <p>Aim for C-level grades and above.</p> <p>Continue world language studies.</p>	<p>Continue in math, history and science even if you've met graduation requirements in these areas.</p> <p>Consider IB classes.</p> <p>Aim for C-level grades and above.</p> <p>Continue world language studies.</p>
<b>Electives</b>	<p>Explore the wheel elective classes and identify a potential Career Pathway for yourself.</p>	<p>Consider continuing in a fine arts course.</p> <p>Explore and commit to a Career Pathway.</p>	<p>Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> level of a fine arts course if you took one in 10<sup>th</sup> grade.</p> <p>Consider a fine arts course if you didn't take one in 10<sup>th</sup> grade.</p> <p>Continue in your chosen Career Pathway.</p> <p>Explore and potentially apply for partial-day option programs (Health Careers, Auto Tech, Field Biology).</p>	<p>Complete your chosen Career Pathway.</p> <p>Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> level of a fine arts course if you took one in 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grade.</p> <p>Consider a fine arts course if you didn't take one in 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grade.</p> <p>Explore electives in new subject areas, especially ones that support your chosen Career Pathway.</p> <p>Explore and potentially apply for partial-day option programs (Health Careers, Auto Tech, Field Biology).</p>
<b>Activities</b>	<p>Explore lots of clubs, sports, and activities.</p>	<p>Be more selective in your clubs, sports, and activities. Focus in on the activities that are really meaningful to you.</p> <p>Take a lead role in planning activities or events for that club or team.</p>	<p>Focus your club and athletic involvement on specific activities.</p> <p>Seek elected or leadership positions if available.</p> <p>Find a way to mentor others in your sport or activity.</p> <p>Find ways to contribute to younger learners (such as tutoring).</p>	<p>Focus your club and athletic involvement on specific activities.</p> <p>Seek elected or leadership positions if available.</p> <p>Find a way to mentor others in your sport or activity.</p> <p>Find ways to contribute to younger learners (such as tutoring).</p>
<b>Extra</b>	<p>Start Community Service activities.</p> <p>Consider attending local Career Day events.</p>	<p>Continue Community Service activities.</p> <p>Think about a summer job or informal work experience.</p> <p>Attend local Career Day events.</p>	<p>Continue Community Service activities.</p> <p>Consider a summer job, job shadow, internship or other work experience.</p> <p>Consider a PCC class (such as the Counseling and Guidance/Career classes) to explore careers and solidify your skills.</p> <p>Consider a summer academic experience or other "pre-college" experience.</p>	<p>Continue Community Service activities.</p> <p>Complete a summer job, job shadow, internship or other work experience.</p> <p>Consider a PCC class (such as the Counseling and Guidance/Career classes) to explore careers and solidify your skills.</p> <p>Apply to colleges &amp; scholarships.</p>