

# Proctor Public Schools Strategic Plan | 2019-2024 

## BELIEF STATEMENTS

We believe in :

## Equity:

Students will have equitable access to a safe, all-encompassing and engaging learning environment.
Safety:
Creating safe environments where all students feel valued is the core of our mission.

## Community

Collaboration, communication, and support among the home, the school, and the community have a positive impact on our students.

Inclusion:
All students will receive an education developed to meet their individual needs.
Excellence:
Delivering academic standards through the art of teaching is the foundation of educational excellence.

## Investment:

Investing in resources for our students will pay dividends in our students' future.

## MISSION STATEMENT

Empowering all learners to achieve in a respectful, innovative and inclusive environment.

## Vision statement

We Educate, Engage and Inspire


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## Why just plan to graduate when you can graduate with a plan?

Proctor High School students have a new way to explore future career and education opportunities. Proctor Pathways will allow students to learn in new ways while engaging in authentic learning experiences that will help them get a head start on life after high school.

A Pathway is a series of courses PHS students can take to be more prepared for further study, training or work opportunities within a specific field. As students learn more about their interests and abilities, they can explore one or more pathway.

The four Proctor Pathways are tightly linked to in-demand local and national careers.


Health Sciences and Human Services
Grow your desire in making a positive impact on the future health and well-being of our diverse and complex society. The career fields within this pathway are Health Sciences, Education, and Human Services.
Look for a number 1 , indicating courses within the Health Sciences and Human Services Pathway


Arts, Global Communication, \& Information Systems
Foster your creativity, innovation and expression while exploring different ways to apply those well-rounded skills in life after high school. Career fields within this pathway are Visual and Performing Arts, Journalism \& Broadcasting, and Information Technology.
Look for a number 2, indicating courses within the Arts, Global Communication, \& Information Systems Pathway


## Design, Engineering, and Manufacturing Technologies

Feel empowered to step into the role of an engineer, adopt a problem-solving mindset, and make the leap from dreamer to doer. The career fields within this pathway are Architecture \& Construction, Manufacturing, Engineering, Design, and Technology.
Look for a number 3, indicating courses within the Design, Engineering, and Manufacturing Technologies Pathway


## Business, Marketing, and Entrepreneurship

Explore the varying types of business while gaining communication and marketing skills to thrive in today's business world. The career fields within this pathway are Marketing, Finance, Business Management and Administration, and Hospitality/Tourism.
Look for a number 4. indicating courses within the Business. Marketing. and Entrepreneurship Pathway

## General Instructions of Registration

1. The course catalog with descriptions of courses should be thoroughly studied by you and discussed with your parents and counselor. A copy of the course catalog is available on the Proctor Web site.
2. Be sure to select your courses with the utmost consideration given toward your vocational and educational plans.
3. All subjects, including elective courses, are listed on the following pages, along with the grade level.
4. Some courses have pre-requisites or grade requirements. Be sure you qualify to enroll in a specific subject. Pre-requisites are listed in the course descriptions.
5. Each semester course is equal to .5 credit. All students need to be enrolled in a minimum of six (6) credits during the entire year. (this allows for 1 study hall each semester).
6. To graduate, students must obtain a minimum of twenty-three and one half (23.5) credits
7. Community Service hours are required for graduation. These must be completed during the summer prior to a student's senior year or anytime during the senior year.
8. Fees are required in art, culinary arts and industrial technology classes.
9. Students should refer to class descriptions for additional information.

## Schedule Change Policy

Schedule Changes WILL NOT occur due to concerns including, but not limited to:
-Preference for a different teacher
-Preference for a different class hour
-Change of mind regarding completing a course
-Preference for a lunch or study hall hour
*Schedule changes will only occur if there is an error on a student's schedule.

## Please Note:

Because class balancing continues to happen until classes begin, the classes you choose may be adjusted to different hours right up until classes start for Semester 1 and Semester 2


Graduation Requirements


|  | Grade 10: 1.5 credit <br> World History (1.0) <br> $10^{\text {th }}$ Grade Seminar <br> $(0.5)$ <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> Grade 11: 1 credit <br>  <br> Citizenship (0.5) <br> Leadership (0.5) <br> Grade 12: 1.0 credit <br> Economics - S1 (0.5) <br> and <br> Geography \& Global <br> Issues - S2 (0.5) <br> Physical <br> Education/Health <br> 1 Credit |
| :---: | :--- |
| Grade 9: 0.5 credit <br> Physical Education <br> $(0.5)$ <br> Grade 10: 0.5 credit <br> Health 10 (0.5) |  |


| Fine Art <br> 1 Credit | Grade 9-12: 1 credit <br> Band, Choir or Art (1.0) |
| :---: | :--- |
| Elective Courses | Grades 9-12: 7.5 credits |

Total Credits Required for Graduation

## 23.5 credits are

 required for graduation

## Grade Level Course Requirements

## 9"t Grade - Course Requirements

| Intermediate Algebra or <br> Geometry | English 9 <br> or <br> Honors English 9 | Science 9 | American History 9 | Phy Ed |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

## 10 ${ }^{\text {ti }}$ Grade - Course Requirements

| Geometry <br> or | Sophomore English <br> $\&$ <br> Algebra <br> II Concepts <br> or | Sophomore Communications |  | Biology | World History |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health 10 | $10^{\text {th }}$ Grade |  |  |  |  |
| Algebra II |  |  |  |  | Seminar |

## 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Grade - Course Requirements

| Algebra II Concepts | American | Chemistry |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| or | Literature | or | Citizenship |
| Algebra II | $\&$ | CITS | $\&$ |
| or | Composition I | Chemistry or | Leadership and |
| CITS Pre-Calculus | or | Pre- | Community Engagement |
| or | Fundamentals of | Engineering or |  |
| Probability and Stats <br> and/or Consumer Math | Writing | CITS Physics |  |

## 12 ${ }^{\text {in }}$ Grade - Course Requirements

| Algebra II Concepts | English | Economics | Geography \& Global |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| or | Elective | or | Issues |
| Algebra II | (1.0 Credit) | CITS | or |
| or |  | Economics |  |
| CIobal Issues |  |  |  |
| CITS Pre-Calculus |  |  |  |
| or |  |  |  |
| CITS Calculus |  |  |  |
| or |  |  |  |
| Probability and Stats and/or |  |  |  |
| Consumer Math |  |  |  |

## PHS College Credit Options

## A. In cooperation with the University of Minnesota, Duluth

| Proctor Course Title | College Course Title | Number of College <br> Credits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CITS Pre-Calculus | MTH 1250 - Pre Calculus | 4 |
| CITS Calculus | MTH 1296 - Calculus I | 5 |
| CITS Probability and <br> Statistics | TBD | TBD |
| CITS Composition II | WRIT 1120 - College Writing | 3 |
| CITS Economics | ECON 1003 - Econ \& Society | 3 |
| CITS World Reg. <br> Geography | GEOG 1202 - World Reg. Geography | 3 |
| CITS Phy Ed \& Fitness |  <br> Weight Training | 2 |
| CITS Sociology | SOC 1101 - Intro to Sociology | 4 |
| CITS Literature Study | ENGL 1907 - Introduction to Literature | 3 |

B. In cooperation with the College of St. Scholastica

| Proctor Course Title | College Course Title | Number of College Credits |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| CITS Spanish III | S1 = SPN 1111 | S1 $=4$ credits |
|  | S2 $=$ SPN 1112 | S2 $=4$ credits |
|  |  | Total $=8$ credits |

C. In cooperation with Lake Superior College

| Proctor Course Title | College Course Title | Number of College Credits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CITS Psychology | PSYC 1120 General Psychology | 3 |
| CITS Chemistry | CHEM 1110 Aspects of Chemistry I | 3 |

# Honor Levels for Graduation 

Honors: Gold Tassel - Top 25\% of the graduating class or Maintain a 3.4 Cumulative GPA as of Checkpoint 3 of Semester 2 in Senior Year.

Highest Honors: Gold Cord - Top 10\% of graduating class or Maintain a 3.8
Cumulative GPA as of Checkpoint 3 of Semester 2 in Senior Year.

Salutatorian: Silver Medallion - Second Highest cumulative GPA amongst the graduating class (includes ties) as of Checkpoint 3 of Semester 2 in Senior Year.

Valedictorian: Gold Medallion - Highest cumulative GPA amongst the graduating class (includes ties) as of Checkpoint 3 of Semester 2 in Senior Year. (will be invited to speak at the commencement ceremony.)

## Proctor High School Civic Engagement Graduation Requirement

Objectives: The objectives associated with Civic Engagement are to give students opportunities to learn how to get involved with making their communities a better place for not only themselves, but for others as well. Studies have shown that individuals who help others or their communities develop a greater sense of self-worth and selfesteem.

Criteria- Each student will be required to work a minimum of 14 hours performing community service in at least two settings as a requirement for graduation. The volunteer activities a student chooses must meet the following basic criteria in order to be considered:

1. Activity must be performed outside the scheduled school day (8:00-3:00), unless designated by administration to help with school community for special projects.
2. Activity must not be directed toward a private business (e.g. day care facility, store, etc.)
3. Activity must not be directed toward a family member of relative.
4. Activity must not be for any pay or other compensation.
5. Activity must be initiated by the individual student and not part of a credit granting course.
Procedures - Complete an activity completion form explaining the type of service you performed. Every time you perform a service, fill out a volunteer voucher form and have it signed or keep a volunteer $\log$ if your service is the same place over a period of time.
Logs and vouchers can be turned in to your World Geography teacher anytime during the senior year, but the deadline for turning them in is on the Friday before the last week of the school year. Seniors who do not have World Geography in the building must turn their service hours in to Mr. Vos in the Guidance office.

## College Admission Requirements

All students should be particularly careful in planning their high school programs. Students should familiarize themselves with sources of information about the college of their choice. Plan carefully so as not to limit your options after high school.

## University of Minnesota System \&

 Minnesota State 4-year General Admission Requirements1. English - Four years, including writing, literature, and speech. Within the writing component, students may elect work in composition, creative writing, journalism, or research writing. Literature may include American and world literatures; speech may include both public speaking and debate.
2. Math - Four years, including two years of algebra, one of which must be intermediate or advanced algebra, and one year of geometry.
3. Science - Three years, including at least one course each in the biological and physical sciences, and all three units to incorporate significant laboratory experience. The biological and physical science requirements would most commonly be met by courses in biology, chemistry and physics. Other courses could include advanced biology, human anatomy and physiology, botany, zoology, geology, and advanced chemistry and physics.
4. Social Studies- Three years, including one year each of geography and American history, Geography need not always be taught as a full year course, and may in fact be incorporated in a significant way into other studies; transcripts should indicate specifically which courses meet the geography requirement.
5. World Language - Two years of a single second language
6. Arts - One year in the visual or performing arts including instruction in the history and critical interpretation of the art form. Courses in the arts should offer students the opportunity to experience the arts directly as creators' performers and as critical, informed observers.

## Additional study in mathematics and science is

 highly recommended.
## Students should consult their college/program policies for more specific requirements.

## University of Wisconsin-Superior

-Students will be admitted based on a review of the challenge of their high school curriculum history, cumulative grade point average, and standardized test scores.

## College preparation requirements:

-4 years in English: including 3 credits of literature and composition
-4 years of Mathematics: algebra, geometry and higher
-3 years of Social Science/History
-3 years of Natural Science
-4 years of other Electives chosen from the about areas, foreign language, fine arts, computer science and other academic and vocational areas.

## St. Scholastica

-Students should rank at or above the top $25{ }^{\text {m }}$ percentile and have a satisfactory Calculated Index Score which derived from a formula that utilizes cumulative GPA from high school and the composite score of the ACT or SAT.


## College Preparation Requirements:

-The College of St. Scholastica seeks to identify and admit students who have a strong probability of success in a demanding curriculum and rigorous academic major. Historically, the student who successfully demonstrates academic aptitude in high school, as an above-average ACT and/or SAT scores, and ranks in the upper $25^{\circ}$ percentile of his or her senior class is admitted to the College

## Two-Year State College and Universities

The two-year state community and technical colleges have an open admissions policy. This means:

- You can enroll if you have a high school diploma or a GED. Even without those, you may be admitted if you demonstrate potential for success in college.
- You don't have to take the ACT to be admitted, and your high school grades, and class rank are not considered.
- After you are admitted, you will take a placement test. That will tell you if you need to take remedial of developmental courses, which will not count toward a degree, before you can take college-level courses. Many students need just one developmental course, often in math or English. If you have taken a "college prep" curriculum in high school, you're more likely to do well on the test.



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## ELECTIVE OPTIONS

Art

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> $(\mathrm{S})$ <br> Year - <br> $(\mathrm{Y})$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Intro to <br> Art | ART <br> 01 | $9-12$ | S |
| Drawing I | ART <br> 09 | $9-12$ | S |
| * Drawing <br> II | ART <br> 10 | $9-12$ | S |
|  <br> Design | ART <br> 02 | $9-12$ | S |
|  <br> Design | ART <br> 04 | $10-12$ | S |
| * <br> Ceramics | ART <br> 05 | $10-12$ | S |
| *Digital <br> Art | ART <br> 06 | $11-12$ | S |
| *Adv <br> Studio Art | ART <br> $07 / ~ 08$ | $11-12$ | S1 and/or |
| S2 |  |  |  |

Business \& Marketing

| Course | Cours e \# | $\begin{gathered} \text { Grade } \\ \text { s } \\ \text { Eligibl } \\ \text { e } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Semest <br> er (S) <br> Year - <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Introduction to Business | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BUS } \\ & 01 \end{aligned}$ | 9-12 | S |
| *Accounting I | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BUS } \\ & 02 \end{aligned}$ | 9-12 | S |
| Introduction to Marketing | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { BUS } \\ & 03 \end{aligned}$ | 9-12 | S |
|  <br> Entertainment <br> Marketing | $\begin{gathered} \text { BUS } \\ 04 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | S |
| *Entrepreneursh ip | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { BUS } \\ & 05 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 10-12 | S |
| *Business Leadership I | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { BUS } \\ & 06 / 07 \end{aligned}$ | 10-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| *Proctorian | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { BUS } \\ & 08 / 09 \end{aligned}$ | 11-12 | Y |
| DECA Seminar | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { BUS } \\ & 10 / 11 \end{aligned}$ | 9-12 | Y |
| *Culinary \& Hospitality Management This class is a 2 hr. block. BUS and CTE credit | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BUS } \\ & 12 / 13 \\ & \\ & \text { CUL } \\ & 06 / 07 \end{aligned}$ | 11-12 | Full Year |
| Audio/Visual Production | $\begin{gathered} \text { IT } 01 \\ \text { /02 } \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | S |
| *Leadership in A/V Production | $\begin{gathered} \text { IT } \\ 03 / 04 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { S1 and } \\ & \text { or S2 } \end{aligned}$ |
| IT Exploration | IT 05 | 9-12 | S |
| *Tech II | IT 06 | 9-12 | S |
| *Tech III/IV | $\begin{aligned} & \text { IT } 07 / \\ & \text { IT } 08 \end{aligned}$ | 10-12 | S |
| Riding the Rails of Filmmaking: Creative Movie Magic | IT 09 | 9-12 | S |

English - Language Arts

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> (S) <br> Year - <br> $(\mathrm{Y})$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| *CITS <br> Composition <br> II | ENG <br> 07 | 12 | S |
| Lit Study | ENG <br> 09 | $11-12$ | S |
| *Public | ENG <br> 11 | $11-12$ | S |
| Speaking |  |  |  |

## Hospitality

(Career and Technical
Education)

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> (S) <br> Year - <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Culinary I | CUL <br> 01 | $9-12$ | Semester |
| *Culinary II | CUL <br> 02 | $10-12$ | Semester |
| *Culinary \& | BUS | $11-12$ | Full |
| Hospitality <br> Management <br> Yhis class is a <br> 2 hr. block. <br> BUS and CTE <br> credit | CUL <br> $06 / 07$ |  |  |

Industrial Technology
(Career and Technical
Education)

| Course | Course <br> \# | Grades Eligible | Semester <br> (S) <br> Year - <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Basic Woods | $\begin{gathered} \text { IND } \\ 01 \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | S |
| *Creative Woodwoods | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 02 \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | S |
| Machining \& Welding | $\begin{gathered} \text { IND } \\ 03 \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | S |
| *Advanced Machining and Welding | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 04 / 05 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| *Leadership in Welding | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 06 / 07 \end{gathered}$ | 12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or S } \end{gathered}$ $2$ |
| *Intro to Construction | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 08 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | S |
| *Careers in Construction | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 09 / 10 \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { IND } \\ 11 / 12 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| *Leadership in Career Construction | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 13 / 14 \end{gathered}$ | 11-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| Small Engines | $\begin{gathered} \text { IND } \\ 15 / 16 \end{gathered}$ | 10-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| *Leadership in Small Engines | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 17 / 18 \end{gathered}$ | 12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \\ \text { S2 } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| CAD | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 19 / 20 \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \end{gathered}$ S2 |
| *Leadership in CAD | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { IND } \\ 17 / 18 \end{gathered}$ | 12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { S1 } \\ \text { and/or } \end{gathered}$ $\mathrm{S} 2$ |
| Electricity | $\begin{gathered} \text { IND } \\ 15 \end{gathered}$ | 9-12 | S |

Music

| Course | Course \# | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> Year - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Concert <br> Band | MUS <br> $01 / 02$ | $9-10$ | Y |
| Symphonic <br> Band | MUS <br> $03 / 04$ | $11-12$ | Y |
| *Jazz Band | MUS <br> $05 / 06$ | $9-12$ | Y |
| Concert <br> Choir | MUS <br> $09 / 10$ | $9-12$ | Y |
| Railway <br> Choir | MUS <br> $07 / \mathrm{MUS}$ <br> 08 | 9 | Y |

## Pathways

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester or <br> Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| * Work <br> Based <br> Learning | PW <br> $02 / 03$ | $11-12$ | S1 and/or <br> S2 |
| Introduction <br> to Allied <br> Health | PW 04 | $10-12$ | S |
| Commercial <br> Driver's <br> License | PW 05 | 12 | S |

## Physical Education/Health

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| *Team Sports | PEH <br> 06 | $10-12$ | S |
| *RAILSTRONG <br> Performance <br> Training | PEH <br> $09 / 10$ | $10-12$ | S1 and/ <br> or S2 |
| *CITS Physical <br> Education and <br> Fitness | PEH <br> 11 | $10-12$ | S |
| *Fitness For <br> Life | PEH <br> 14 | $10-12$ | S |

Science

| Course | Cours <br> e \# | Grades <br> Eligibl <br> e | Semeste <br> r (S) <br> Year- <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| *Honors <br> Chemistry <br> Seminar | SCI 09 | 12 | S |
|  <br> Physiology | SCI <br> $14 / 15$ | $11-12$ | Y |
| *Genetics <br> Related to <br> Forensic <br> Science | SCI 16 | $11-12$ | S 2 |
| *Marine <br> Science | SCI 17 | $11-12$ | S |
| *Conservatio <br> n of Natural <br> Resources | SCI <br> $18 / \mathrm{SC}$ <br> I 19 | $11-12$ | Y |
| Horticulture | SCI 20 | $11-12$ | S |

## Social Studies

| Course | Course <br> \# | Grades Eligible | Semester <br> (S) <br> Year - <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Criminology | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { SOC } \\ 10 \end{gathered}$ | 11-12 | S1 |
| Social Problems | $\begin{gathered} \text { SOC } \\ 11 \end{gathered}$ | 11-12 | S2 |
| *CITS <br> Psychology | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { SOC } \\ 12 \end{gathered}$ | 11-12 | S1 |
| *CITS <br> Sociology | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { SOC } \\ 13 \end{gathered}$ | 11-12 | S2 |

## World Languages

| Course | Course <br> $\#$ | Grades <br> Eligible | Semester <br> $(\mathrm{S})$ <br> Year - <br> (Y) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| *French I | LANG <br> $01 / 02$ | $9-12$ | Y |
| *French II | LANG <br> $03 / 04$ | $10-12$ | Y |
| *French <br> III | LANG <br> $05 / 06$ | $11-12$ | Y |
| *French IV | LANG <br> $07 / 08$ | 12 | Y |
| *German |  |  |  |
| II | LANG <br> $11 / 12$ | $10-12$ | Y |
| *Spanish I | LANG <br> $15 / 16$ | $9-12$ | Y |
| *Spanish II | LANG <br> $17 / 18$ | $10-12$ | Y |
| *CITS | LANG <br> 19/20 | $11-12$ | Y |

## The Future is Yours

 Graduate with a PlanCourses that can be repeated

| ART |  | BUSINESS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adv. Studio Art A/B | 1 cr . | A/V Production | 2 cr. |
| Ceramics | 1 cr . | Work Based Learning | 3 cr . |
|  |  | DECA Seminar | 2cr. |
|  |  | Proctorian | 2 cr. |
|  |  |  |  |
| CULINARY/BUSINESS |  | PHY ED |  |
| Culinary Management | 4 cr. | Unified Phy Ed | 2 cr. |
|  |  |  |  |
| INDUSTRIAL ARTS |  | Rails Performance | 1 cr. |
| Adv. Welding A/B | 1 cr. |  |  |
| Small Engines | 1 cr . | Fitness for Life | 1 cr. |
| Creative Woods | 1 cr . |  |  |
| CAD | 1 cr . |  |  |
| Construction | 2 cr . |  |  |
|  |  | SCIENCE |  |
|  |  | Horticulture | 1cr. |

## Art

Courses:
Intro to Art
Drawing I
Drawing II
2D Art \& Design
3D Art \& Design
Ceramics
Digital Art
Adv. Studio Art

## Intro to Art - Level 1 <br> Art 01 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :--- |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |

Introduction to Art is designed to provide a foundation for intermediate and advanced courses. Emphasis is placed on the leading question "Why is art important:" as well as the Elements and Principles of Art \& Design. Students will explore a variety of artists, art processes, and materials which may include drawing, painting, sculpture, and/or ceramics.

## Drawing I - Level 1

ART 09 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :--- |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |

Students develop skills related to drawing. Drawing is designed for beginners and experienced students alike, and will provide a foundation for more advanced classes by building confidence in creative ability and by developing an understanding of the Elements and Principles of Art and Design.
*Drawing II - Level 2
ART 10 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of <br> Drawing I |  |

Take your drawing skills to the next level with Drawing II. In Drawing I, we focused heavily on drawing from images and observations; the next step is to bring your unique and creative ideas to life!

## *2D Art \& Design - Level 2

ART 02 (S)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of a <br> Level I Art course |  |

Students will continue to develop their 2D skills beyond the scope of drawing through materials and processes such as painting, printmaking, collage, and more. As they strengthen their skills, students will create artwork that reflects their original ideas and study the artwork of contemporary artists and designers.

## *3D Art \& Design - Level 2 <br> ART 04 (S)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of a level |  |
| 1 art course |  |

This class explores to both traditional and nontraditional mediums of creating 3-D Art. Students will work in a variety of materials including cardboard/foam board, armature, clay, and other various materials.
*Ceramics - Level 2
ART 05 (S)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of a level |  |
| 1 Art course |  |

This class introduces students to the traditional craft of working with clay. Students will experience both hand-building and wheel-throwing techniques. They will make functional and sculptural work, and study contemporary ceramic artists.

## *Digital Art - Level 2 <br> ART 06 (S)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 25.00$ |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of 2D Art |  |
| \& Design |  |

In this advanced class, students will transfer their drawing and design skill into the world of Digital Art. Students will create digital paintings and explore basic graphic design concepts using Adobe Photoshop.
*Advanced Studio Art - Level 3 ART 07/ART 08 (S)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: \$25.00 |  |
| Prerequisite: Succe 1 art course and suct level 2 art courses | letion of a completion acher appro |

Advanced art is a studio course in which students will increase technical skills, develop a more sophisticated approach to process the subject matter, and create a portfolio of individual work. Through experimentation and refinement, each person will create a cohesive body of work of self-chosen media. The studio environment of the class will be used to support analysis, reflection and refinement of artwork. In Advanced Studio Art, heavy emphasis will be placed on studying contemporary art as well.


## Business

Courses:
Introduction to Business
Accounting I
Introduction to Marketing
Proctorian
Entrepreneurship
Business Leadership I
Sports \& Entertainment Marketing
Audio/Visual Production
Leadership IN A/V Production
IT Exploration (Tech Internship I)
Tech Internship 2
Tech Internship 3 \& 4
Riding the Rails of Filmmaking:
Creative Movie Magic
DECA Seminar
Culinary \& Hospitality Management

Introduction to Business<br>BUS 01 (S)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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All students would benefit from this course as they train for their career of choice and enter the business world. This course is designed to provide an overview of basic business practices and procedures and familiarize students with basic vocabulary common to business transactions. Students are encouraged to analyze business from both the consumer and the producer's points of view. The course will serve as a background for other, more detailed business courses, as well as preparation for future employment, financial literacy, and consumer decision making.

## *Accounting I

BUS 02 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
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| Prerequisite: 9 " <br> least a B- in 8 " graders math |  |

This course provides information students need to determine if a career in finance is right for them. The Bureau of Labor Statistics identifies Accounting as one of the best careers for job growth in the next decade. This course empowers students with the essential skills they need to understand accounting basics. Lessons include account types (assets, liabilities, expenses, etc) fundamentals of bookkeeping, financial statements, and careers in accounting.

## Introduction to Marketing BUS 03 (S) <br> Grades: 9-12 $\quad$ Credits: 0.5

Students who have an interest in marketing, management, sales, or business ownership would benefit from this course. Learners will explore the exciting fields of marketing, sales, and management. They will study the basics of marketing in the consumer and industrial marketplace. Sales techniques, computers in marketing, cash terminal operation, store security, pricing, and career possibilities in sales and marketing.

## *Sports \& Entertainment Marketing BUS 04 (S)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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| Prerequisite: Intro to Marketing |  |

Students will apply basic marketing concepts to the sports and marketing industry. Through studying these industries, students will learn core marketing functions including channel management, marketing information management, market planning, pricing, product and service management, selling, branding, and promotion. Students will learn the importance and interrelatedness of event marketing components that include: endorsements, sponsorship, corporate partnerships, merchandising, and entertainment venues.

*Entrepreneurship
BUS $\mathbf{0 5}$ (S)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed 2 or the 3 |  |
| Intro classes: Introduction to Business, |  |
| Introduction to Finance or Introduction to |  |
| Marketing |  |

This course is repeatable and provides students with a deeper dive into one of the areas within the business world. As part of this class, students will choose to participate in a class through EDMENTUM with support from the business teacher. The course choices include:

- Entrepreneurship - This course is designed to help students understand the roles and attributes of an entrepreneur, marketing and its components, selling process and operations management. This course discusses entrepreneurship and the economy, marketing fundamentals, managing customers, production and operations management, money business law and taxation.


## *Business Leadership I

BUS 06/BUS 07 (S1 and/or S2)
Grades: 10-12 $\quad$ Credits: 0.5
Prerequisite: Entrepreneurship
This course will develop a student's personal and group leadership skills with a focus on effective communication, decision-making, problem-solving and completion of group activities. Students will develop individual projects that contribute to the improvement of home, business, and community.
*Proctorian BUS 08/BUS 09 (Year)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 1 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Registration is through an <br> application process with Mrs. Voss |  |
| This course does not count as an English |  |
| credit |  |

This is a full-year course. Students write, design and produce the PHS yearbook, the Proctorian. Yearbook content covers school populations, sports, organizations, student life and academics. Course content includes basic digital photography, feature writing, page layout and design skills using software provided by the yearbook publishing company. Students are responsible for all aspects of pre-press production, marketing and distribution of books, and advertising sales. To enroll, students must complete an application, get teacher approval and commit to a full year. Because the Proctorian is a co-curricular activity as well as an academic course, students can expect to attend meetings and work days outside the regular school day.

## DECA Seminar

BUS 10/11 (Y)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 1 |
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Students will explore business concepts and scenarios in the context of preparing for DECA competition, including role-plays, team decision making and group projects.

*Culinary \& Hospitality Management
CUL 06/CUL 07 and BUS 12/13 (Year)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: Up to 2.0 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful Completion of <br> Culinary I \& II |  |
| Fee: $\$ 40.00$ |  |
| This class consists of a 2-hour block. Student <br> will receive both a Business credit and a CTE <br> credit. |  |

Students will have the unique opportunity to focus on the two management styles related to the hospitality industry. Students will have the opportunity to be a part of the culinary team where they focus on the development of creating the team's menu to be executed at the Pro - Start Competition. The other opportunity for students is to learn to apply business skills to the culinary industry. Students will delve into marketing, accounting, finance, human resources, operations, and management as they relate to restaurant development and management. This will culminate in the development of a restaurant business plan and marketing materials for the spring's Pro-Start Competition.


## Audio/Visual Production <br> IT 01/IT 02 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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This course will provide the knowledge and skill necessary for television, video, and film production. Writing scripts, camera operation, use of graphics and other visuals, lighting, audio techniques, editing, and production principles are typical topics. Students will be required to produce programs and segments through Rails TV that support the Proctor School District's image and mission to educate, engage and inspire. Additional topics such as broadcast industry regulations, TV operation, and power of the medium, photography, transmission, and technology may be included as well as career investigation. Students will work live broadcasts (Each Semester $=10$ broadcasts throughout the semester beyond the school day) during the class that will be a part of their grade. These broadcasts will give the student real world experience in all aspects of a live broadcast.

## *Leadership in $\mathbf{A} / \mathrm{V}$ Production IT 03/IT 04 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
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| Prerequisite: 1 credit of AV Production or |  |
| teacher approval. |  |

This will be a more in depth course taken after completing a full credit of Audio/Visual Production. Students will be required to produce programs and segments through Rails TV that support the Proctor School District's image and mission statement to educate, engage and inspire. Additional topics such as broadcast industry regulations, TV operation and power of the medium, photography, transmission and technology. Students will lead and be mentors to students in their first year of $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{V}$ Production and responsible for creating content for weekly live broadcasts.

## IT Exploration (Tech Internship I) IT 05 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
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In this course, you'll explore the vast industry of information technology! This semester-long course serves as a hands-on survey and introduction to information technology and the associated skills and competencies within the industry. Through digital explorations and hands-on experiences, you'll explore information technology skills, tools, and careers from all industries - from design to programming!
The course content focuses on the development of real-world projects that you can use to demonstrate your IT skills. Whether your interests are in graphic design, computers, game design, programming, or data, there's something for everyone in this course!

## *IT Tech Internship II <br> IT 06 (S)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of IT |  |
| Exploration (Tech Internship I) |  |

This course is designed to prepare you to pass the TestOut PC Pro \& CompTIA A+ certifications. The TestOut PC Pro Certification or A+ Certification is the first exam in our Certifications classes. This certification measures not just what you know, but what you can do. It measures your ability to install, manage, repair, and troubleshoot PC hardware and Windows, Linux, and Mac operating systems.

## *IT Tech Internship III \& IV IT 07/08 (S)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of Tech |  |
| Internship II (for Tech III) and III (for Tech IV) |  |

Security Pro certification measures an examinee's ability to perform tasks commonly performed by IT security professionals such as network and systems administrators and IT security specialists. These professionals are typically responsible for helping to implement and maintain security protocols and best practices. Passing the Security Pro Certification means you are capable of implementing layered security through group policy objects, access control lists, wireless and wired local area network security measures, and workstation and mobile device security measures.

## Riding The Rails of Filmmaking: Creative Movie Magic IT 09 (S) <br> Grades: 9-12 $\quad$ Credits: 0.5

This practical, hands-on course will show you the basics of writing, scheduling, prepping, shooting, editing, and distributing a short film. This course is perfect for students who are curious about film or who plan to use digital technology for creative presentations, social media for fun or in college.
Along with looking at the history of movies you will get to learn that making a film is an exciting and collaborative process. You and your teammates will explore the elements of creating a short film, including scheduling, shooting editing and distribution. Groups will use digital cameras to create content to be edited into original digital shorts.

## English-Language Arts

## Courses:

English 9
Sophomore English
Sophomore Communications
American Literature
Fundamentals of Writing
Composition I
CITS Composition II
Public Speaking
Literature Study
CITS Literature Study
Journalism
Mythology \& Folklore
Intro to Philosophy

## English 9 <br> ENG 01/ENG 02 (Year) <br> Meets Requirement: English 9 <br> Grades: $9 \quad$ Credits: 1

English 9 is a required course, which covers various aspects of writing and literature. During the course of the year, students will read multiple novels, Romeo and Juliet, short stories, non-fiction selections, and poetry. Students will interpret, analyze, evaluate, and critique the reading selections. Ninth graders will respond to literature through writing samples. They will also engage in the writing process throughout the year.

Sophomore English
ENG 03 (S1)

| Meets Requirement: English 10 |  |
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| Grades: 10 | Credits: 0.5 |

This course offers a broad overview of literature with an additional emphasis on writing narrative and five-paragraph essays. Students will prepare for the MCA reading test as they interpret, analyze, evaluate, and compare various works of fiction and nonfiction.

## Sophomore Communications ENG 04 (S2)

Meets Requirement: English 10
Grades: $10 \quad$ Credits: 0.5
This semester course is required for graduation. Its overall goal is making students more aware of the communication process and its connection to self, to others, to the community, and to the world at large. To accomplish this goal, the course will use a variety of materials and a variety of literature to further a student's speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. The course will provide a study of the communication process and require students to demonstrate proficiency of several communication situations, such as communicating one-on-one, communicating electronically, communicating through letter writing, and communicating to large groups. The preparation and delivery of a formal, organized speech is an end of semester requirement.


## Fundamentals of Writing ENG 05 (S1)

| Meets Requirement: Junior Writing <br> Requirement - Option 1 |  |
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| Grades: 11 | Credits: 0.5 |

How are writers impacting the world today? How can we use our own writing to make an impact on our world? This course will study how writers explore topics, develop their own ideas, and revise their work to make an impact on others in a digital age. Students will explore all styles of writing, such as informational, creative, and argumentative, and then apply what they learn when writing for an authentic audience.

Composition I
ENG 06 (S1)

| Meets Requirement: Junior Writing <br> Requirement - Option 2 |  |
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| Grades: 11 | Credits: 0.5 |

This is a rigorous writing course and will be taken in the first semester of the junior year or for any senior still needing a writing requirement for graduation. Students will learn to select strong words, create varied and complex sentences, organize these sentences into coherent paragraphs, and finally combine paragraphs into effective written essays. Along with frequent journal writing opportunities, we will complete a number of longer essays including a comparison/contrast and miniresearch paper. Students will research, plan, organize and develop multiple essays moving from single paragraph to multiple-paragraph pieces of writing.
Passing this course with a " B " or higher is a prerequisite for Comp II which is highly recommended for college bound students. Comp I will provide college bound students with essential tools for writing successfully in college, and it will also help students with other future plans to compose effective writing, an ability most will need in various careers post high school.

## *CITS Composition II

ENG 07 (S)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
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| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Student must have a Final grade <br> of " B " or better in Composition I. |  |
| Note: Students who meet the 3.0 GPA <br> requirement set by UMD and successfully <br> complete this course will earn 3 college <br> credits. |  |

Designed as a college course in conjunction with the University of Minnesota Duluth, Composition II focuses on the planning and developing of the argumentative essay. Students propose a topic for research and then examine selected sources in order to justify their own conclusions. The class culminates with a major argumentative essay. and the satisfaction of knowing a huge task has been accomplished. Students exit the class with the confidence to enter the next step of their educational career.

## American Literature

ENG 08 (S2)
Meets Requirement: English 11
Grades: $11 \quad$ Credits: 0.5
This semester class is required for graduation and should be taken during semester 2 of the junior year. Any senior who still needs to achieve this requirement should also register for this class. Students will explore famous works of American literature including poetry, short stories, plays, essays and novels. Discussions and small-group activities will provide opportunities to analyze and evaluate literature in ways that go beyond mere comprehension. A continued focus of the course will be to help students develop both the effective writing and critical thinking skills needed for success in college and employment.


## Literature Study

ENG 09 (S)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
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| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |

The course will challenge any student to improve his or her reading skills for an increasingly diverse world. Through the daily reading of a range of material from various parts of the world, students will analyze the use of concepts focused on improved comprehension, including, but not limited to, understanding the parts of the plot, building a broader vocabulary, analyzing how an author develops a character, and determining theme, tone, and symbolism. Assessment will be based on quizzes, tests, creative and critical essays, and small group and/or individual projects.

*CITS Literature Study ENG 16 (S)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
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| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Student must have a final grade <br> of "B" or better in American Literature. |  |
| Note: Students who meet the 3.0 GPA <br> requirement set by UMD and successfully <br> complete this course will earn 3 college <br> credits. |  |

This is a college level Intro to Literature course. Students will read, write about and discuss various pieces of literature from many genres and time periods. We will emphasize high level analysis, interpretation, application and evaluation of literature and literary techniques. Students will regularly respond in writing and will learn to appreciate the myriad ways literature can enrich our understanding of the human condition.
*Public Speaking
ENG 11 (S)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Student must have passed |  |
| Sophomore Communications to be enrolled |  |
| or with teacher approval. |  |
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This course helps students build confidence in front of an audience. This course in public speaking will focus on a variety of speaking experiences. Students will study, develop, and present a variety of speeches including special occasion, group, impromptu, informative, and persuasive. Students will organize and construct speeches, and actively critique other student presentations. Opportunities may be videotaped for additional feedback. Other opportunities may include oral interpretation and storytelling. Flexibility in course content will be available on the basis of students' needs and interests. Because peer feedback is an integral aspect of the course, attendance is essential.

## *Journalism

ENG 12/ENG 13 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
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| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: To register for Journalism, you <br> must have received an invitation letter or <br> received clearance from the Journalism <br> instructor, Mr. Nathan Johnson |  |

Earn an English credit while working on the award-winning high school newspaper, The Mallet! Students will be trained in news gathering, news writing, feature writing, sports writing, and editorial writing. Headline writing, page design, photography, libel and First Amendment issues, as well as specialized articles such as columns and reviews are also covered. To be successful in Journalism, the student must have good writing skills and be able to meet deadlines. Students interested in becoming a senior editor must enroll in their junior year. Editors use Pagemaker software to construct The Mallet. Training is provided, and once the software is mastered, the student has acquired a valuable job skill.

Mythology \& Folklore
ENG 17 (S)
Meets Requirement: English Elective
Grades:11-12 $\quad$ Credits: 0.5
All cultures and civilizations have their founding mythologies and folklores, and in many ways, myths form the background of a culture's literature. Mythology deals with the stories of gods and goddesses and foundational origin stories about the world or various cultures. We'll explore various myths, like those found in ancient Greek civilizations and Native American origin stories. Folklore literally means "stories of the people," and we will also explore various folk stories from both our own, and other, cultures. One of the key guiding principles of the course is to highlight the various ways mythology and folklore demonstrate the shared desires, fears, instincts, and needs found in all cultures during all time periods. Mythology and folklore help us understand the past and our relation to it, as well as to other cultures.

## Intro to Philosophy

ENG 18 (S)

| Meets Requirement: English Elective |  |
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| Grades:11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |

Philosophy means "the love of wisdom" and it is the ancient and modern practice of investigating the deep questions and mysteries of our existence. Philosophy seeks to explore (note that I don't say "answer") the big questions such as: What is the nature of our reality? How do we "know" what we think we know? What is the nature of "Truth" if there even is such a thing? Why are we here, and how should we live? What does it mean to live a "good" life?
Philosophers have explored these questions for centuries, and in this course, we'll join in these explorations. We'll start with the ancient Greeks and work our way up
through the foundations of philosophical thought to our current day. You'll have to be willing to read, listen, talk, and write about philosophical ideas, and you'll need to be a critical thinker.


## Hospitality

(Career and Technical Education)
Courses:
Culinary I
Culinary II
Culinary \& Hospitality Management
Culinary I
CUL 01 (S)

| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 40.00$ |  |

The Culinary Arts program at Proctor High School is a career exploration based course that is designed to help you (the student) learn the fundamental culinary skills. These are the foundational culinary skills needed to excel in the restaurant/hospitality and tourism industry. This course is based out of Pro Starts, Foundations of Restaurant Management \& Culinary Arts-Level one text book.

## *Culinary II

CUL 02 (S)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: $A$ passing grade of a " C " or <br> higher from Culinary I required to take this <br> class. |  |
| Fee: $\$ 40.00$ |  |

Culinary 2 builds upon the foundations of what students learned in Culinary 1. This course uses Pro Starts Foundations of Restaurant Management \& Culinary Arts-Level 2. Students use their previous knowledge to explore and hone their previous learned Culinary skills. Students will research, develop and create their own recipes that cover a broader spectrum of cultures and culinary cooking techniques.

| *Culinary \& Hospitality Management |
| :--- |
| CUL 06/CUL 07 and BUS 12/13 (Year) |
| Grades: $11-12$ | Credits: Up to 2.0

Students will have the unique opportunity to focus on the two management styles related to the hospitality industry. Students will have the opportunity to be a part of the culinary team where they focus on the development of creating the team's menu to be executed at the Pro-Start Competition. The other opportunity for students is to learn to apply business skills to the culinary industry. Students will delve into marketing, accounting, finance, human resources, operations, and management as they relate to restaurant development and management. This will culminate in the development of a restaurant business plan and marketing materials for the spring's Pro-Start Competition.


## Industrial Technology

(Career and Technical Education)

## Courses:

Basic Woodworking Creative Woodworking<br>Machining and Welding<br>Advanced Machining and Welding Leadership in Welding<br>Intro to Construction

Careers in Construction
Construction Leadership \&
Management
Small Engines
Leadership in Small Engines
CAD
Leadership in CAD
Electricity
Basic Woodworking
IND 01 (S1)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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| Fee: $\$ 30.00$ |  |

This class involves the use of hand tools and their maintenance and the use of some machine tools such as table, jig and band saws, drill press, joiner, disc and belt sanders, router and others depending on the particular project for the semester. It includes the study of wood, lumber and forest products, wood joints, clamping and gluing wood, fasteners used in woodworking such as nails and screws, sanding and finishing, project development, woodworking and related careers, and safety practices and procedures. Students are responsible for completing projects with individual help and instruction given as needed.

* Creative Woodworking

IND 02 (S2)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: D or better in Basic Woods |  |

Fee: Fee is assessed based on the materials needed and used for the student's chosen project. All fees start at $\$ 10$
This class is a program to provide students with the skills needed to create and design home projects. Students will work on creating new projects from scratch to taking old items and refurbishing reclaimed items. Students will be challenged to use their engineering skills to design and create unique one of a kind pieces. Projects can range from Adirondack chairs to cabinets to personal items selected by each student.


Machining and Welding
IND 03 (S)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fee: $\$ 15.00$ |  |

This course gives a student a hands-on, projectbased experience that will help them in developing a skills base essential to the career and technical fields of welding, electricity, and machining. From designing a project to the actual manufacturing, students will be involved the entire way.

## *Advanced Machining and Welding IND 04/IND 05 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: $80 \%$ on placement test based <br> off Machining and Welding |  |
| Fee: $\$ 20.00$ |  |

A student taking this course will advance their skill base and knowledge, welding, and machine technology worlds. Focus will be SMAW, GMAW and TGAW processes. More independence will be given students in this class to complete their tasks at a level requiring professionalism one may expect to find in the career and technical fields.

## *Leadership in Advanced Welding IND 06/IND 07 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Students need to have |  |
| completed Machining \& Welding, Small |  |
| Engines, and 2 Adv. Welding courses in order |  |
| to take this class. |  |

Leadership in Advanced Welding is designed for students who have completed one year of Advanced Welding. The student may be asked to follow certain parts of the Adv. Curriculum. They may also be asked to assist the teacher in helping students understand complex concepts or skills. Students may also have duties such as an independent study project or helping prep materials for Machining and Welding.

*Intro to Construction
IND 08 (S)

| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Basic Woodworking and <br> Creative Woodworking |  |

The course prepares students to apply their knowledge and hands-on skills learned in our new construction lab to better prepare them for the trades. In class students will have the opportunity to experience a variety of skills utilized in the trades. The class will be broken up into three modules. These include carpentry, plumbing/HVAC and electrical. The first module is residential building construction which will focus on how to select a site, obtain applicable permits, read house plans, plan a foundation, framing the structure and all other aspects to the building envelope. Second, the plumbing/HVAC module will provide students the opportunity to learn how to install PEX tubing, seat copper pipes, install PVC/CVPC pipe, install black/galvanized pipe, hook up fixtures, troubleshooting, heating options and plumbing codes. Finally, the electrical module will provide students the opportunity to learn basic electricity, how to run circuits, electrical layout, install fixtures, bend conduit and receive an introduction to the National Electrical Code (NEC).

*Careers in Construction
IND $09 \& 10 /$ IND $11 \& 12$

## (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 per class |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have successfully passed |  |
| Basic Woodworking and Intro to Construction |  |

Students taking this course will explore the field of construction up close and personal. All students will be involved in the building of a residential home from the ground up that will later be sold. This course covers such aspects of the construction world as masonry, carpentry, electrical, and finish work to name just a few. Skills learned in this course may be used in everyday life or towards future schooling and /or in the obtaining of jobs in the trades and technical fields.

## *Construction Leadership and

 Management (Careers in Construction 2.0)IND 13/IND 14 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of 2 <br> credits or 4 semesters of construction <br> obtaining a minimum of a C average |  |

Upon completion of two credits or 4 semesters of construction, obtaining a minimum of a C average, and you wish to continue to take Careers in Construction, you will need to sign up for this class. In this class you will be working with the instructor to help mentor and make decisions while successfully leading and developing a team approach. You will be required to be good at math skills and knowledge of building materials and the processes involved as you apply what you've learned from the first two years of construction. You will be examining blueprints and estimating quantities and costs of materials and ensure that all codes and standards are met. You must receive approval from Mr. Harnell to enroll in this class.

## Small Engines <br> IND 15/IND 16 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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This course offers an intensive study of the operation, maintenance, and repair of small gasoline engines. Instructional topics include principles of operation of internal combustion engines, repair and service procedures, and disassembly, overhaul and reassembly of a Honda GCV vertical shaft four stroke engine. Students will be spending time understanding and developing engine theory of both two \& four stroke engines. Upon completion of the main coursework, students are expected to bring in an approved small engine project that can be repaired in the shop.

## *Leadership in Small Engines <br> IND 17/IND 18 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of 2 |  |
| semesters of Small Engines |  |

Leadership in Small Engines is a course for students who have taken Small Engines twice and are looking for a career in the transportation industry. A student that is in leadership will need an advanced project such as an engine rebuild or make multiple repairs in order to gain skills for industry.


## CAD (Computer Aided Design and Drafting) <br> IND 19/IND 20 (S1 and/or S2)

Grades: 9-12 Credits: 0.5
Computer-aided design systems are used by designers and manufactures in virtually every industry to create engineering design solutions. In this course, students are introduced to engineering, learning the basics of CAD software: creating points, lines, other geometric forms, isometric drawings, and 3D models. They learn how to translate initial concepts into functional designs and 3D walkthroughs and explore career options in this hands-on introductory-level course.
*Leadership in CAD IND 21/IND 22 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of 2 |  |
| semesters of CAD |  |

Leadership in CAD is for a student who has completed 2 semesters of CAD. Interested students may assist other students with CAD concepts, work on 3D printing, cutting on the Plasma table or laser engraving. A leadership student will be required to design and draw a "dream home". They may be required to 3D print a scale or build a scaled model.


## Electricity

IND 23 (S)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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This class concerns everyone. Do you plan on having your own house someday? Do you like working with your hands, hand tools, and power tools? Do you have a high attention to detail, like to configure, assemble, test devices, troubleshoot and build? Are you looking into a possible pathway as an electrician, linesman, communications, security systems, etc. You will learn about low voltage wiring, circuits, outlets, lighting, distribution panels, installing conduit, rough in, electrical box installation, stapling, troubleshooting, special wiring, device installations, and final trimming. It will be a combination of lecture and demonstrations in a classroom at school and practical application at PHS Careers in Construction residential home off campus. You will be expected to ride the bus and work in a semi-heated residential home. You will learn how to wire a home, which can be made into a career or applicable knowledge which can be applied as homeowner. We must meet the National Electrical Codes. YOU MUST HAVE A HIGH ATTENTION TO DETAIL. WORK MUST BE DONE AT A HIGH LEVEL.


## Mathematics

Students please be aware of the general mathematics requirements for 4 -year colleges and universities: minimum of 3 years of mathematics including Geometry and Algebra II

## Courses:

Intermediate Algebra
Geometry
Accelerated Geometry
Algebra II Concepts
Algebra II
CITS Pre-Calculus
CITS Calculus
Probability and Statistics
CITS Probability and Statistics
Consumer Math

## Intermediate Algebra

MTH 01/MTH 02 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed $8^{\text {th }}$ grade <br> math |  |

This course is for most 9 "" graders. The course covers the fundamental algebraic operations from a modern mathematics point of view. The course reviews and then builds upon the algebraic skills taught in 8 " grade. Topics include quadratic equations, exponents, radicals, and graphing. The topics of probability and statistics will also be explored.
*Geometry
MTH 03/MTH 04 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Intermediate Algebra or |  |
| Algebra 8 teacher recommendation. |  |

The study of geometry has two main objectives: the first is to discover and develop important facts concerning figures that are composed of points, lines, angles, planes, or any combination of these; the second is the study of axiomatic nature of mathematics. In addition to the usual topics of polygons and circles, coordinate geometry and a short study of trigonometry are also included. The facts learned are important, interesting, and are used in industry, science and advanced work in mathematics. Supplies required: Scientific calculator and graph paper notebook.
*Accelerated Geometry
MTH 05/MTH 06 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: $9-12$ | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Teacher Recommendation |  |

This class is designed for students who have demonstrated that they are highly proficient in mathematics and are ready and willing to go both deeper and further with geometric concepts. The topics covered include all those included in a standard geometry course but with additional emphasis on theory, proof, applications and rigor.
*Algebra II Concepts
MTH 07/MTH 08 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades:10-12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Geometry |  |

This course is designed for those students that have passed Geometry, and need to bolster their math skills prior to taking the MCA or enrolling in Algebra II. In addition to offering a review of Intermediate Algebra, this course will incorporate concepts from Algebra II such as functions, probability, statistics and graph theory, and will place an emphasis on Quadratics. In addition, the course will provide a general overview of concepts from the MN Standards in Math.
*Algebra II
MTH 09/MTH 10 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: $10-12$ | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: "C" or better in Geometry, by <br> teacher permission or completed Algebra II <br> Concepts with a passing grade. |  |

Algebra II is a review and an extension of the topics covered in Intermediate Algebra and Geometry. New topics included are a study of number systems, operations with polynomials, relations, exponential functions and logarithms, sequences and series, and introductory trigonometry. This course is a prerequisite for all college mathematics courses and for many related science courses. Algebra II will be needed by those students planning careers in mathematics, physics, chemistry, geology, general science, accounting, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, medical technology, engineering, computer technology, fish and wildlife management and agriculture. Carpenters, masons, electricians, bookkeepers, machinist, mechanics, and many other trade occupations use algebra. Supplies required: scientific calculator or graphing calculator and graph paper notebook.
*CITS Pre-Calculus
MTH 13/MTH 14 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: $11-12$ | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Algebra II |  |
| Students must meet the criteria set by UMD <br> and successfully complete this course to <br> receive 4 college credits. |  |

The course integrates ideas of functions and trigonometry usually studied at this level, with the statistics and data analysis necessary to function successfully in the worlds of today and tomorrow. Functions are widely recognized as a major unifying theme in mathematics. This course builds that understanding with real-world problems, establishing a firm foundation for future work in mathematics courses and in applications the students will meet in their lives. Supplies required: Graphing Calculator T183 and graph paper notebook.

## *CITS Calculus <br> MTH 15/MTH 16 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Geometry, Algebra II, and Pre- <br> Calculus. |  |
| Students must have a 3.0 GPA to receive <br> college credit. Students will receive 5 credits <br> from UMD after meeting the course <br> requirements. |  |

Designed for the college-bound student who has completed the math sequence through PreCalculus. This course will be the equivalent of 1 semester of college calculus. The major topics covered are algebraic functions, derivatives of algebraic functions and applications, integration and applications of the definite integral, transcendental functions, and methods of integration. Supplies required: Graphing calculator and graph notebook paper.

## *Basics of Probability and Statistics

 MTH 11 (S1)| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
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| Grades: $11-12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of |  |
| Algebra II Concepts or Algebra II |  |

Students will explore aspects and applications of statistics and probability in everyday life, nature business, sports, etc. Emphasis will be placed on cooperative learning, group work, and project based assignments dealing with statistical collection and analysis and probability experimentation. The course will familiarize the students with how these topics apply to the real world and also be a good introduction for those who may pursue a related career.

* CITS Probability and Statistics
MTH 17/MTH 18 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Grades: 11-12 Credits: 1 |  |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of <br> Algebra II <br> Students must have a 3.0 GPA to receive <br> college credit. Students will receive TBD <br> credits from UMD after meeting the course <br> requirements. |  |

Probability and Statistics are the mathematics used to understand chance and to collect, organize, describe, and analyze numerical data. Course topics will include the study of introduction to statistics, summarizing and graphing data, statistics for describing, exploring and comparing data, probability, discrete probability distributions, normal probability distributions, estimates and sample sizes, hypothesis testing, inferences from two samples and correlation and regression. By the end of the course students will be sensible, critical users of probability and statistics, able to apply the processes and principles developed in this course to real-world problems.

## *Consumer Math

MTH 12 (S2)

| Meets Requirement: Math |  |
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| Grades: 11, 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of <br> Algebra II Concepts or Algebra II |  |

This course focuses on the mathematics involved in making wise consumer decisions. Students will explore the many ways in which mathematics affects their daily lives. Topics covered will include paychecks and wages, taxes, insurance, budgets, band accounts, credit cards, interest calculations, and comparison shopping. Additional topics may include vehicle and home purchasing, investing, and business/employee management.


## Music

## Courses:

Concert Band
Symphonic Band
Jazz Band
Railway Choir
Concert Choir

## Concert Band

MUS 01/MUS 02 (Year)
Grades: 9-10 $\quad$ Credits: 1
Enrollment in the Concert Band is by audition only. Students will continue to develop technical skills as well as work on the mental discipline needed to advance to a higher level of performance. Various styles of literature will be performed with focus placed on the technical aspects of music. Students have an opportunity to participate in large group and solo/ensemble experience.

## Symphonic Band MUS 03/MUS 04 (Year) <br> Grades: 11-12 Credits: 1

Enrollment in Symphonic Band is by audition only. Course includes performance of difficult concert literature of various styles and development of higher-level sight reading skills. The focus will be placed on musical interpretation of concert pieces. Students have an opportunity to participate in large group and solo/ensemble experience. Enrollment is based on playing ability and instrumentation needs.

## *Jazz Band <br> MUS 05/ MUS 06 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 9-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must be enrolled in Concert or |  |
| Symphonic Band. Approval of Director. |  |

This performance-based course will allow students to explore jazz in an ensemble. Students will study basic jazz techniques and develop skills through performing jazz repertoire ranging from intermediate to advanced. Performances include the high school concerts, with the potential for more performance opportunities as they arise. Any band instrument is allowed, including guitar, piano, and bass guitar.

## Railway Choir <br> MUS 07/MUS 08 (Year)

Grade- 9 Soprano/Alto Singers
Credits: 1
Railway choir will work on various styles of repertoire; including world, pop, holiday, secular and contemporary music. Students will work to develop their musical skills through written music theory, sight singing and technique building exercises. There will be 3-4 required performances throughout the year.

## Concert Choir MUS 09/MUS10 (Year)

| Grade- 9-12 Tenor and Basses and | Credits: |
| :---: | :---: |
| $10-12$ Sopranos and Altos | 1 |

This choir will perform advanced level repertoire; including world, pop, holiday, secular, and contemporary music. Students must show a proficient level of music reading skill and sing in tune confidently. There will be 3-4 required performances throughout the year. This group will also perform at the Large Group Festival and various other opportunities throughout the year.

## Pathways

## Course:

Sophomore Academic Seminar
Work Based Learning
Introduction to Allied Health
Commercial Driver's License (CDL)

## Sophomore Academic Seminar PW 01(S)

Meets Requirement: Required
Grades: $10 \quad$ Credits: 0.5
The overarching questions for this course are: Who are you? Where are you going? How are you going to get there? In this class we dig into Career Awareness, Career exploration and Career preparation. The ultimate goal of this class is to prepare students with the knowledge, skills, mindset, and experiences in the academic, workplace and personal/social domains to keep learning and, beyond secondary school to successfully navigate towards and adapt to an economically viable career.
*Work Based Learning PW 02 /PW 03 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits 0.5 |
| :--- | :--- |

Application is part of the process to enroll in this course.

Work-based learning is an opportunity for students to earn credit while participating in the world of work. Work-based learning opportunities can include internships, volunteer work and paid jobs. The work-based learning experience provides students with opportunities to explore careers, master specific learning objectives and earn academic credit. Get paid, get credit and gain valuable work experience while planning your future.

## * Introduction to Allied Health PW 04 (S)

| Grades: 10-12 | Credits 0.5 |
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| Prerequisite: $10^{\text {th }}$ Grade - 3.0 GPA must meet or exceed $8^{\text {th }}$ gr. MCA Reading <br> $11^{\text {th }}$ Grade -3.0 GPA <br> $12^{\text {th }}$ Grade -2.5 GPA |  |
| Students will receive 2 credits from Lake Superior College upon successful completion of this course. |  |

This course prepares students for rapidly changing healthcare careers. This course includes basic knowledge healthcare workers utilize contributing to the safe and effective delivery of healthcare. Courses content focuses on: behaviors for success in healthcare, communications in the healthcare setting, awareness and sensitivity to patient needs, legal issues in healthcare, ethical issues in healthcare, respecting patient and staff diversity and healthcare safety and Standard Precautions.

* This class is a Hybrid class - Online class and in-person labs located at Lake Superior College - Main Campus



## * Commercial Driver's License (CDL) PW 05 (S)

| Grades: Must have a | Credits 0.5 |
| :--- | :--- |
| driver's license and |  |
| must be 18 to apply |  |
| for the Minnesota |  |
| Commercial |  |
| Learner's Permit |  |

The Minnesota commercial Driver's License ELDT (Entry Level Driver's Training) is a Class B Theory Training. This class prepares student for entry into the trucking and logistics industry. This is a 1 Semester course that will consist of classroom instruction, demonstrations, and hands-on exercises. Upon completion of the course, students will be prepared to apply for the Minnesota commercial Learner's Permit (CLP) written exam and then will have the option to begin behind the wheel training with a potential employer or higher educational facility. This course meets the US Department of Transportation Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's Entry Level Driver Training Standards. In person course work at PHS. Hands on learning will be off campus. Space is

## Limited



## Physical

Education/Health

## Courses:

Physical Education 9
Health 10
U-Fit
Team Sports
Advanced Team Sports
RAILstrong Performance Training
CITS Physical Education and Fitness
Unified Phy-Ed
Fitness for Life

## Physical Education 9

PEH 01 (S)

| Meets Requirement: Phy Ed |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 9 | Credits: 0.5 |

Physical Education 9 is a required course for graduation that includes co-educational activities in team, individual sports, and dance. The course will stress physical fitness, play, conditioning strategies and rules. The class meets 5 days per week for one semester.

Health 10
PEH 02 (S)

| Meets Requirement: Health |  |
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| Grades: 10 | Credits: 0.5 |

Health 10 is a course designed to give students a working knowledge of the human body and its systems. Anatomy, physiology, and disorders of each system, sexual health education, and social issues pertaining to today's youth are discussed. This course is required for graduation. This class will meet 5 days per week for one semester. Students will have the opportunity to be certified in CPR and AED.
*Team Sports
PEH 06 (S)

| Grades: $10,11,12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of <br> Physical Education 9 |  |

This class is designed for students interested in learning skills and strategies related to team/recreational sports. This course will include daily skill instruction and implementation of those skills into a competitive game setting. Sports may include, but are not limited to: basketball, flag football, soccer, team handball, lacrosse, pickleball, badminton, floor hockey, volleyball, spike ball, paddle zlam, etc. This course will also include daily cardiovascular fitness.


*RAILSTRONG Performance Training PEH 09/ PEH 10 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: $10,11,12$ | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: A passing grade of "C" or higher |  |
| from U-Fit, Advanced U-Fit or CITS Physical |  |
| Education and Fitness is required or |  |
| instructor's permission or student athletes |  |
| that have prior weight training experience. |  |

This course is designed to enhance the necessary performance skills for individuals seeking specific training to their athletic or personal needs. The course will combine various elements of strength training as well as plyometric, agility, and speed development. Each individual will have the opportunity to follow an established training program or create their own unique training program. Students enrolled during their competitive season will adjust their training schedule to accommodate competitive physical demands. The course may be repeated with instructor approval.

## *CITS Physical Education and Fitness

 PEH 11 (S)| Grades: 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Students must have a 3.0 <br> cumulative GPA to register for this course or <br> have instructor's permission. |  |
| Note: Students who are juniors and seniors <br> earn 2 college credits through an articulation <br> agreement with UMD upon successful <br> completion of this course. |  |

This is an educational elective physical education class that focuses on personal fitness, strength, and conditioning. The course will stress personal improvement of overall fitness and the benefits of physical training. Students will follow a regiment of conditioning activities as well as a program designed to fit their personal needs. Students will record and account for their work by weekly journaling and record keeping as well as charting their physical development through fitness testing. The basic objective of the course is to provide students with working knowledge, skills and an appreciation for lifelong fitness programs as well as improving student's self-esteem

## *Unified Phy Ed <br> PEH 12/ PEH 13 (S1 and/or S2)

| Grades: 11,12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Students must be a Senior or <br> Junior in good academic standing and <br> successful completion of PE 9. Special <br> Olympic or Leadership experience <br> preferred. |  |
| Important Note: Requesting this course does <br> not guarantee enrollment. Selection will take <br> place through an interview process with <br> instructor. |  |

Unified Physical Education is a unique physical education course that combines students of all abilities to participate in developmentally appropriate activities including lifetime activities, physical fitness, and sport. Students will work together to increase competence and confidence in a variety of physical activities. Through ongoing leadership opportunities,
members of this course will be empowered to help create a more inclusive and accepting school environment and community for all students.

*Fitness For Life
PEH 14 (S)

| Grades 10-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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Prerequisite: Successful completion of Phy Ed 9
The goal of Fitness for Life is to provide students with a wide variety of fitness activities for lifetime wellness. This class will include such activities as fitness in the forms of kettlebells, band workouts, yoga, pilates, barre, dance fitness, and other basic fitness concepts. Students will also learn how to properly design a workout and personal plan. Basic muscle groups and exercises will be reviewed in this class.


## Science

Students, please be aware of the general science requirements for 4 -year college and universities: minimum of 3 years of science including one year each of a biological and physical science, each with significant lab experience.

## Courses:

Science 9
Biology
Chemistry
CITS Honors Chemistry
Honors Chemistry Seminar
Pre-Engineering (Physics)
Anatomy and Physiology
Genetics Related to Forensic Science
Marine Science
Horticulture

Science 9
SCI 01/SCI 02 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Science |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 9 | Credits: 1 |

Science 9 will allow students to explore and answer questions about outer space, the Earth, and Earth's changing climate. We will follow the origin of every element in the universe and follow some key elements as they travel through Earth's systems. Students will work to discover and come up with solutions to current Earth and atmospheric science problems.

## Biology

SCI 03/ SCI 04 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Science |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 10 | Credits: 1 |

General Biology will study the basic forms of plant and animal life, with an emphasis on cellular biology, genetics, ecology, evolution, natural history of invertebrates and vertebrates. Grading will include laboratory experience, tests, quizzes, and research projects.

General Chemistry
SCI 05/ SCI 06 (Year)
Meets Requirement: Science
Grades: 11-12 $\quad$ Credits: 1
General Chemistry is specifically for the junior or senior student that needs a chemistry credit to graduate high school. General Chemistry is designed as a foundational level class for those with interest in learning about the makeup of the world around them at the atomic level. The class is developed with the use of technology in mind using Canvas-and Google. Emphasis is on the scientific method, the atom, bonding and reactions with "hands on" and "minds on" experiments to support understanding.
*CITS Chemistry
SCI 07/SCI 08 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Science |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Top $1 ⁄ 2$ of class as a senior or <br> junior. Must average a "C" in high school <br> math courses. |  |
| Note: Students will receive 3 college credits <br> upon successful completion of this class from <br> Lake Superior College. |  |

This course is structured specifically for the college bound junior or senior student. This class will not only give students a strong foundation in Chemistry, but will also better prepare students for college level rigor in any program not just sciences. This class will cover the atomic structure, bonding of elements, reactions of elements, and properties of all substances. Emphasis placed in understanding instead of memorization and introduces safety in the laboratory and knowledge of chemicals and their effects. Class will be as a college style class with lecture, laboratory, projects and quizzes/tests being a majority of what is being graded.

## *Honors Chemistry Seminar

 SCI 09 (S)| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Completion of Honors |  |
| Chemistry with a B- or General Chemistry |  |
| with an A- or higher. Prior instructor |  |
| approval. Three - Five student maximum. |  |

Honors Chemistry Seminar is a course that operates on a contract basis with the student. Students explore material and subject matter working to further his or her understanding of college level chemistry. Curriculum will be given by the instructor unless a student desires to study a particular field in chemistry. This course is designed as an independent study which demands individual student motivation; however, the instructor guides, advises and provides additional curriculum input and ideas.

## Pre-Engineering (Physics)

SCI 10/SCI 11 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Science |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 11,12 | Credits: 1 |

Pre-engineering satisfies the general physics requirement while combining concepts using the design model of engineering. Student use problem-solving skills to tackle real-world engineering, hands-on opportunities with computers and project simulations. The class will study the laws of physics through real world applications such as aviation, medical technology and catastrophic event analysis.
*Anatomy and Physiology SCI 12/SCI 13 (Year)

| Grades: 11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have completed General |  |
| Biology with a minimum grade of " B " or |  |
| obtain pre-approval from the instructor. |  |

In this course, students examine the structure and function of mammal body systems: orientation, tissues, skeletal, muscular, nervous, sensory, endocrine, cardiovascular, immune, digestive, and urinary systems. This course includes
required hands-on dissections of a variety of tissues, organs and animals. For students interested in a health or veterinary science related filed. This course helps fulfill a labscience requirement.

## *Genetics Related to Forensic Science SCI 14 (S2)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: A or B in Biology or teacher |  |
| recommendation. |  |

This course will feature: the study and use of basic scientific concepts and technologies related to solving crime in society. Throughout the study of forensic science, learners are given the opportunity to explore and further understand basic scientific concepts specific to this field of study
Conservation of Natural Resources
SCI 18/SCI 19 (Y)

| Grades:11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed Biology with |  |
| a " $C^{\prime}$ " |  |
|  |  |

If you love the outdoors, this is the class for you. Conservation of Natural Resources is a class that will teach students best management practices to preserve natural resources while developing land for human uses such as hunting and wild life management, farming, forestry, and even urban property development. Students will connect with local professionals in the field from the DNR, Parks and Recreations, US Forest Services and local Farmers in order to develop land management plans to get the most out of the natural resources available. The class will involve multiple outdoor field trips. It is a yearlong course for $11^{\text {th }}$ and $12^{\text {th }}$ graders.

## *Marine Science

SCI 17 (S)

| Grades:11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed Biology with <br> a "C" or higher |  |

Have you ever wondered about the secrets of the deep, and how the creatures below the ocean surface live and thrive? In this course, students will examine the physical, chemical and biological aspects of the marine environment with emphasis on the ecology, biodiversity, sustainability and conservation of marine resources. The course offers the opportunity to begin to understand aquatic cycles, structures, and processes that generate and sustain life in the sea. Students will participate in aquatic scientific measurement and research, requiring outdoor field trips

## Horticulture

SCI 20 (S)

| Grades: 11,12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed Biology with |  |
| a "C" or higher |  |



This course is designed for students who are interested in learning about the kingdom of the green, PLANTS! This course focuses on the structures, needs and behaviors of plants in a hands-on learning environment. Students will spend time in the grow lab exploring plants and learning what they need to thrive. Students will also explore and learn about the local agriculture and the importance of where/how food is grown.

## Social Studies

## Courses:

American History
World History
Government and Citizenship
Economics
CITS Economics
World Geography and Global Issues
CITS World Regional Geography and Global Issues
Social Problems
Criminology
CITS Psychology
CITS Sociology
Leadership and Community Engagement

## American History

SOC 01/SOC 02 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 9 | Credits: 1 |

This course is a broad overview of American History from Discovery to the Present. Students study the major events which shaped our country politically, economically, and socially. A rounded discussion of the positive positions and decisions as well as the follies will be studied. Students are given multiple opportunities, and an emphasis is placed on the student's ability, to discuss, reflect and write about the impact of history on their lives and how history continues to effect current events. Major events which will be discussed include but are not limited to: The American Revolution, the Civil War, The West, Progressives, Expansion, World War I, World War II, Post War America, Vietnam, the Conservative Backlash and the War on Terrorism.


World History
SOC 03/ SOC 04 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 10 | Credits: 1 |

World History is designed to be an introductory and overview course of World History from the dawn of civilization to the $21^{\text {" }}$ century. All regions of the world will be discussed and introduced. Historical writing and thought will be emphasized. The impact of World History events on the student's lives will be a particular point of emphasis. Exams, projects, essays and other critical thinking assignments will all be used. This is a broad and wide ranging course designed to provide a World History foundation.

## Government and Citizenship SOC 05 (S1 or S2)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 11 | Credits: 0.5 |

This course is an introduction to American Government and Citizenship. We will look at the structure and function of our federal government, the role of a citizen in a democratic republic, and how you can be involved and participate in the democratic process. We will do this by utilizing critical thinking, study skills and research. This course is required for graduation.

## Economics

SOC 06 (S1)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |

[^0]*CITS Economics
SOC 07 (S1)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |
| Prerequisite: Students must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA to register for this course. |  |
| Note: Students will receive 3 college credits through an articulation agreement with UMD upon meeting the requirements of this class. |  |

This course is designed to gain insight in the fundamental concepts of economics as well as concepts associated with microeconomics, macroeconomics and international economics. Because the course is offered for college credit, the rigors will require advanced understanding of economic concepts as well as the ability to apply concepts to current economic issues and problems.

Geography and Global Issues
SOC 08 (S2)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |

In this course students will learn basic skills of geography. The Minnesota Geography standards will be covered, with an emphasis on cultural geography and locations of the countries of the world. The Global Issues Senior Symposium Capstone is an essential component of this class.

*CITS World Regional Geography and Global Issues
SOC 09 (S2)

| Meets Requirement: Social |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 0.5 |

Prerequisite: Students must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA to register for this course. Note: Students will receive 3 college credits through an articulation agreement with UMD upon meeting the requirements of this class.
In this course students will learn the geography of human groups in diverse settings. Emphasis on cultural diversity, regional development and human and developmental forces shaping regional patterns and processes; geographical analysis of selected regions and countries. The Global Issues Senior Symposium Capstone is an essential component of this class. This is a college class and expectations will be high, with significant work expected outside of class.

## Criminology

SOC 10 (S1)

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\hline \text { Grades: } 11-12 & \text { Credits: } 0.5 \\
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Criminology is an elective semester class that concentrates on the criminal justice system and law related careers. This class examines what crime is, the media's impact on the view of crime, who commits crime and why in relation to social class, race, age and gender. Lastly Due Process rights are studied through a case study. This class is useful to students who have an interest in a career in law or law enforcement. Throughout the course of the semester different professionals from the law and law enforcement fields may visit class to discuss their career and answer any questions students may have.


## Social Problems

SOC 11 (S2)
Grades: 11-12 Credits: 0.5
Social Problems is a course which examines a wide array of issues that affect the United States. The first topic of study will be genocide with a focus on the Holocaust. The slow implementation of race laws, the use of propaganda, discrimination, the U.S response, ghettoization and the Final Solution will all be discussed. Other genocides will be studied as well and may include, Native/Indigenous genocide, the Armenian genocide and the Killing Fields of Cambodia. Other topics can and will include studies of historical entertainment, its forms as well as entertainment's impact on society. Historical Disease will be studies and will include the Black Plague, the 1918 flu, HIV/AIDS and COVID. Lastly an examination of Immigration through time will wrap up the course. A historical, economic, psychological and sociological perspective will be incorporated in this course. The ultimate goal of this course is for the student to 1 - examine differences in our society 2 - to evaluate the impact of these differences 3- examine his/her place in society 4- attain a global perspective and lastly 5 - to process through how these events impact our society as a whole.

## *CITS Psychology

SOC 12 (S1)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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| Prerequisite: Students must meet the criteria <br> set by LSC |  |
| Note: Students successfully completing the <br> requirements of this course will earn 3 <br> college credits with Lake Superior College. |  |

General Psychology is a general education course which will familiarize the student with
the basic principles of psychology, present a practical application of these principles, show how psychologists employ the scientific method, and equip the beginning student of psychology with a working vocabulary of psychological terminology and critical thinking skills. Areas to be covered include research, theoretical perspectives, the nervous system, learning, personality, memory, psychological disorders, and therapy. This is a college course with a college textbook and expectations will be high.

## *CITS Sociology <br> SOC 13 (S2)

| Grades: 11-12 | Credits: 0.5 |
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Prerequisite: Students must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA to register for this course.
Note: Students will receive 4 college credits through an articulation agreement with UMD upon meeting the requirements of this class.
This class is being offered for both high school credit and college credit through UMD. The course is a basic introduction to sociological principles and concepts with the objective of establishing a sociological perspective in viewing issues in society. Units covered will include information and society, sociological theory, sociological investigation, concepts of culture and society, the socialization process, social groups and organization, social class and stratification, institutions, social change and societal issues. There is a class attendance requirement for college credit.

Leadership \& Community Engagement SOC 14 (S)
Meets Requirement: Social
Grades: 11 Credits: 0.5
This class explores leadership skills, community service and civic engagement, basic financial literacy and a look into the future for students, using the pathway model.

## World Languages

Please be aware of the following entrance requirements for area colleges:
UMD-Minimum 2 years of single second language
CSS-Prefer minimum 3 years of single second language
UWS, LSC, WITC and Fond Du Lac - No foreign language requirement

## Courses:

French I, II, III and IV
German II
Spanish I, II and CITS Spanish III
*French I
LANG 01/LANG 02 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 9,10,11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Incoming freshmen must have at least a " $B$ " average in English 8 or teacher approval. |  |

Did you know that French is the primary language in over 40 countries around the world? French and English are the only two global languages! French is spoken on all five continents! The study of French will give you exciting choices later on in your studies or your career. If you're a college-bound student with good study skills and the desire to learn about a fascinating culture, this is the class for you! We cover the four areas of communication, with a focus on vocabulary building, listening, and speaking skills. Along with our textbook, we use music, podcasts, films, magazines, foods, and hands-on activities to practice language skills and learn more about the culture of France and French-speaking countries.
Note: World Language is not a requirement for high school graduation.
*French II
LANG 03/LANG 04 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: $10,11,12$ | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of French |  |

Students will continue to develop the basic language skills with increased emphasis on speaking and reading French. A variety of projects and hands-on activities will allow
students to use this material in typical real-life French situations. This course will satisfy entrance requirements of most public 4-year universities.
*French III
LANG 05/LANG 06 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades:11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of French |  |
| II |  |

This course is designed for those students who want to continue their studies in the French language and culture. Students will build on their previous years' knowledge and continue growth in communication skills as speaking, listening, reading and writing. Students will also have the chance to study the culture of French speaking countries and compare this to their own culture. This course will satisfy entrance requirements to many of the college and universities.
*French IV
LANG 07/LANG 08 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of French |  |
| III |  |

This course is designed for those students who want to continue their studies in the French language and culture. Students will build on their previous years' knowledge and continue growth in communication skills as speaking, listening, reading and writing. Students will also have the chance to study the culture of French speaking countries and compare this to their own culture. This course will satisfy entrance requirements to many of the college and universities.

*German II
LANG 11/LANG 12 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 10,11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of |  |
| German I |  |

Students will continue to concentrate on the four basic skill areas with more of an emphasis placed on speaking, reading, and the cultural aspects of German. Vocabulary building will also be stressed. This course will satisfy entrance requirements of most public 4 -year universities.
Note: World Language is not a requirement for high school graduation.


## *Spanish I

LANG 15/LANG 16 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: $9,10,11,12$ | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Incoming freshmen must have  <br> at least a " B " average in English 8 or teacher  <br> approval.  <br>  ${ }^{2}$. |  |

Designed primarily for the college bound student and for those whose interests, abilities, and good study habits will allow them to be successful in the study of a second language. This course will cover the four basic language skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing with a major emphasis placed on vocabulary building, listening skills, and correct pronunciation. Students will also be exposed to the cultural diversity of the Spanish speaking community both in the U.S.A. and in the other 20 other countries where Spanish is spoken. Note: World Language is not a requirement for high school graduation.
*Spanish II
LANG 17/LANG 18 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 10,11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Successful completion of |  |
| Spanish I |  |

Students will continue to concentrate on the four basic skill areas with more of an emphasis placed on speaking, reading, and the cultural aspects of Spanish. Vocabulary building will also be stressed. This course will satisfy entrance requirements of most public 4-year universities.

## *CITS Spanish III

LANG 19/LANG 20 (Year)

| Meets Requirement: Elective |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Grades: 11,12 | Credits: 1 |
| Prerequisite: Must have passed Spanish II |  |
| with a B or higher. |  |
| $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Note: Students earn 8 college credits through } \\ \text { an articulation agreement with St. } \\ \text { Scholastica. } \\ \text { (St. Scholastica courses SPN 1111,1112) } \\ \hline\end{array}\right\}$. |  |

This is a college course offered through St. Scholastica. Students may earn 8 total credits, 4 for each semester. Good study habits are a must. Ability and willingness to participate orally in an active manner are required. Students will be held to the same standards as their St. Scholastica counterparts. Completion of this course will satisfy the entrance requirements of most public and private 4 year universities.



## HIGH SCHOOL TIMELINE

## GRADE 9

Plan

- Start planning now! Take the right courses and earn the best grades you can.
- Ask your counselor for a list of your high school's NCAA core courses to make sure you take the right classes. Or, find your high school's list of NCAA core courses at eligibilitycenter.org/courselist.


## GRADE 10

Register

- Register for a Certification Account or Profile Page with the NCAA Eligibility Center at eligibilitycenter.org.
- If you fall behind on courses, don't take shortcuts to catch up. Ask your counselor for help with finding approved courses or prograrns you can take.


## GRADE 11

## Study

- Check with your counselor to make sure you are on track to graduate on time.
- Take the ACT or SAT, and make sure we gat your scores by using code 9999
- At the end of the year, ask your counselor to upload your official transcript.


## GRADE I2

Graduate

- Take the ACT or SAT again, if necessary. and make sure we get your scores by using code 9999.
- Request your final amateurism certification atter April 1.
- Alter you graduate, ask your counselor to upload your final official transcript with proof of graduation.


## Core Courses

This simple formula will help you meet Division I and II core-course requirements.
$4 \times 4=16$
+4 English courses (one per year)
+4 math courses (one per year)
+4 science courses (one per year)
+4 social science courses (one per year)
$=16$ NCAA CORE COURSES

## For more information:

ncaa.org/playcollegesports
eligibilitycenter.org

## Search Frequently

Asked Questions
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If you want to play sports at an NCAA Division I or II school, start by registering for a Certification Account with the NCAA Eligibility Center at eligibilitycenter.org. If you want to play Division III sports or you aren't sure where you want to compete, start by creating a Profile Page at eligibilitycenter.org.

## ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

To play sports at a Division I or II school, you must graduate from high school, complete 16 NCAA-approved core courses, earn a minimum GPA, and earn an ACT or SAT score that matches your core-course GPA.

CORE COURSES
Visit eligibilitycenter.org/courselist for a full list of your high school's approved core courses.
Complete 16 core courses in the following areas:

## DIVISION I

Complete 10 NCAA core courses, including seven in English, math or natural/physical science, before your seventh semester.

DIVISION II




2 years


3 years


## GRADE-POINT AVERAGE

The NCAA Eligibility Center calculates your grade-point average (GPA) based on the grades you earn in NCAA-approved core courses.

- DI requires a minimum 2.3 GPA
- DIl requires a minimum 2.2 GPA


## SLIDING SCALE

Divisions I and II use sliding scales to match test scores and GPAs to determine eligibility. The sliding scale balances your test score with your GPA. If you have a low test score, you need a higher GPA to be eligible. Find more information about sliding scales at ncaa.org/playcollegesports.

## TEST SCORES

Take the ACT or SAT as many times as you want before you enroll full time in college, but remember to list the NCAA Eligibility Center (code 9999) as a score recipient whenever you register to take a test. If you take a test more than once, send us all your scores and we will choose the best scores from each test section to create your sum score. We accept official scores only from the ACT or SAT, and won't use scores shown on your high school transcript. Remember to apply the College Board concordance table for SAT tests taken in March 2016 and after.


[^0]:    Senior Economics is a required 18 -week class designed to familiarize both the traditional and the college bound student with the principals of economics. Special emphasis will be given to the market system, the laws of supply and demand, banking systems, alternative economic systems and economic policy making. This course is required for graduation

