




CHESTERTON HIGH SCHOOL

COURSE SELECTION INFORMATION

Chesterton High School will continue to utilize the Future Scheduling in Skyward program for scheduling 2024-2025 courses. This is the same program that students have used in previous years. Just like last year, students and parents can request courses from home and will be able to communicate with the students' School Counselor about questions. This program is available through the Skyward Student Access Portal. It is **NOT** available in the Parent Portal.

1. Student logs into Skyward Student Access
(for assistance with username/password, contact Counseling Office Manager, Jenni Smoker – jesmoker@duneland.k12.in.us)
2. Click on the Schedule link on the left-hand side of the opening page.
3. For specific information on how to use Future Scheduling, please visit the School Counseling Office page on Canvas for instructions or to watch video instructions.
4. Do not hesitate to contact your School Counselor with questions.
*A-CI: Mrs. Bartow Co-Gr: Mrs. Arthur Gu-La: Mrs. Snyder
Lb-Pap: Mr. Moore Par-So: Ms. Hess Sp-Z: Mrs. Roytan*
5. Graduation requirements for each diploma can be found on Page 6 of the Course Description Guide. You can also find them on Canvas.
6. Use the Course Description Guide in Canvas for descriptions of each course.
7. **Changes to the proposed schedule will not be made after June 1st.** Exceptions will be made only under the provisions outlined on Page 13 of the Course Description Guide.
8. The Skyward Scheduling Portal will close on March 1st. All students need to have made their requests by that time.

INCOMING SENIORS – CLASS OF 2025		
ENGLISH	Teachers will make recommendations.	 Changes to recommendations require completion of a Level Change Form from the Counseling Office.
MATH	Teachers will make recommendations.	
SOCIAL STUDIES	Teachers will make recommendations.	
SCIENCE	A Science course is not required but is strongly recommended for all students.	
FINE ARTS	Two (2) credits required for an Academic Honors Diploma.	
CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE)	You may choose to attend a CTE program in place of the electives in your schedule. Check the Counseling Office or Canvas for a brochure. Applications are online at www.pccte.org . Applications are due no later than February 5 th .	
INTERNSHIP	Students must be in good academic, attendance, and behavioral standing. Completed applications are required. Please see Mr. Peterson or your school counselor with questions. You must have your own transportation.	
PRINCIPLES OF TEACHING (CADET TEACHING)	Students must be in good academic, attendance, and behavioral standing. Blocks 1 & 5 are used for this course. Applications will be sent out in the spring. Please see Mrs. Fortney or your school counselor with questions. You must have your own transportation. Counselor will help choose appropriate classes.	
DUAL CREDIT	Many courses at CHS have college credit attached to them. See the Course Description Guide for a complete list.	
MID-YEAR GRAD	Eligible students may choose to graduate at the end of the first semester. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.	
ELECTIVES	Choose enough elective credits to complete your schedule.	
ALTERNATES	Please choose 3 alternate electives in case you do not get your first choices.	
You must carry 12 credits + an SRT unless approved by an Individualized Education Plan or building administrator.		

INCOMING JUNIORS – CLASS OF 2026

ENGLISH	Teachers will make recommendations.	Changes to recommendations require completion of a Level Change Form from the Counseling Office.
MATH	Teachers will make recommendations.	
SOCIAL STUDIES	United States History – Choose either AP, Honors, Dual Credit or Regular Levels	
SCIENCE	Please select the Science course of your choice. Pay attention to prerequisites!	
WORLD LANGUAGE	Must complete 3 years in same language or 2 years in one language and 2 years in a second language for the Academic Honors Diploma.	
FINE ARTS	Two (2) credits required for an Academic Honors Diploma.	
CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE)	You may choose to attend a CTE program in place of the electives in your schedule. Check the Counseling Office or Canvas for a brochure. Applications are online at www.pccte.org . Applications are due no later than February 5 th .	
PRINCIPLES OF TEACHING (CADET TEACHING)	Students must be in good academic, attendance, and behavioral standing. Blocks 2 & 6 are used for this course. Applications will be sent out in the spring. Please see Mrs. Fortney or your school counselor with questions. You must have your own transportation. Counselor will help choose appropriate classes.	
INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)	A course of study available in the junior and senior years. Please check with your counselor or the IB coordinator (Mrs. Wallace) if you have any questions.	
DUAL CREDIT	Many courses at CHS have college credit attached to them. See the Course Description Guide for a complete list.	
ELECTIVES	Choose enough elective credits to complete your schedule.	
ALTERNATES	Please choose 3 alternate electives in case you do not get your first choices.	

You must carry 14 credits + an SRT unless approved by an Individualized Education Plan or building administrator.

INCOMING SOPHOMORES – CLASS OF 2027

ENGLISH	Teachers will make recommendations.	Changes to recommendations require completion of a Level Change Form from the Counseling Office.
MATH	Teachers will make recommendations.	
SCIENCE	Teachers will make recommendations.	
SOCIAL STUDIES	None required this year.	
HEALTH	This is a required course and has been added for you.	
WORLD LANGUAGE	Required for students working on an Academic Honors Diploma or planning to go to a 4-year college or university.	
FINE ARTS	Two (2) credits required for an Academic Honors Diploma.	
DUAL CREDIT	Many courses at CHS have college credit attached to them. See the Course Description Guide for a complete list.	
ELECTIVES	Choose enough elective credits to complete your schedule.	
ALTERNATES	Please choose 3 alternate electives in case you do not get your first choices.	

You must carry 14 credits + an SRT unless approved by an Individualized Education Plan or building administrator.