

2025-2026 Rising 9th Grade Menu of Courses-South Pointe High School

Student Name: _____

Date of IGP: _____



As you plan for next year's courses with a counselor, be prepared to review what your teachers have recommended for you. The * by a course indicates it has a prerequisite, which can be found in the RHS District Course Catalog, along with detailed descriptions of all courses. You will select a total of 8 courses—we do our best to meet elective selections, but students may be placed into alternate electives, as needed. Select 4 alternatives and label each as: A1, A2, A3, A4.

English Language Arts

- English 1
- English 2* (ONLY for students that took English 1 in 8th grade, had below an 80 and don't want to retake Eng 1)
- English 2 Honors

Language Arts Electives

- Journalism 1
- Speech & Communication
- Creative Writing 1
- College and Career Readiness

Mathematics

- Geometry w/ Statistics (for those who took pre-algebra in 8th)
- Algebra 2 w/ Probability Honors* (ONLY for students that took Algebra 1 and/or Geometry in middle school)
- Algebra 1 (ONLY for students that took Algebra 1 in 8th grade who desire to retake it)

Science

- Biology 1
- Biology 1 Honors*
- Physical Science

Social Studies

- Modern World History
- Honors Modern World History

World Languages

- Spanish 1
- Spanish 2*
- Spanish 3 Honors*
- Spanish 4 Honors*
- Spanish AP*
- French 1
- French 2*
- French 3 Honors*
- French 4 Honors*
- French AP*
- Chinese 1

Chinese 2*

Physical Education & Personal Health

- PE 1 **Athletes still sign up for PE 1—we will place into the correct section.**
- Personal Finance (.5 unit) paired with Personal Health (.5 unit). (Meets Requirement)

Air Force JROTC (Meets PE Requirement)

- AFJROTC S1
- AFJROTC S2

Fine Arts

- Art 1
 - Marching Band with PE (Meets PE Requirement)
 - Band 1
 - Band 2
 - Chorus 1
 - Chorus 2
 - Orchestra 1
 - Orchestra 2
 - Theatre 1
 - Technical Theatre 1
 - Other fine art _____
- (By recommendation and teacher initials _____)

Additional Electives

Additional Support Courses

- ACA Support-9A S1
- ACA Support-9B S2
- ESL A S1
- ESL B S2

SC High School Credential Courses

- Essentials of English I
- Essentials of Math I
- Essentials of Science I
- Essentials of Social Studies I
- Employability Education I

CATE, or Career and Technology Education, courses can enhance a student's career development, exploration and preparation.

CATE Courses available at South Pointe High School are listed below.

Business

- Business Law
- Business Entrepreneurship
- Business Finance

Computer Science/Literacy

- Fundamentals of Computing
- Intro to Computer Programming
- Fundamentals of Web Page Design
- PLTW Computer Science Essentials

Family & Consumer Science

- Fashion Fabrics & Design 1
- Financial Fitness 1
- Foods & Nutrition
- Nutrition & Wellness
- Human Development & Responsible Life Choices 1

Project Lead the Way Engineering

- PLTW Intro to Engineering*
- PLTW Principles of Engineering
- PLTW Engineering Essentials

CATE Courses Available at the Applied Technology Center Campus (ATC).

Transportation will be provided.

NOTE that the courses listed below ARE NOT located at SPHS.

Architecture & Construction

- Intro to Construction
- Mechanical Design 1*

Arts, Audio-Visual Technology & Communication

- Digital Art & Design 1: Foundations of Digital Art & Design
- Media Technology 1– Intro to Video Production

Health Science

- Health Science 1*

Plant and Animal Systems

- Agricultural Science and Technology
- Intro to Horticulture*
- Agricultural Mechanics Technology*

Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

- Automotive Service Technology 1*
- Collision Repair Technology 1*
- Logistics and Distribution 1

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Parent signature _____

Please note: These are requests. Course requests are not guaranteed.