

**Student Name:**
**Student ID#:**
**Current Grade:**

Listed here are courses available for **9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS**. You should make these selections based on teacher advice and consent of your parents. Be sure to refer to graduation requirements for your class in the [Student Education Planning Guide](#) available at HCPS.org. In case of conflicts, alternates may replace any of the electives listed. Courses may be dropped due to insufficient enrollment.

**\*\* The last day of school will be the last opportunity to change any course selection. \*\***

**\*\*You must choose a total of 8 credits and 2 alternate courses\*\*** (Indicate your requests by circling or placing a check mark next to the required selections in English, Math, Social Studies, Science and Electives. For alternates, designate #1 for first choice and #2 for second choice.)

**9<sup>th</sup> Grade Required Courses:**
**English**

EN0101	English I = 1 credit
EN01W61	Honors English I = 1 credit
EN01W51	Honors English I GS = 1 credit

**Math**

MA0191 EL9201	Intro to Algebra w/ Intro to Algebra Seminar (Daily)= 2 credits
MA0231 EL9301	Algebra I w/ Algebra I Seminar (Daily)= 2 credits
MA0291	Algebra I = 1 credit
<b>After Successful Completion of Algebra I</b>	
MA0401	Geometry = 1 credit
MA0701	Algebra II = 1 credit
MA07W51	Honors Algebra II GS = 1 credit

**Science**

SC0201	Biology = 1 credit
SC02W61	Honors Biology = 1 credit
SC02W51	Honors Biology GS = 1 credit

**Social Studies**

SS0501	US History = 1 credit
SS00671	AP US History = 1 credit

**Physical Education and Health**

HE0105	Heath SEM = ½ credit
PE0105	Foundations of Fitness SEM = ½ credit

**Business**

BE0301	Financial Tech & Literacy = 1 credit
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**Family and Consumer Sciences**

FC0101	Intro to Food Prep = 1 credit
CA6001	Child Growth & Dev (CDA) = 1 credit

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FC17W01	Human Growth & Dev = 1 credit
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**Fine Arts**

AR0201	Fine Art Preparation = 1 credit
DR1201	Drama I = 1 credit
DA1801	Dance I = 1 credit
MU0101	Chorus I = 1 credit
MU1101	Beginners Piano = 1 credit
MU1301	Guitar Lab = 1 credit
<b>Prior Experience Required for the Following Options...</b>	
MU1001	Orchestra I = 1 credit
MU0901	Concert Band I = 1 credit
MU1601	Percussion Ensemble = 1 credit

**Technology**

TE0501	Foundations of Technology = 1 credit
TE4071	AP Computer Sci. Principles = 1 credit

**World Language**

FL0101	French I = 1 credit
FL0151	French I GS = 1 credit
FL0201	French II = 1 credit
FL0701	Spanish I = 1 credit
FL0751	Spanish I GS = 1 credit
FL0801	Spanish II = 1 credit

**W:** Weighted in GPA calculations

**D:** Daily Semester (1 Credit QTR 1&2 or 3&4)

**GS:** Global Studies

**SEM:** Semester Course (1/2 Credit, QTR 1&2 or 3&4)

**\*TAM:** Approved for TAM

Students in the IB Program would find it extremely difficult to pursue a dual enrollment option with HCC because certain course requirements for the Diploma Program do not align with HCC offerings. Specifically, Theory of Knowledge, Extended Essay, CAS, and the requirement for the majority of the Diploma Program courses to be two-year courses. A student could certainly dually enroll to take a course at HCC, but a full college course-load would not be feasible in conjunction with the IB Diploma Program.

<b>Graduation Requirements</b>	
Requirements for graduation from a Maryland Public High School are listed below. Students must earn a minimum of 26 credits in Grades 9 through 12 to receive a Maryland High School Diploma from Harford County Public Schools.	
<b>Subject Area</b>	<b>Specific Credit Requirements</b>
English	4 Credits
Mathematics	4 Credits, including Algebra and Geometry. <b>Must be enrolled in a mathematics course in each year of high school</b> ( <i>maximum of 4 years of attendance, unless in the 5th or 6th year a mathematics course is needed to meet a graduation requirement</i> )
Science	3 Credits including Biology
Social Studies	3 Credits including American Government, World History, and US History
Fine Art	1 Credit
Phys Ed	1 Credit including Foundations of Fitness and Physical Activity
Health	1 Credit including Health I and Health II
Technology	1 Credit of Foundations of Technology or AP Computer Science Principles
Completer Program Requirements	A Career & Technology Education (CTE) Career Completer Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academy of Finance (AOF)</li> <li>• Early Childcare/Child Development Associates (CDA)</li> <li>• Food &amp; Beverage Management</li> <li>• Advanced Technology CTE+</li> <li>• Teacher Academy of Maryland (TAM/TAM+)</li> </ul> Or 2 World Language (Spanish or French) w/ Algebra II
Electives	May vary according to program

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