Course Planning for Next Year
Class of 2022
Course Selection Timeline 2019

- **January:**
  - Counselors finish up freshman 4-year plan meetings (Please make an appt!)
  - Teachers will talk about options in respective subjects
  - Science Research teachers will visit science classes to discuss Science Research program requirements and commitments
- **January 30:** 2nd quarter grades posted
- **February 1:** Teachers input course recommendations in parent/student portal
- **Feb 2-15:** Counselors will meet with students to discuss and finalize course selections and submit criteria review applications if needed
- **March 11-15:** Criteria Review Process
Teachers input course recommendations for students in ESD as per the following course prerequisite guidelines:

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Criteria Review

- What is it? An appeal process
- Who decides? Teachers, administrators, counselors
- When will I hear? Students notified of preliminary results by the end of March
- Final course placement determination will take place at the END OF THE YEAR (after 4th quarter)
- Why did my friend with the same average in _____ class as I have, get into AP/honors ______ and I didn’t?
MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Algebra I B CC

Geometry CC
Geometry H CC

Algebra II CC
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College Pre-Calculus
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Choose 1:

- PE 9/10
- College Sports Management
- College Introduction to Dance

AND:

- Health (online or in class)
Electives: VISUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT

- Foundations of Studio in Art I/II
- Drawing and Painting
- Darkroom Photography I (.5)
- Sculpture (.5)
- Computer Art & Design (.5)
- Digital Photography (.5)
- Drawing Fundamentals IH
- College Painting Fundamentals
- Darkroom Photography II (.5)
- Ceramics (.5)
- AP Studio Art: Drawing Portfolio or 2D Design Portfolio
PERFORMING ARTS DEPARTMENT

- Concert Band 9/10
- Concert Orchestra 9/10
- Concert Chorus 9/10
- College Introduction to Dance: If taken in lieu of PE, dance grade will not averaged into GPA. If Dance and PE are taken concurrently, the Introduction to Dance grade will be averaged into the GPA
- College Music Theory --> AP Music Theory
- Digital Electronic Music (.5 credits)
Electives: TECHNOLOGY/COMPUTER SCIENCE:

- Introduction to Programming: JAVA
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science A
- Principles of Engineering
- Advanced Principles of Engineering
Differences between Computer Science Courses

https://youtu.be/_iPLtP-jm8

- The Introduction to Programming; Java course is a fun introduction to programming.

- AP Computer Science Principles has less programming and delves into algorithms and societal aspects of computing, how the internet works, encryption and security.

- AP Computer Science A is a rigorous Java programming class.
Electives: ENGLISH & SOCIAL STUDIES

- College Introduction to Theater
- College Introduction to Film/Digital Editing
- College Write Out Loud
- College News Literacy (.5 credits)
- Reel History (.5 credits)
COURSE SELECTION INFORMATION

- ACCESSIBLE VIA:
  https://www.briarcliffschools.org/briarcliff-high-school/school-information/guidance-center/course-selection

- QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

- COURSE DESCRIPTION BOOK

- COURSE SELECTION FORMS

- Please email or see your counselor with any questions.