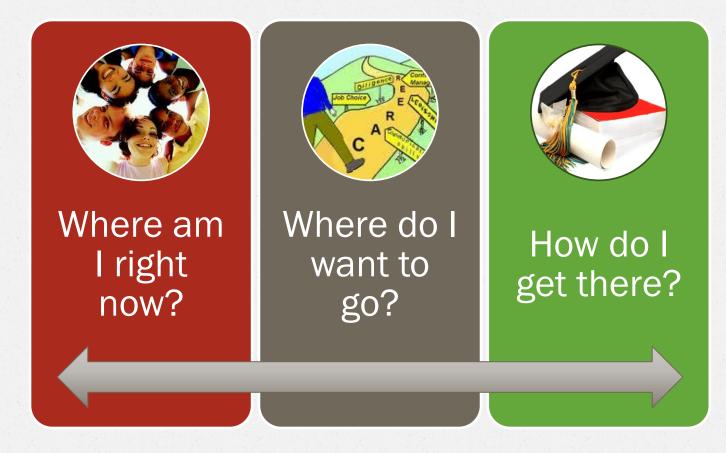
Woodbury Middle School

Moving On to High School



Are you ready for high school?

The decisions YOU make in the next four years will either open or close doors of opportunity for you in the future. As you think about the direction you want your life to take and the goals you want to reach, ask yourself the following questions:



Where am I right now?

What are my skills?

- What are my interests?
- What have I learned?
- What are my strengths?
- What are my weaknesses?

Where do I want to go?

Career Clusters:

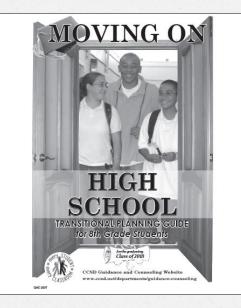
- Arts/Communications
- Business
- o Health
- Human Services
- Natural Resources
- Technologies

How do I get there?

Community/two-year college
University/four-year college
Trade/technical/school
Apprenticeship program
Military service
Work and attend college/school

Moving On High School Transitional Planning Guide

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21st Century Course of Study Expectations



Opens doors to post-secondary education and workforce opportunities.



Meets Nevada System of Higher Education Core Curriculum requirements.

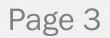


Prepares students for the Governor Guinn Millennium Scholarship Core Curriculum Requirements.



21st Century Course of Study Expectations is not a diploma.

Moving On to High School



Standard Diploma and Advanced Diploma

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS STANDARD AND ADVANCED DIPLOMAS

Class of 2010 and beyond

The following subjects are needed to meet graduation requirements:

STANDARD DIPLOMA		ADVANCED DIPLOMA		
Required/Elective Areas of Study	Units	Required/Elective Areas of Study	Units	
English	4	English	4	
*Mathematics	3	*Mathematics	4	
Science	2	Science	з	
World History/Geography (2011)	1	World History/Geography (2011)	1	
U.8. History	1	U.8. History	1	
U.S. Government	1	U.S. Government	1	
**Physical Education	2	Arts/Humanities/Career and Tech. Ed.		
Health Education	1/2	**Physical Education	2	
***Use of Computers	1/2	Health Education	1/2	
Electives	71/2	*** Use of Computers	1/2	
		Electives	6	
Total	22 1/2	Total	24	
		Student must achieve a minimum of a 3.25 unweighted GPA.		

* Mathematics course units must include at least Algebra I or Algebra I H, or Applied Algebra I A and I B, or above.

** A maximum of CNE credit for Physical Education II will be granted if a student participate outside of the school day in interscholastic athletics or on a drill team, marching band, dance group, or chearleading equad.

*** Satisfactory completion of a semester computer literacy course offered in grades 6, 7, or 8 will meet the requirement for the use of computers.

To receive a diploma from a Nevada high school, students must pass the Nevada High School Proficiency Examination in addition to meeting course requirements. Students must pass reading, writing, math, and science exams.

Advanced Honors Diploma

ADVANCED HONORS DIPLOMA

For students starting with the Class of 2011 and beyond

Students graduating in the Class of 2011 and beyond will be eligible for an Advanced Honors Diploma. Students planning to apply to universities with competitive admission requirements may pursue the CCSD Advanced Honors Diploma. The Advanced Honors Diploma requires additional rigorous coursework beyond those required for the Advanced Diploma. Students will be required to fulfill the 24.0 credit Advanced Diploma requirements (including 4-years of mathematics, 3-years of science and an additional Arts/Humanities or Career and Technical Education course) and must complete the Honors, International Baccalaureate (IB), or Advanced Placement (AP) courses required of the Honors Course Program. Students must achieve a minimum of a 3.25 unweighted GPA and 3.85 weighted GPA.

Required/Elective Areas of Study	Advanced Diploma Units	Honors Course Program Un
English	4	3
Mathematics	4	2
Science	3	2
Social Studies (must earn all 3 credits) • World History or Geography (2011) • U.S. History • U.S. Government	3	2
Physical Education	2	
Health	1/2	
Use of Computers	1/2	
Arts/Humanities or Career and Tech. Ed. Elective	1	
Electives	6	3*
TOTAL	24	12

Student must achieve a minimum 3.25 unweighted GPA and a minimum 3.85 weighted GPA.

How do I earn credits?

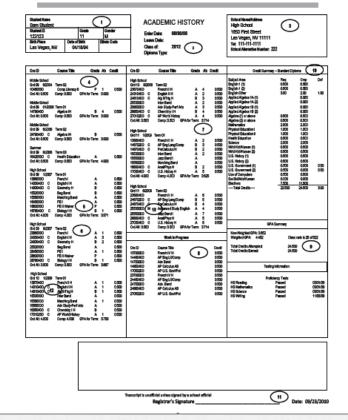
- Every class counts as credit
- Each semester class you pass earns .5 credit
- Stay on track for graduation
- Attend school regularly
- Understand your transcript
- Know what course of study you need to follow.

How do I read my transcript?

TRANSCRIPT INTERPRETATION GUIDE

- 1. Current grade level based on credits earned
- 2. Anticipated year of graduation, based on year student entered ninth grade
- 3. High school in which student is currently enrolled
- 4. Computer literacy requirement earned in middle school, should be grade of P and .5 credits
- PE II Waiver earned from participation is an approved interscholastic activity, maximum of 1 credit PE Waiver
- 6. Term
 - 01 means First Semester
 - 02 means Second Semester
- 7. GPA for that term /semester only
- Work in Progress refers to courses in which the student is currently enrolled, shows first semester (number begins with a 1) and second semester (number begins with a 2) classes
- 9. Grade Point Average (GPA) Summary
 - · Non-weighted GPA is the grade point average for all courses taken from grade nine to current
 - Weighted GPA is the non-weighted GPA plus the weighted grade points for up to 28 semesters of AP/ Honore classes completed auccessfully, .025 for honore, .05 for AP (4 semesters or two classes only at .05)
 - Classrank shows the student's place in his/her graduating class according to the weighted GPA as compared to other students in the graduating class
- 10. Credit Summary (Standard Diploma) includes:
 - Req. Credit(a) required which must be completed for graduation
 - · Cmp. Credits completed to date in specific courses/subjects
 - · Def. Credits needed in specific course/subject to be completed for graduation
- 11. Date transcript was printed
- 12. Denotes approved NSHE Core Curriculum Course
- 13. Denotes approved Millennium-only Core Curriculum Course

ACADEMIC HISTORY



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Recommended Course of Study

Postsecondary and Workforce Readiness <u>Recommended Course of Study</u> 2013-2014				
Advanced Honors Diploma*	Advanced Diploma*	Diploma with Career & Technical Education (CTE) Certification*		
Freshman	Freshman	Freshman		
English 9 H	English 9, English 9 H	English 9, English 9 H		
Algebra I, Geometry H	Algebra I, Geometry H	Algebra I, Geometry, Geometry H		
Biblogy H	Stalogy, Stalogy H	Biology, Biology H		
Health/Elective	Health/Elective	Health/Careers		
PEI	PEI	FEI		
Foreign Language I	Foreign Language I	CTE Elective Level I		
Sophomore	Sophomore	Sophomore		
English 10 H, English 10 (Pre-AP) H	English 10, English 10 H	English 10, English 10 H		
Geometry H, Algebra II H	Geometry, Geometry H, Algebra II, Algebra II H	Geometry, Geometry H, Algebra II, Algebra II H		
Geoscience H, Chemistry H	Geoscience, Geoscience H, Chemistry, Chemistry H	Geoscience, Geoscience H, Chemistry, Chemistry H		
World History H. AP World History	World History, World History H. Geography	World History, World History H, Geography		
PE II	PE II	PE II		
Foreign Language II H	Foreign Language II H	CTE Elective Level II		
Junior	Junior	Junior		
English 11 H.	English 11, English 11 H.	English 11, English 11 H		
AP Lang & Comp, AP Lit & Comp	AP Long & Comp, AP Lit & Comp			
Algebra II H,	Algebra II, Algebra II H,	Algebra II, Algebra II H,		
Precalculus H, AP Statistics	Precalculus H, AP Statistics	Precalculus H, AP Statistics		
Geoscience H, Chemistry H, Physics H	Geoscience, Geoscience H, Chemistry, Chemistry H, Physics, Physics H	Geoscience, Geoscience H, Chemistry, Chemistry H, Physics, Physics H		
U.S. History H, AP U.S. History	U.S. History, U.S. History H, AP U.S. History	U.S. History, U.S. History H		
Foreign Language II H	Foreign Language III H	CTE Tech Prep Course		
Elective	Elective	CTE Bective Level III		
Senior	Senior	Senior		
English 12 H, AP Lang & Comp, AP Lit & Comp	English 12, English 12 H, AP Lang & Comp, AP Lit & Comp	English 12, English 12 H		
Precalculus H. AP Statistics, AP Calculus	Precalculus H, AP Statistics, AP Calculus	Precalculus H, AP Statistics, AP Calculus		
Geoscience H, Chemistry H, Physics H,	Geoscience, Geoscience H, Chemistry,	Geoscience, Geoscience H.		
AP Biology, AP Chemistry,	Chemistry H, Physics, Physics H, AP Biology,	Chemistry, Chemistry H,		
AP Environmental Science, AP Physics B or C	AP Chemistry, AP Environmental Science, AP Physics B or C	Physics, Physics H		
U.S. Government H, AP U.S. Government	U.S. Government, U.S. Government H, AP U.S. Government	U.S. Government, U.S. Government H		
Foreign Language IV HIAP	Foreign Language IV H/AP	CTE Tech Prep Course		
Arts Humanities, CTE Course	Arts/Humanities, CTE Course	CTE Elective/Advanced Studies		
* Meets the 21# Century Course of Study Expect Contation & Protestional Development Deletion Guidance & Counseling Department	iations	July 2013		

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Academic Plan: Looking Ahead

- In high school, you have choices to make about what you will study.
- By creating an academic plan, you are actively participating in your future.
- Achieving your goals takes hard work and planning.

Student Name:	High School Academic F	Date:		
Overview & Purpose Academic planning involves many skills for sludents including selting educational goals. Setting goals provides a focus and helps a student to achieve hisher highest potential.				
	Academic Planning and Goal-Setting	COURSES		
What kind of work do I want to do after high school? What are my interests?	Arts/ HumaritiesNatural Resources Businessi ManagementTechnology / Industry Health ServicesAchitecture / Construction Human ResourcesEducation & Training Government / Law / SafetyHospitality & Tourism / Man/daching / ConstructionSoience / Engineering / Man	Mathematics Elective		
What is my goal after I graduate from high school?	University / Four-Year College Community / Two-Year College Trate/ / Fechnical School Military Work	Torrign Language Torrign Language 10 th Grade Courses English Physical Ed		
What kind of classes do I need to take in high school to be prepared for my goal? I am interested in the following pathway:	Advanced Honors Diploma Advanced Diploma Diploma w! Career & Technical Education Certification	MathematicsElective BolienceOther Word HistoryOther Foreign Language		
Academic Goal: What can I do now to help me achieve my future goals?		11 th Grade Courses Brgtin Mathematics Bcience		
Academic Goal: What can I do now to help me achieve my future goals?		UR HistoryOther Foreign Language 12 th Grade Courses EnglishElective		
Academic Goal: What can I do now to help me achieve my future goals?		Mathematics Elective GenceOther US HistoryOther Foreign Language		

ACADEMIC PLAN

High School Options

Magnet Schools and Career and Technical Academics (CTA)

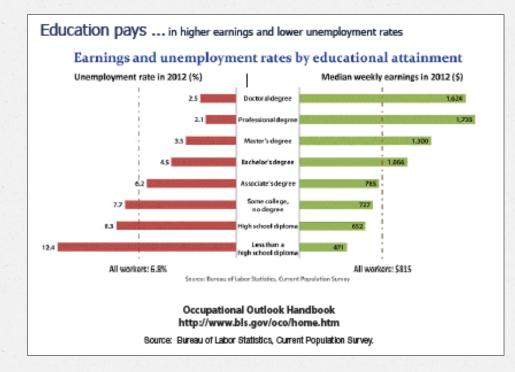
- High School Program Themes (page 18)
- Students must complete an application
- Eligibility may be determined by factors such as academic performance, test scores, attendance and conduct.
- College of Southern Nevada High School
 - Students take required classes with CCSD teachers and elective classes with College of Southern Nevada instructors.
 - Students earn both high school and college credit for classes.
- Virtual High School
 - Provides students educational opportunities through interactive online courses.

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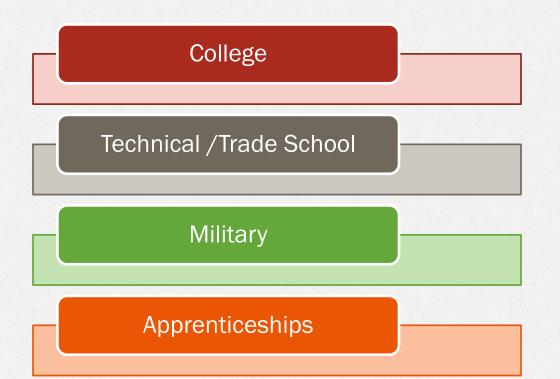


Education Pays





What is Post-Secondary Education?



Post-secondary education is the education and training you receive *after* graduating from high school.

Post-Secondary Schools in Nevada

- University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- University of Nevada, Reno
- Nevada State College
- Colleges of Southern Nevada and Northern Nevada
- Sierra Nevada College in Lake Tahoe



UNLV and UNR Admission Requirements for High School Students

3.0 Weighted GPA in Core Classes:

English: 4 credits Math: 3 credits Social Science: 3 credits Natural Science: 3 credits

Elective courses, PE, etc...do not count towards your core GPA for admission.

Steps To Get to College

STEPS YOU NEED TO TAKE TO GET TO COLLEGE

These are things you can do before you graduate high school to put yourself on the college track.

- Talk with school counselors about your goals and choices.
- Learn what classes you need to take each year from now through the end of high school.
- Identify extracurricular activities available in your school and get involved in the ones that interest you.
- Learn effective study skills.
- Identify options for working or volunteering in your community.
- Talk to college students about their experiences.
- Research different types of colleges.
- Visit college websites or college campuses.
- Research careers you might enjoy.
- Discuss and research ways to pay for college with your family.
- Learn about financial aid for education.
- Practice writing college essays.
- Talk with people who work in a career that might interest you.

Source: College Board



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Find out more!

CCSD GUIDANCE & COUNSELING WEBSITE INFORMATION

*This site is searchable from the home page of the CCSD Website at: www.ccsd.net, search Guidance and Counseling.

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Prepare for your future!

Knowledge is power

Be informed

Make smart decisions

Good luck in high school!!