

WALL HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2028

WHS Scheduling

The WHS Scheduling Process

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Graduation Requirements

- 4 years English
- 4 years Health & Physical Education
- 3 years Mathematics
- 3 years Science
- **3 years Social Studies**
- 1 year of World Language
- 1 year of Visual and Performing Arts
- 1 year of 21st Century Life & Careers
- 1/2 year Personal Financial Literacy



Required Courses for Freshman Year

* Students must select 8 courses = 40 credits *

- 1. Health & Physical Education 9
- 2. English 9 CP or English 9 Honors
- 3. Modern World History CP or Honors
- 4. Math (Algebra 1, Geometry CP or H, Algebra 2 CP or H)
- 5. Biology CP or Honors
- 6. World Language (Spanish, Latin or French)
- 7. Elective
- 8. Elective (Dependent on Course Recommendations)



Academic Placement FAQs Genesis Portal

What does it mean if English 9 CP & English 9 Honors are listed?

If you see two recommendations for the same subject with one Honors and one CP it means your were on the cusp for honors, but have the option of challenging yourself at the honors' level. You should discuss this option with your parent/guardian, and then make the best choice for your academic success.

What does it mean if I see Algebra 1 CP & Algebra Lab?

You are required to take both courses. But no worries, you still have room for a fun elective.

Do I have to take an Honors course if it has been recommended?

No. You should discuss this option with your parent/guardian, and then make the best choice for your academic success.

Do I have to complete the scheduling requests if I do NOT plan on attending Wall High School?

It is recommended that all students select WHS courses.

Academic Placement FAQs Genesis Portal (continued)

What if I change my mind about a request after course requests are submitted?

Students can add/drop requests until 3/1. After 3/1, Mr. Tarantin can make the change.

I entered all of my course requests in Genesis, do I still need to complete the course selection sheet and turn it in to my Social Studies teacher?

Yes. All students must complete course requests and the course selection sheet.

What if I still have questions regarding my classes for 9th grade?

Your parent/guardian can schedule a meeting with Mr. Tarantin if needed.

Academic Placement World Language Explained

Students may choose to start over in any language of their choice regardless of placement.

Genesis Portal

If you were recommended for Spanish 1, French 1, or Latin 1, you may choose **ANY** Level 1 World Language.

If you were recommended for the Honors level 2 and CP 2 level of a Language, you were on the cusp for honors, and may choose which level you would like to take next year. You can also choose to start at CP level 1 or start a new language.

Academy Information Explained

Pre-Engineering Academy

If you applied to the Pre-Engineering Academy, you should choose Engineering 1 as your elective. If you are accepted and admitted into the Academy, you will be switched to the Academy section of Engineering 1. You are also required to take Honors Math and Honors Science. If you are not admitted, you can choose a new elective if you are no longer interested in Engineering.

WBFA

If you applied to the Business Academy, you should choose Principles of Business as your elective. If you are accepted and admitted into the Academy, you will be switched to the Academy section of Principles of Business. If you are not admitted, you can choose a new elective if you are no longer interested in Business.

Service & Leadership Academy

If you are interested in being part of the Service & Leadership Academy, you will need to take Naval Science 1 and Physical Training. Physical Training will take the place of PE.

Reviewing Freshman Electives

- Think about which electives interest you!
- Review the WHS Freshman Electives handout & video to help finalize your elective choices.
- Talk to your parents & guardians about your high school program.
- If you need assistance deciding which electives to take, Mr. Tarantin & Mrs. Willms can help you select electives that best suit your personalities, interests, & abilities.

Scheduling In Genesis

- Academic Courses have been entered in Genesis.
- Students will log into Genesis and go into Scheduling.
 - Click Requests
 - Search courses by subject
 - Students can add/drop courses until 3/1.
 - Mr. Tarantin will meet with students to finalize requests.



Scheduling Timeline

- Genesis Portal will be open for course selection until Friday 3/1.
- Students should select 8 courses with backup elective choices.
- The Course Selection Form is due by Friday 3/1.
- Mr. Tarantin will meet with students in February & March to finalize course requests.
- Schedules will be available in mid August.
- Freshmen Orientation Wednesday, August 28th at 10:00 am.

Expectations

- Attendance 10 absences per class. Lose credit after 10 and go into credit recovery process.
- Late 6 lates per marking period equals a detention.
- Conduct Detention/suspension are more strict.
- Leaving Class- If you do use the bathroom, please keep it to 5-10 minutes maximum unless allowed otherwise.
- Make-up work Teachers are flexible, but you need to make up work asap.
- Communicate with staff- Ask for help, go to extra help during lunch, let us know if you will be out.
- Get involved Between sports, music, clubs there are over 50 ways to get involved!

Get To Know You Activity

- Write or drawn in the circle your interests, passions, or strengths.
- This will help when choosing electives and classes now and in the future.
- Passion First is this months mindsets. Think about that when completing the worksheet.