

2019 / 2020 Course Registration Packet

St. Cecilia High School

Saint Cecilia Academic Requirements for Graduation

4 years of Theology

4 years of English

3 years of Mathematics

3 years of Natural Science

3 years of Social Science

2 years of World Language

2 years of Fine Arts

2 years of Career Education

1 semester of each: Health, Speech, and Physical Education

Academic Grading Scale

A = 100-93

B = 92-85

C = 84-77

D = 76-70

F = 69 and below

Academic Schedule

All students are required to be signed up for eight class periods to have a complete schedule.

List of Course Offerings by Department

<u>Theology</u>	<u>Language Arts/English</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theology I, II, III, IV 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English I, II, III, IV • Advanced Literature • Reading for College Readiness • Public Speaking • Speech • Yearbook
<u>Mathematics</u>	<u>Natural Sciences</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra I • Algebra II • Geometry • Math Readiness • Pre-Calculus • Calculus • Statistics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical Science I • Biology • Chemistry • Advanced Chemistry • Anatomy/Physiology • Physics • Environmental Science
<u>Social Sciences</u>	<u>Fine Arts</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Government / Economics • American History • Civics • Psychology / Sociology • World History 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art I, II, III, IV • Band I, II, III, IV • Chorus I, III, IV
<u>World Language</u>	<u>Health/Physical Education</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spanish I, II, III, IV 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health • Lifetime Fitness • Physical Education I • Weight Training
<u>Business Department</u>	<u>Information Technology Department</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting I • Accounting II • Marketing • Introduction to Entrepreneurship / Personal Financial Planning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Aided Design (CAD) • Information Technology Applications I, II, III

How to Access Online Scheduling on PowerSchool

1. Student must login to PowerSchool using their account information (parents will not be able to use their account login to schedule their student).
2. Select the “Class Registration” tab on the opening screen.
3. Look to see if the student is registering for the correct grade.
 - a. If student is given choices for a grade that they will not enter for the next school year, contact the Guidance Office immediately to correct the issue.
4. Select courses for scheduling (see additional pages for more information)
 - a. For each area, the student will need to click on the pencil icon to select the courses they want.
 - b. It is important for the student to select each pencil icon and choose the courses from each section.
5. Before hitting the final “Submit” button, review all choices.
6. Hit “Submit” when course registration is complete

(Note – Students are welcome to register for classes in the Guidance Office if needed.)

9th Grade Course Registration

9th Grade Required Classes

The following classes are considered required and are not dependent on student achievement level or career interest:

- Theology I (full year)
- English I (full year)
- World History (full year)
- Spanish I (full year)
- Physical Science I (full year)
- Coed PE (one semester)
- Info Tech I – App (one semester)

9th Grade Math Classes

9th grade students must select either Algebra I (8th grade math is the prerequisite) or Geometry (Alg I is the prerequisite) for their math class. Students should choose the class appropriate to their academic need.

9th Grade Band Option

9th grade students wanting to enroll in Band should select it here. Non-band students may leave this section blank.

9th Grade Non-Band Option

9th grade students not enrolling in Band must request Art I – Sem and Chorus I - Sem. Select both boxes to complete this step. Band students may leave this section blank.

10th Grade Course Registration

10th Grade Required Classes (five periods)

The following classes are considered required and are not dependent on student achievement level or career interest:

- Theology II (full year)
- English II (full year)
- Spanish II (full year)
- Biology (full year)
- Health (one semester)
- Speech (one semester)

10th Grade Math Classes (one period)

10th grade students may select Algebra II or Geometry (Alg II is a pre-req) based on their educational need.

10th Grade Band Option (one period)

Students wanting to enroll in Band may choose so here. Non-band students may leave this section blank.

10th Grade Elective Classes

Non-band students have two open periods. Band students have one open period. Students may choose the following classes as electives (max choices: 2):

- Art II (full year)
- Civics (full year)
- Info Tech App II (full year)
- Physics (full year, must have taken or currently signing up for Algebra II)

Students wanting to take Art III and IV are strongly encouraged to take Art II as a sophomore.

11th Grade Course Registration

***Be mindful of what you might major in college and those course requirements.....see Mrs. Dyer if you have any questions on what courses might need to be taken for certain majors and certain colleges.

11th Grade Required Classes (three periods)

The following classes are considered required and are not dependent on student achievement level or career interest:

- Theology III (full year)
- English III (full year)
- American History (full year)

11th Grade Math Classes

Students may select up to two (2) math classes. If the student took Algebra I as a freshman, that student must sign up for Algebra II as a junior.

- Algebra II (full year)
- Math Readiness (full year)
- Pre-Calculus (full year)
- Statistics (full year)

Math Readiness will be offered to those students who qualify based on their ACT score.

In order to take Pre-Calculus, the student must have completed Algebra II.

In order to take Statistics, the student must have completed Algebra II.

Students interested in taking Calculus as a senior must enroll into Pre-Calculus as a junior.

Some colleges (e.g., UNL) require four years of high school math. Keep this in mind as you register for courses.

11th Grade Science Classes

Students may select up to two (2) science classes. It is permissible to not take a science class as a junior. If the student chooses this option they will be required to take a science class as a senior.

- Anatomy/Physiology (full year)
- Chemistry (full year)
- Environmental Science (full year)
- Physics (full year)

In order to enroll into Chemistry, the student must have either completed Algebra II OR is currently requesting Algebra II.

Students wanting to take Advanced Chemistry as a senior must take Chemistry as a junior.

11th Grade Band Option

Students wanting to enroll into Band may do so here. Non-band students may leave this section blank.

11th Grade Electives

Students may select the following elective courses to have a minimum of seventy (70) credit hours for the 2017-2018 school year (note: study hall has zero credit hours):

- Accounting I (full year)
- Art II, III (full year)
- Chorus III (full year)
- Computer Aided Drafting (full year)
- English Literature – Advanced (one semester)
- Entrepreneurship / Personal Finance (full year)
- Fitness (full year)
- Info Tech App III (full year)
- Marketing – Introduction (full year)
- Psychology / Sociology (full year)
- Public Speaking (one semester)
- Spanish III (full year)
- Weight Training (full year)
- Yearbook (full year)
- Reading for College Readiness (full year)
- Online CCC courses are an option – see Mrs. Dyer

Students wanting to take Accounting II as a senior must take Accounting I as a junior.

Traditionally, Personal Finance and Entrepreneurship are taken as seniors for those who are interested. Juniors are still eligible to enroll in these courses if they desire it.

Students may enroll in Psychology and Sociology and will take this as a full year course.

Colleges and universities across the country prefer high school students to continue their foreign language development. It is encouraged that students take Spanish III, especially if they are capable of handling the academic rigor associated with it. Some colleges (e.g., University of Nebraska, Lincoln) will waive their foreign language general education requirement if students have successfully completed four years of a foreign language in high school. Students wanting this option for their future must, then, enroll in Spanish III as a junior.

12th Grade Course Registration

12th Grade Required Classes (three periods)

The following classes are considered required and are not dependent on student achievement level or career interest:

- Theology IV (full year)
- English IV (full year)
- American Government / Economics (full year)

12th Grade Math Classes

Students may select a maximum of two (2) math classes. If the minimum requirements for mathematics have been met, the student may opt to not select a math class as a senior.

- Math Readiness
- Pre-Calculus (full year)
- Calculus (full year)
- Statistics (full year)

Math Readiness will be offered to those students who qualify based on their ACT score.

In order to take Pre-Calculus, the student must have completed Algebra II.

In order to take Calculus, the student must have completed Pre-Calculus.

In order to take Statistics, the student must have completed Algebra II.

Some colleges (e.g., UNL) require four years of high school math. Keep this in consideration as you register for courses.

12th Grade Science Classes

Students may select up to two (2) science classes. If a student did not take a science class as a junior, the student is required to request a science class as a senior.

- Anatomy/Physiology (full year)
- Advanced Chemistry (full year) / dual credit through Wayne State College (6 credit hours)
- Chemistry (full year)
- Environmental Science (full year)
- Physics (full year)

In order to enroll into Chemistry, the student must have either completed Algebra II OR is currently requesting Algebra II.

In order to enroll into Advanced Chemistry, the student must have completed Chemistry.

12th Grade Band Option

Students wanting to take Band as a senior should check this box. Non-band students may leave this blank.

12th Grade Electives

Students may select the following elective courses to have a minimum of seventy (70) credit hours for the 2019-2020 school year (note: study hall has zero credit hours):

- Accounting I, II (full year)
- Art II, III, IV (full year)
- Chorus III/IV (full year)
- Computer Aided Drafting (full year)
- English Literature – Advanced (one semester)
- Reading for College Readiness (full year)
- Entrepreneurship / Personal Finance (full year)
- Fitness (full year)
- Info Tech App II, III, IV (full year)
- Marketing – Introduction (full year)
- Psychology / Sociology (full year)
- Public Speaking (one semester)
- Spanish III, IV (full year)
- Weight Training (full year)
- Yearbook (full year)
- CNA Course through CCC –more information to come /see Mrs. Dyer
- Auto tech course through CCC – see Mrs. Dyer
- Other CCC courses as options – see Mrs. Dyer
- Study Hall (one semester or full year) **Depending on student schedule and Administration approval**

Students wanting to take Accounting II must have completed Accounting I.

Traditionally, Personal Finance and Entrepreneurship are taken as seniors for those who are interested.

Students can enroll in Psychology and Sociology and will take this as a full year course.

Colleges and universities across the country prefer high school students to continue their foreign language development. It is encouraged that students take Spanish IV, especially if they are capable of handling the academic rigor associated with it. Some colleges (e.g., University of Nebraska, Lincoln) will waive their foreign language general education requirement if students have successfully completed four years of a foreign language in high school. Students wanting this option for their future must, then, enroll in Spanish IV as a senior. In order to register for Spanish IV, the student must have completed Spanish III.

***** CCC courses (CNA, auto courses) will be offered at CCC. Their schedule for the fall is not completed as of yet, but as soon as we have that information will announce.