



Forecasting for Sophomore Year!

You're Halfway through 9th and
Planning for 10th!



Your Academic Self

Think about what you learned about yourself learning styles, strengths explorer, advisory activities)

Some students change who they are as they progress through high school, either through interests, or academic performance. It's part of the journey; embrace it and learn from it so that when you finish high school you have a better sense of who you are and what you want.

Your Academic Self

Believe it or not, your journey in school - no matter how well it does or doesn't go - will shape a lot of who you are. BUT, it doesn't have to define you.

Since school is your "job" right now, and such a big part of what you do with your life, get what you want out of it. Let it help you become the best you, and set the stage for opportunities in the future!

Your Transcript

- This is the document that shows:
 - All of the courses you've taken
 - All grades you've earned and your GPA
 - Your progress towards graduation
- Only final semester grades go onto your transcript
- GPA:
 - Your **cumulative GPA** started when you got your first semester grades this year and will go all the way through senior year final grades
 - **Class Rank**: puts all students in your grade level in order based only on GPA (#1 is the highest GPA and it goes down from there)
- You will get to see your HS transcript in your forecasting folder today!

Understanding Your Transcript

Subject	Course Title	Mark	Cred	Cmp	Graduation Requirements - Credit Summary			
Evergreen Middle Yr: 2017 Month: 4 Grade: 09					Subject Area	Req'd	Compl	Needed
AA	Spanish 1/PBC	S	0.500		AA, WL, CTE	3.000	2.000	1.000
AA	Spanish 1/PBC	S	0.500		Career Development	0.500	0.000	0.500
Cred Cmp: 1.000 GPA: 0.00					Economics	0.500	0.000	0.500
Glencoe High School Yr: 2017 Month: 9 Grade: 09					Elective	5.000	1.250	3.750
EL	8.5 Summer Program	S	0.250		World Studies	1.000	0.500	0.500
Cred Cmp: 0.250 GPA: 0.00					People and Politics	0.500	0.000	0.500
Glencoe High School Yr: 2018 Month: 1 Grade: 09					Health	1.000	0.000	1.000
LA	English Language Arts 9	B	0.500		US History	1.000	0.000	1.000
EL	Supp for Eng Lang Art 9	B	0.500		Language Arts	4.000	0.500	3.500
MA	Algebra 1	C	0.500		Mathematics	3.000	0.500	2.500
SC	Physics 1	D	0.500		Physical Education	1.000	0.000	1.000
GS	World Studies	B	0.500		Science	3.000	0.500	2.500
AA	Art 1	A	0.500		Senior Project	0.500	0.000	0.500
AA	Child Development 2	D	0.500		TOTALS	24.000	5.250	18.750
EL	Math Support: Algebra I	B	0.500		Graduation Requirements - Test History			
Cred Cmp: 4.000 GPA: 2.50					Test Name	Admin Dt	Result	
					Essential Skills Reading		Not Taken	
					Essential Skills Math		Not Taken	
					Essential Skills Writing		Not Taken	

Grade Point Legend			GPA Summary	
Mark	Regular	AP/IB		
A			Unweighted HS	2.50
B	3	4	Rank:	253 out of 387
C	2	3	Weighted HS	2.50
D	1	1	Rank:	253 out of 387
F	0	0		
Enter Date			Graduation Date	
09/05/2017				
Leave Date				
Class of 2021				

Graduation Requirements - Standard Diploma

- Language Arts:
 - 4.0 credits
- Math:
 - 3.0 credits
- Science:
 - 3.0 credits
- Social Studies:
 - 3.0 credits
- PE:
 - 1.0 credit
- Health:
 - 1.0 credit
- Electives:
 - 8.0 credits
 - 3.0 Applied Arts, WL, CTE
 - 5.0 General Electives
- Career Development:
 - .5 credit
- Senior Project:
 - .5 credit

(At least) 24 credits to graduate!

Chancellor's Diploma

- Academic Credits:
 - 1 extra credit of math (4 total credits)
 - 1 additional credit of Social Studies or Science
 - 2 credits of World Language (Can be STAMP credits)
 - 4 credits (minimum) must be AP or Dual-Credit courses
- Core GPA of 3.0 (average of Bs)
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 (average of Bs)

Honors Graduate

- All of the above with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.75

Why Is Knowing Your Transcript Important?

- Academic Self
 - Think about the classes that you do well in, and the ones you don't. What does that tell you about yourself?
 - Think about activities we have done with you this year:
 - Learning Styles, Strengths Explorer, Course Planner, etc.
 - How can you relate all of this together?
 - In other words: what does your transcript say about you either through classes of interest or performance in classes (or both) and how do you feel about what it says about you?

Why Is Knowing Your Transcript Important?

- We want you to be familiar with your transcript and your graduation progress to regularly evaluate your plans and your future
- Often times, students are working towards a goal that is unrealistic given the time period, or that doesn't match what is needed for them
 - Examples: Taking world language classes when not planning to attend a 4-year university
 - Example: Planning to go to college when they want to become massage therapist or a mechanic
 - Example: Applying to a 4-year university with a 2.4 GPA and many Ds and Fs to recover

What if Things Haven't Gone Well?

- If you failed a core/required course from semester 1 (or if you do for semester 2), you will need to recover that credit in order to graduate
 - You can/should enroll in summer school to get caught up before next year
 - You can take Academic Options in 12th grade to recover
 - You can retake the class at GHS or online (through BYU or HOA) depending on the class/credit
- Ds and Fs both pull your GPA down and may prevent you from opportunities in the future

How Your Grades Impact Your Future

- Graduation
 - Failing classes/credits that are needed for your diploma mean you must take summer school, academic options, or retake the class in order to earn your diploma
- College:
 - 4-year universities have a GPA requirement for admissions, usually 3.0+
 - Some 2-year college programs have a GPA requirement to get in
 - Scholarships and Financial Aid:
 - Many scholarships are based at least partly on your academic performance
 - Oregon Promise: Provides up to full tuition coverage (based on family income levels) for students ending high school with a 2.5+ cumulative GPA who attend an Oregon community college
 - 4 Years Free @ Portland State: Have a 3.4 cumulative GPA and be a Pell grant (financial need) recipient pay zero tuition

How Grades Impact Your Future

- OSAA
 - OSAA Athletics or Activity Eligibility
 - Must pass 5 classes from previous semester
 - Must be enrolled in 5 credit-bearing classes at Glencoe
 - Must have at least 4 credits at start of Sophomore year
 - 2.0 GPA if any Fs
- Car Insurance!

Forecasting



Career & College Pathway (CCP) Programs



Career & College Pathway Programs

- Helps you to explore electives
- Prepares you for career options
- Provides valuable experience in that field or industry
- Software, guest speakers, equipment
- Can lead to internships or job experience
- Each of you will need to pick at least one to complete by senior year

Glencoe's CCP Programs

- **Arts, Information & Communication**

- Fine Arts
- Graphic Arts
- Instrumental Music
- Theatre
- Vocal Arts

- **Business & Management**

- Finance
- Marketing

- **Health Sciences**

- **Human Resources**

- Civic & Community Services**
- Leadership**
- Early Childhood Education

- **Industrial & Engineering Systems**

- Architectural Drafting
- Construction
- Drafting
- Engineering
- Manufacturing & Design

- **Available at other HSs**

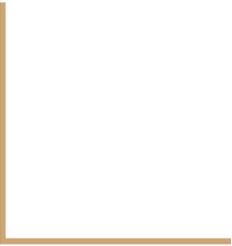
- Auto Tech (@ Hilhi)
- Criminal Justice (@ HOA)
- Fire Science (@ Liberty)

CCP Program Electives

- Please make sure you are taking classes from one or more of these programs in 10th grade!
 - It will help you explore options
 - Helps you determine if you enjoy them like you thought you would
- Courses are grouped on your electives forms by CCP



New & Updated Courses



Intro to Health Professions

- One semester course
- Learn about health-related career paths
 - Certificate programs - some can be completed before high school graduation!
 - Two-year and four-year college degree programs
 - Advanced university degree programs
- Labs and hands-on work along the way
- Guest speakers and field trips
- Great way to learn more about this field and the options within it before you can take the Health Sciences/Anatomy block in 11th grade
 - If possible, take in addition to Chem and Bio in 10th!

Leadership 1

Emphasize skills such as goal setting, communication, and organization, along with the other skills it takes to be a good leader in both your school and your community.

The class will consist of group activities, planning for school and community events, individual projects and goals, and the learning and practicing of leadership qualities and skills both as a group and as individuals.

In addition, we will work on self development, becoming better thinkers, listeners, and communicators.

Topics will include: personality vs. character, self concept, goal-setting, decision-making, time management, all aspects of program planning

Topics & Issues in Literature

A specialized study of one main text - take one or both semesters and:

- read and analyze one main text;
- study the author, his or her life, and his or her experiences before, during, and after the publication of the text;
- become familiar with the various schools of literary theory;
- learn stronger writing and grammar skills; and
- write a mini-research essay

Choose from:

- Farmers, Migrants, and the Great Depression: Inside the World of John Steinbeck's **The Grapes of Wrath**
- Literary Criminology: Truman Capote's **In Cold Blood** and the Birth of the True-Crime Novel

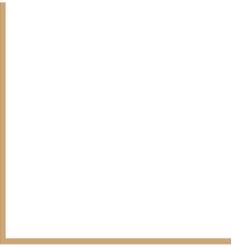
HOA Electives

Being a successful Hillsboro Online Academy student requires:

- Excellent time management skills
- Being able to manage the work around other commitments, and to keep up with the class throughout the course of the semester
- Ability to initiate communication with your teachers
- You will likely have questions or problems to navigate
- Motivation to complete daily and weekly work in order to move to the next assignments



Electives with an Application Needed



Student Government

- ASB:
 - Application packet available March 9, and due Friday, March 15
 - Pick up from UTC, Main office or counseling!
 - Required Candidate Meeting Tuesday, March 31 at 8:00am in UTC
 - Videos made by Friday, April 3
 - Campaigning is April 6-9
 - Voting during Advisory on Thursday, April 9 - results announced after school
- Class Cabinet
 - Application packet available Monday, March 16, and due Wednesday, April 8
 - Campaigning is April 13-16
 - Voting during Advisory on Thursday, April 16 - results announced after school
- Any ASB candidate who does not secure a position can run for class cabinet (no further application needed)

Yearbook

Need to be detail-oriented and meet strict deadlines

Must go to sports events, clubs and other events

Application needed – pick up in the counseling center!

Due Friday, March 20

Utilize skills like leadership, time management, communication, business, organization, writing, design and photography

Off-Campus Options

- Will be a 2-period block
 - Can strongly impact the rest of your schedule
- Transportation provided
- Application Required
 - Due to the counseling center, completed, by March 20
- Please only list if you are extremely interested!
 - This should only be listed if in your #1 or #2 elective spot
- Options:
 - Auto Tech 1 & 2
 - Computer Game Design 1
 - Intro to Bioscience Technologies
 - Mariachi

Intro to Bioscience Technologies

An introduction to the world of modern biological research

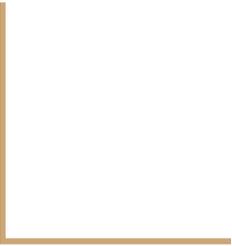
Learn the basic laboratory methods used in modern biological research laboratories

Conduct research projects and formal discussions surrounding the ethical and moral questions invoked by current biological research topics and their impact on society

Chemical and biohazard lab safety



Required Courses



How to Fill Out Your Form

All of your required choices need a ✓

Electives should be listed in order of preference

#1 is the first thing that will go into your schedule

Your required credits and top elective choices should add up to 8.0 total
Count Seminary as a “credit” for this purpose

Sophomore Requirements

- Language Arts:
 - 1.0 credit (full-year)
- Math:
 - 1.0 credit (full-year)
- Science:
 - 1.0 credit (full-year)
- Health 1 & 2:
 - 1.0 credit (full-year)
- PE 2:
 - .5 credit (semester)

No Social Studies requirement

Elective Social Studies Options:

- AP Human Geography
- AP European History
 - Psychology
 - Sociology
- AP Psychology
- Ethnic Studies

English

4.0 credits total for graduation

Language Arts: (4.0 credits of Language Arts are **required** for graduation)

_____ English Language Arts 10 (1.0)

- Talk to your English 9 teacher if you are interested in AP Language & Comp or AP Literature & Comp
 - If you select this, cross out English 10 and hand-write it underneath

Science

3.0 credits total for graduation:

1.0 each of Physics, Chemistry, Biology

Science: (3.0 credits of science are **required** for graduation)

_____ Chemistry (1.0)

_____ Accelerated Chemistry (1.0)

(Students pursuing the Health Sciences program in 11th grade can choose to take both Chemistry and Biology to prepare for Anatomy & Physiology course)

Accelerated Chemistry

- For Accelerated Chemistry, it is recommended that you have completed or are concurrently taking (at the same time) Algebra 2
- Accelerated Chem is a college-preparatory class for those especially interested in science, engineering or medical fields
- Helps prepare you for the advanced science courses:
 - AP Biology
 - AP Chemistry
 - AP Environmental Science
 - AP Physics

If Pursuing Health Science CCP in the Future...

Anatomy & Physiology and Health Sciences 1 (2.0 block) are required for 11th grade

- Option 1: (most recommended)
 - Take Chemistry and Biology in 10th grade
 - Biology= better foundation for Anatomy & Physiology
- Option 2:
 - Take Anatomy & Physiology and Health Sciences 1 in 11th
 - Take Biology or AP Biology in 12th
- Option 3:
 - Take Anatomy & Physiology, Health Sciences 1 and Biology in 11th

Math

3.0 credits total for graduation

Your teacher will make a recommendation for you based on your current class and performance

Your counselor will verify this with you as well

Math: (3.0 credits of Math are **required** for graduation)

___ Algebra 1 (1.0)

___ Geometry (1.0)

___ Algebra 2 (1.0)

___ Pre-Calculus (1.0)

___ AP Calculus AB (1.0)

Health & PE

- Health: 1.0 credit total for graduation

Health: (1.0 Health is required for graduation)	
____ Health	(1.0)

- PE: 1.0 credit total for graduation
 - Elective PE courses (Strength Training or Team Sports) do NOT count for your PE credit

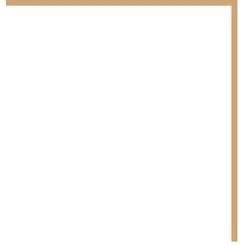
Physical Education: (1.0 of PE 1 & PE 2 is required for graduation)	
____ Physical Education 2	(0.5)

- If you are doing either course online, write that on your form and discuss with your counselor when you hand in your form

Add It All Up!

TOTAL CORE CREDITS SELECTED ABOVE: _____

Elective Courses



Electives

- You have room for 3.5 elective credits (typically)
- Put in order of preference (#1 is most desired)
- Choose wisely! It is possible you will get some of your alternates
 - Schedule changes will not be honored for classes you forecasted for!
- If you failed/are failing level 1 of something, do not forecast for level 2
 - If you didn't take level 1, don't forecast for level 2
 - You cannot take 2 levels of something at the same time if they are year-long classes (example art 1 and art 2 cannot be taken at the same time)
- Don't forget AVID or Seminary, if needed
- Aide: only list if you have a specific teacher you've spoken with
- Select plenty of CCP electives so that you have options!

Electives

- Each line should be 1.0 credits
 - Either a 1.0 credit class or (2) .5 credit classes

Elective Courses: *Please list in order of preference.*

1. _____ (.5 only – to be paired with PE 2)

2. _____ / _____

3. _____ / _____

4. _____ / _____

TOTAL ELECTIVE CREDITS SELECTED ABOVE: _____

Add It All Up!

Your total amount of Core credits

+

Your total amount of Elective credits

=

8.0 credits

Then...Alternates

These are courses you will only get if one of your “top choices” isn’t available.

Alternate Courses: *Used only if choices above are not available.*

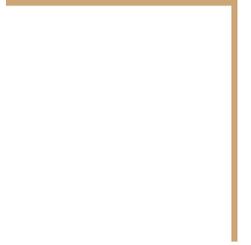
5. _____ / _____

6. _____ / _____

7. _____ / _____

8. _____ / _____

Reminders



Filling Out Your Form

- Use the course catalog!
 - It's on the Glencoe Counselor website and the district website!
- Complete your form in pencil! That way you can erase things if you change your mind 😊
- Do not simply choose what your friends choose!
- Be realistic – consider your overall load
 - Multiple AP classes?
 - Extracurricular activities and commitments, family responsibilities

Form Collection and Questions

- Bring the folder and form to World Studies/AP Hug
 - If you have World Studies/AP Hug on an A day: **Tuesday, March 17th**
 - If you have World Studies/AP Hug on a B day: **Wednesday, March 18th**
- Your counselor will meet with you – ask us any questions at this time!
- Parent Signature is required on your form
- If you forget your form, you will have to fill out one on-the-spot
- If you are absent, bring your form to counseling center ASAP

Questions?

