

# SUN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL



Class of 2023

Registration  
Information

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# ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

- Dr. Mike Harvey, Principal
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  - Ms. Debbie Mayer, Assistant Principal
  - Mr. Wesley Riddle, Assistant Principal
  - Mr. Shep Stewart, Assistant Principal

# COUNSELING STAFF

- Mrs. Elaine Berton
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- Mrs. Hillary Hawkins
  - (Ce-Go)
- Mrs. Brittane Cervini
  - (Gr-L)
- Mrs. Jessica Hill
  - (M-Ri)
- Ms. Nichole Jackson
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Ms. Nicole Clark, Secretary



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**Mrs. Berton**



**Ms. Jackson**



**Mrs. Hawkins**



**Mrs. Cervini**



**Mrs. Hill**

# PROMOTION STANDARDS

Grade Level	4 X 4 Block
Grade 9	Promoted from 8 <sup>th</sup> grade
Grade 10	6 credits including English I
Grade 11	13 credits including English II
Grade 12	20 credits including English III

# FUTURE-READY CORE COURSE OF STUDY

<b>Content Area</b>	<b>Future-Ready Core</b>
<b>English</b>	<b>4 credits</b> <b>I, II, III, IV</b>
<b>Math</b>	<b>4 credits</b> <b>Math I, Math II, Math III</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> math course to be aligned with the student's post high school plans at the request of a parent and counseling from the school, a student will be able to take an alternate sequence which would include Math I and Math II and two other application based math courses.</b>
<b>Science</b>	<b>3 Credits</b> <b>Earth/Environmental science, Biology, and a Physical science</b>

<b>Social Studies</b> <b>*New for % 2024</b>	<b>4 Credits - World History, Civics, American History I and American History II</b>
<b>Second Language</b>	<b>Not required for graduation.</b> <b>Required to meet MAR (minimum application requirements) for UNC.</b>
<b>Health &amp; PE</b>	<b>1 Credit</b> <b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b>
<b>Electives or other requirements</b>	<b>12 Credits</b> <b>4 Elective credits strongly recommended (four course concentration) from one of the following:</b> <b>-Career and Technical Education (CTE)</b> <b>-ROTC</b> <b>-Arts Education (e.g. music, theater arts &amp; visual arts)</b>

**\*A Total of 28 Credits is needed to graduate**

# ENGLISH-- 4 CREDITS

Each row represents a possible route to completing all required English credits

CREDITS FROM MIDDLE SCHOOL	9th	10 <sup>th</sup>	11th	12th
	CP English I	CP English II	CP English III	CP English IV
No HS credit, but an A average in ELA classes	Honors English I	Honors English II	Honors English III ~or~ AP English Language	Honors English IV ~or~ AP English Literature
English I	Honors English II	Advanced Inquiry and Research	AP English Language (2 semesters)	AP English Literature (2 semesters)

# MATH -- 4 CREDITS

Each row represents a possible route to completing all required Math credits

CREDITS FROM MIDDLE SCHOOL	9th	10 <sup>th</sup>	11th	12th
	CP MATH I ~or~ Math I Honors	CP Math II ~or~ Math II Honors	CP Math III ~or~ Math III Honors	CP Math IV ~or~ Math IV Honors
MATH I	Honors Math II	Honors Math III	Honors Pre-Calculus	AP Calculus (2 semesters) ~or~ AP Statistics (2 semesters)
MATH I & MATH II	Honors MATH III	Pre-Calculus Honors	AP Calculus (2 semesters)	AP Statistics (2 semesters)

# SOCIAL STUDIES-- 4 CREDITS

Each row represents a possible route to completing all required Social Studies credits

9th	10 <sup>th</sup>	11th	12th
CP World History	CP Civics & Economics	CP American History I	CP American History II
Honors World History	Honors Civics & Economics	Honors American History I ~and~ Honors American History II	
AP World History	Honors Civics & Economics	Honors American History I AP companion ~and~ AP US History	



# SCIENCE-- 3 CREDITS

Each row represents a possible route to completing all required Science credits

CREDITS FROM MIDDLE SCHOOL	9th	10th	11th
	CP Earth & Environmental	CP Biology I	Physical Science
No HS credit, but an A average in Science classes	Honors Earth & Environmental	Honors Biology I	Honors Chemistry or Physics
Math 1 & English 1 (with an A avg)	Biology I honors	Chemistry Honors	AP Earth & Environmental

# FOREIGN LANGUAGE



- A Foreign Language is NOT required for graduation.
- All UNC universities require **at least 2 years** of the same foreign language. Some of the more highly selective schools require 3 to 4 years of the same language.
- Some SC colleges require 3 years.
- We recommend you check the college's website of the school you would like to attend for their admission requirements.

# CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

QUESTIONS: CONTACT [MELISSA.WASHINGTON@UCPS.K12.NC.US](mailto:MELISSA.WASHINGTON@UCPS.K12.NC.US)

## **Agriculture**

- **Animal Science**
- **Vet Assisting**
- **Horticulture**
- **Agricultural Mechanics**

# CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

QUESTIONS: CONTACT MELISSA.WASHINGTON@UCPS.K12.NC.US

- **Academies**

- **Available in numerous CTE pathways and on an application basis**
- **Several prerequisite courses required depending on academy of interest prior to applying**
- **Interested? Speak to Ms. Washington and fill out the application form:**

**[https://bit.ly/SV\\_CTE](https://bit.ly/SV_CTE)**

# FINE ARTS

- Theater Arts, Tech Theater
- Visual Arts, Pottery, Photography, AP Art (Visual Arts I is prerequisite for additional art classes)
- Concert Chorus, Mixed Chorus, Ladies & Men's chorus
- Band



# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- **Health & PE (Grad. requirement and prerequisite for all additional PE electives)**
- **Speed & Agility**
- **Team Sports**
- **Weightlifting honors**
- **Sports Medicine**



# NJROTC (JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS)

- **Cadet Field Manual**
- **Intro to NJROTC**
- **Maritime History**
- **Nautical Sciences**
- **Naval Knowledge**
- **Naval Skills**

- **Leadership Theory**
  - **Ethics**
  - **Responsibility**



# ACADEMIC DIFFICULTY OF COURSES

- **Level 1: College Prep**– Course content, pace, and academic rigor follows standards specified by the North Carolina Standard Course of Study (NCSCOS) with content enrichment where appropriate.
- **Level 2: Honors**– Course content, pace, and academics rigor place high expectations on the student and surpass standards specified by the NCSCOS. These course demand greater independence and responsibility than Level 1 courses. *This level is suggested for competitive college admission.*
- **Level 3: Advanced Placement**– Course content, pace, and academic rigor are college-level as adopted by the College Board to prepare students for college.



# WEIGHTING OF GRADES

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Numerical Value</b>	<b>Level 3 CP</b>	<b>Level 4 Honors</b>	<b>Level 5 AP</b>
A	90-100	4	4.5	5
B	80-89	3	3.5	4
C	70-79	2	2.5	3
D	60-69	1	1.5	2
F	0-59 No credit awarded	0	0	0

# ACADEMIC DIFFICULTY OF COURSES

- **Honors:** Students must be RECOMMENDED by their current teachers. Test scores are also factored into this decision
  - If you are recommended for an honors level course and decide you would rather take the course at the CP level, you may do so.
  - If you are recommended for CP and wish to take honors, your parents should reach out to your teachers and counselor. Students who do this typically struggle in the honors level course.
- **Foundational:** Students who struggle in math and/or English may have the option of a year-long foundational course that will help build necessary skills to be successful.
  - Students will receive 2 credits for these courses upon successful completion.

# REGISTRATION TIMELINE

- **Week of Feb 28th:**
  - **Feb 28th:** Registration presentation posted online for parents
  - **March 3rd:** Homeroom for students- presentation of registration information
- **March 1-14:** Students work with parents and current teachers to determine best course selection and enter those courses in Powerschool
- **March 15-April 1:** SVHS counselors meet one-on-one with students to review course selections (**bring your worksheet and transcript with you**)

Link to program of studies can be found online at:

<https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/domain/2922>

# REGISTRATION PROCESS

- **Registration Presentations**

- Posted online and presented in homeroom on **March 3rd**
- Direct any questions to the question form or to counselors who will be in all lunches on **March 3rd and 4th.**
- Discuss next course in sequence and level options with current teachers
- Put 8 top choices and 4 alternate electives in to powerschool by **March 14th.**
  - Alternates are just as important as primary choices. More than likely you will be placed in at least one of your alternate choices, so please choose wisely.

# REGISTRATION PROCESS

- **Entering Course Selections in PowerSchool**

- Sign in to PowerSchool through the startup page
- Click “Class Registration” located on the left of the screen
- Click on the pencil icon on the right-hand side of the page next to each course subject listed to choose a course in that subject area
- Once you have selected your course(s), click “okay” and continue to the bottom of the page to hit “Submit”
  - Do this for each core subject (English, Math, Science, and Social Studies)
- Make sure you register for 4 primary and 4 alternate electives

**\*See instructions on the following slides for step-by-step directions**

## Accessing the Online Registration System--

**[Click here for Powerschool Screencast](#)**



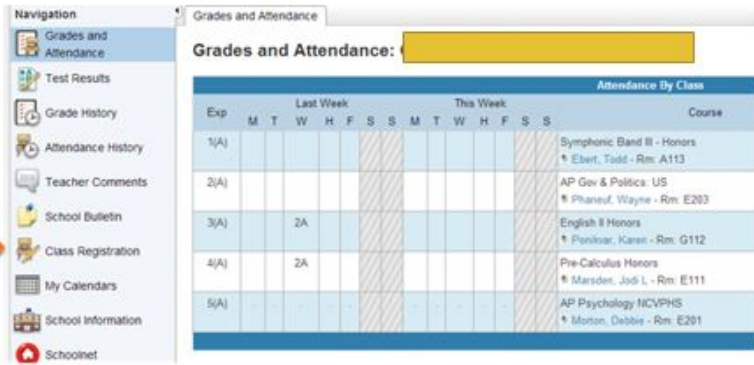
# ACCESSING THE ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

- Login to your ChromeBook, open chrome and access the “NCEdCloudIAM” as if you were checking your grades in PowerSchool
- If you do not have this page set as your homescreen, please go to SVHS Website > Parents and Students > Technology > UCPS Student Start-up Page (High)



# ACCESSING THE ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

- Select “class registration” on the left hand side.



Navigation

- Grades and Attendance
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Grades and Attendance:

Exp	Last Week					This Week					Course		
	M	T	W	H	F	S	M	T	W	H		F	S
1(A)													Symphonic Band III - Honors * Ebert, Todd - Rm. A113
2(A)													AP Gov & Politics: US * Phares, Wayne - Rm. E203
3(A)			2A										English II Honors * Ponikvar, Karen - Rm. G112
4(A)			2A										Pre-Calculus Honors * Marsden, Jodi L. - Rm. E111
5(A)													AP Psychology NICVPHS * Morton, Debbie - Rm. E201

- Next, select the pencil icon to the right of each category to view courses in that category.

Please complete your course requests by March 31, 2014. This must be done prior to meeting with your School Counselor. Your Registration Card must match this online course request. Please bring your registration card to your meeting.

[View course requests](#)

<b>10th Grade English</b> English I must be successfully completed to complete 10th grade. If you have completed English I, please select the next English course in your track.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	
<b>English Electives</b> You may select English Electives.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	
<b>10th Grade Mathematics</b> 4 Credits of Mathematics are required for graduation. Please select the next Math course in your track.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	
<b>10th Grade Social Studies</b> The following social studies courses are required for graduation: World History, Civics and Economics, American History I, and American History II. It is recommended that American History I and II be taken during the junior year of study.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	
<b>10th Grade Science</b> 3 Credits of science, including Biology, Earth Science (or AP Environmental), and a Physical Science are required to graduate.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	
<b>10th Grade World Languages</b>	Click the edit button to request a course =>	





# ACCESSING THE ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

- In each category, select the appropriate class and select “okay.”
- Continue to the bottom of the screen and hit “submit” to return to previous screen.

\*\*Course selections must be in the system no later than

**March 14th!!**

	Course Name	Number	Credits	Prerequisite Note	Alerts
<input type="radio"/>	AP English Language & Composition	10357X0C	1	Student must have successfully completed English III Honors	
<input type="radio"/>	English II	10222X0C	1	Student must have successfully completed English I	
<input type="radio"/>	English II Honors	10225X0C	1	Student must have successfully completed English I Honors	
<input type="radio"/>	English III	10232X0C	1	Student must have successfully completed English II	
<input type="radio"/>	English III Honors	10235X0C	1	Student must have successfully completed English II Honors	
<input type="radio"/>	English III UCPS	10232X0VL	1		
<input type="radio"/>	English III-H AP Companion	10235X0CC	1	Student must have successfully completed English II Honors. This course will be taken in conjunction with AP English Language and Composition	
<input type="radio"/>	English III Honors UCPS	10235X0VL	1	Student must have successfully completed English II Honors	
<input type="radio"/>	Mod English	10102X0CL	1		

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! You may select 1 course. You have selected 0 courses.

Cancel Okay

THANK YOU!

**Thank you for your attention to detail in  
your course selections!**

**Counselors will be available in all lunches  
3/3 and 3/4 for questions or...**

**Submit A Question: <https://bit.ly/SVRegQs>**

