

2023-2024 School Year Course Registration

Tips:

- Check your credits and graduation requirements – make sure you're on track to graduate.
- Look at the classes you plan to take in the future to see if there are prerequisites that you need to take now.
- Think about what you want to do after you graduate and take relevant courses. If you don't know what you want to do, try something new to see if it interests you.



GRHS Graduation Requirements

English – 4 credits
Social – 3 ½ credits
Math – 3 credits
Science – 3 credits
Fitness – 1 credit
Art – 1 credit
Health - ½ credit
Money Matters – ½ credit
Electives – 6 ½ credits

Total of 23 credits to graduate

Remember that 'elective' credit can be *any* credit beyond the required credit in the areas noted above or classes in *Elective options* listed below.

CORE OPTIONS

You must register for a full credit of English **every year**. You also need 3 ½ credits of social and 3 full years of math and science **but** an additional year is recommended for students planning on continuing their education after high school – some colleges require 4 years.

If you failed a required/core course, you need to register for it again.

English (GRHS requirement: 4.0 English Credits to graduate)

- Advanced English 10 #1046 & #2046

or

Semester 1

Semester 2 (Choose one)

- English 10 #1024
- English 10: Literature of Global Events #1026
- English 10: Hero Journey and Quest Literature #1027

Social (GRHS requirement: 3.5 Social Credits to graduate)

- Advanced U.S. History 10 #1106 & #2104 **or**
- U.S. History 10 #1105 & #2105

Math (GRHS requirement: 3.0 Math Credits to graduate)

- Advanced Algebra #1214 & #2214 (*Completion of Geometry Required*) **or**
- Geometry #1213 & #2213

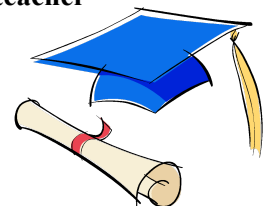
Science (GRHS requirement: 3.0 ScienceCredits to graduate, 1 credit **MUST** be in either Chemistry or Physics)

- College Prep Biology #1304 & #2304 **or**
- Biology #1301 & #2301

A few notes before you make your choices:

Read through the course descriptions in GRHS Course Catalog and check for the prerequisites and other requirements. The GRHS Course Catalog can be found online at Grand Rapids High School website under the “Academics” tab (<https://www.isd318.org/Domain/13>).

Consider your course selections carefully! Counseling is working hard to reduce the number of schedule changes made each semester. We will alter schedules to fill ‘holes’, balance teacher rosters, and to accommodate changes due to serious academic reasons.



10th Grade Elective Options

Additional Electives/ Career Pathway Electives

Health Career Exploration #xTP14001.3GWY AVID II #1896 & #2896 (*application required*)
Personal Leadership Development Skills #1682 GRHS Media Production #1853 & #2853
Exploring the World of Business #1515 Classical Guitar #1794 (Art credit)

Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources

Recreational Pet Management #1685 Advanced GIS Mapping and Drone Tech. (*See Mr. Linder for details*)
Large Wildlife Management #1678 Woodland Stewardship (2 Hours - *See Mr. Linder for permission*)
Small Wildlife Management #1679 Woodland Stewardship Leadership (2 Hours - *See Mr. Linder for permission*)
Fisheries & Aquatic Management #1681
Greenhouse/Landscaping #1647 (Art cr.)
Outdoor Recreation & Crafts #1625
Forestry #1648
Minnesota Foods #1617
Wide World of Animals #1680
Personal Leadership and Dev. Skills #1682
CIS Intro. to Natural Resources #1660
Agriculture and Nat. Resources Projects #1653

Course(s) to be offered on a rotating basis

Wide World of Animals #1680 (2023/2024)
Veterinary Animal Science #1626 (2024/2025)
GIS Mapping & Drone Technology #1634 (2024/2025)
Equine (Horse) Management #1628 (2025/2026)

Art (Art Credit)

Foundations in Art #1750 Drawing 1[^] #1758
Painting 1[^] #1764 Drawing 2^{^*} #1759
Painting 2^{^*} #1766 Printmaking #1770
Clay 1 #1756

Business, Technology, & Marketing

Keyboarding & Business Communications #1501 Exploring the World of Business #1515
Python Coding and App #1506 (Art cr.) Sports & Entertainment Marketing #1505
Accounting I[^] #1538 Hospitality and Tourism #1503
Multimedia Applications[^] #1554 (Art cr.)
Personal Law #1570 **Course(s) NOT offered in the 2023/2024 School Year**
Graphic Design Using Adobe InDesign #1629 (Art cr.) Advanced Multimedia Applications* #1555 (Art cr.)
Marketing #1502 PC Technology #1824
Website Design I[^] #1552 (Art cr.) Web Site Design II* #2558 (Art cr.)
Accounting II* #2575

Fitness and Wellness

Team Sports #1800 Wellness for Life (Health) #1804 - **Required**
Intense Team Sports #1801 Dodgeball #1819
Fitness for Life 1[^] #1807 Earlybird (7:00 am) Fitness 1[^] #1803
Fitness for Life 2^{^*} #1808 Earlybird (7:00 am) Fitness 2^{^*} #1806
Fitness for Life 3* #1811 Pickleball/Racquet Sports #1813
Body Shaping 1[^] #1817 Backyard Volleyball #1835
Body Shaping 2^{^*} #1820

This class has a **required prerequisite*

*[^]This course IS a **required** prerequisite for another course*

10th Grade Elective Options

Music (Art Credit)

Band

Choose a semester I and a semester II course

Semester I:

Marching Band #1776
Color Guard # 1796 (1 qu./25 cr.)
Varsity Band (Non-Marching) #1779

Semester II:

Concert Band #2783
Symphony Band #2784

Full Year:

Jazz Ensemble One #1784 & #2786

Choir

Tenor-Bass Choir #1777 & #2777
Treble Choir #1798 & #2798

A Cappella Choir* #1786 & #2788
Jazz Choir* #1788 & 2790

Music Elective

Classical Guitar #1794
Ensemble #1797 & #2797* (1 semester or 2)

Technical Education

Small Engines^ #1640
Woodworking^ #1604
Advanced Woodworking* #1613
GAME: IT 1^ #1645
GAME: IT 2* #1646
Basic Electricity^ #1644
Design and Print 1^ #1622 (Art cr.)
Design and Print 2* #1623 (Art cr.)
Adobe Photoshop #1630 & #2630 (Full year Course)

Engineering Design w/Solidworks^ #1603
Adv. Engineering Design w/Solidworks* #1611
Carpentry #1664 (2 Hours/1 credit)
Welding^ #1674 (2 Hours/1 credit)
Basic Machining/Metals #1614
Introduction to the Automobile^ #1609
Introduction to the Automobile for Beginners^ #1619
Outdoor Power Sports & Maintenance* #1616
Auto Mechanics^* #1605 (2 Hours/1 credit – *Need a driver's license*)

World Languages

Spanish I^ #1418 & #2420

Spanish II^* #1420 & #2422

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Course Selection Guide



Name _____

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There are 7 hours in the day and two semesters – this means that there are 14 slots to fill with a course number. Full year courses take up a slot each semester (and therefore have 2 numbers). As a guide –

- o 14 numbers (or 7 credits) = no study halls.
- o 13 numbers (or 6.5 credits) = 1 study hall (semester 1 or 2).
- o 12 numbers (or 6 credits) = 2 study halls (one each semester).



Semester 1

Semester 2

English Course _____ # _____ Course _____ # _____

Social Course _____ # _____ Course _____ # _____

Math Course _____ # _____ Course _____ # _____

Science Course _____ # _____ Course _____ # _____

Note: Remember that full year courses and block classes fill two slots!

Elective Requests 14 requests = no study halls

9. Course _____ # _____

10. Course _____ # _____

11. Course _____ # _____

12. Course _____ # _____

13. Course *Study Hall* # _____

14. Course *Study Hall* # _____

Alternates Must fill AT LEAST four

Course _____ # _____

Course _____ # _____

Course _____ # _____

Course _____ # _____

Course _____ # _____

Course _____ # _____