

Junior Presentation

Fall 2022



★ Purpose

Main Goals for Junior Year

ACADEMIC

- Put forth best effort since this year's grades will be the last ones posted on transcripts
- Make wise selections for senior year because colleges will look at your senior year schedule when making their decisions

PLANNING

- Expose yourself to as much information as possible for options after high school. You want to make an informed decision.
- Identify matches with your individual interests, skills, goals and desired college experiences.

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Name: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED] Grade Level:GD Entered: [REDACTED]
DOB: [REDACTED] Grad Year: [REDACTED] Graduation Date: [REDACTED] Withdrawn: [REDACTED]

Grade09 - 09 Year2015						Grade10 - 10 Year2016					
Course	Course	Earned	To Be Earned	S1	S2	Course	Course	Earned	To Be Earned	S1	S2
0090	ENGLISH 9 A	0.500	0.000	A-		0100	ENGLISH 10 A	0.500	0.000	A-	
0091	ENGLISH 9 B	0.500	0.000			0101	ENGLISH 10 B	0.500	0.000		A
0092	SPEECH 9	0.250	0.000	A	A-	0150	AP US HISTORY A	0.500	0.000	B	
0147	GEOGRAPHY	0.500	0.000	B-		0151	AP US HISTORY B	0.500	0.000		B-
0167	PHY ED 9	0.500	0.000	A	A	0163	HUMAN EXP	0.500	0.000		A-
0168	HEALTH 9	0.250	0.000	A-		0184	BIOLOGY A	0.500	0.000	B	
0182	PHY SCIENCE A	0.500	0.000	A-		0185	BIOLOGY B	0.500	0.000		A
0183	PHY SCIENCE B	0.500	0.000	A	A	0222	FST	0.500	0.000	B	
0220	ALGEBRA II X A	0.500	0.000	B-		0223	FST	0.500	0.000		A-
0221	ALGEBRA II X B	0.500	0.000		B	0243	SPANISH II A	0.500	0.000	A	
0241	SPANISH I A	0.500	0.000	B-		0244	SPANISH II B	0.500	0.000		A-
0242	SPANISH I B	0.500	0.000		B	0272	INTRO MARKETING	0.500	0.000	A	
0296	WOOD TECH I	0.500	0.000	A				6.000	0.000		
0415	ART I	0.500	0.000	A							
		6.500	0.000								

Grade11 - 11 Year2017						Grade12 - 12 Year2018					
Course	Course	Earned	To Be Earned	S1	S2	Course	Course	Earned	To Be Earned	S1	S2
0116	HONORS AM LIT	0.500	0.000	A-		0125	AP LIT & COMP A	0.500	0.000	A-	
0117	HONORS AM LIT	0.500	0.000		A-	0126	AP LIT & COMP B	0.500	0.000		A
0143	ADV WORLD H 11A	0.500	0.000	B+		0156	ADV AM GOVT 12A	0.500	0.000	A	
0144	ADV WORLD H 11B	0.500	0.000	A-	A-	0157	ADV ECON 12B	0.500	0.000		A
0187	CHEMISTRY A	0.500	0.000	A		0227	AP CALC AB A	0.500	0.000	A-	
0188	CHEMISTRY B	0.500	0.000		A	0228	AP CALC AB B	0.500	0.000		A
0224	PRE CALCULUS A	0.500	0.000	A-		0265	PERS MONEY MGMT	0.500	0.000		A
0225	PRE CALCULUS B	0.500	0.000		A	0405	STEAM ART/PHYSI	0.500	0.000	A	A-
0245	SPANISH III A	0.500	0.000	A		0406	STEAM ART/PHYSI	0.500	0.000		A-
0246	SPANISH III B	0.500	0.000		A-	0607	HS TEAC AST A	0.500	0.000	P	
0607	HS TEAC AST A	0.500	0.000	P		0608	HS TEAC AST B	0.500	0.000		P
0608	HS TEAC AST B	0.500	0.000		P	9504	OL NSO INTRO TO AG	0.500	0.000	B+	
LINK	LINK CREW	0.500	0.000	P	P		SCIENCE				
		6.500	0.000			LINK	LINK CREW	0.500	0.000	P	P
								6.500	0.000		

Total Earned Credits:25.50
Cumulative GPA:3.846
Credits Required for Graduation:23.500

Code	Date	Date	Date
DTP	03/20/2000	05/22/2000	07/27/2000
HePB	03/22/2000	07/27/2000	07/12/2000
IPV	03/20/2000	05/22/2000	01/12/2001
MMR	03/22/2000	02/02/2000	
Tdap	05/14/2012		

12 Month Timeline

Fall/Winter/Spring (Junior Year)

- Take ACT
- Select Senior Courses
- Credit Checks
- Gather info: Rep visits, campus tours, online tools, etc.



Summer (after Junior year)

- Campus tours
- Works on admission essays
- Acquire appropriate recommenders
- Begin Applications

Fall (Senior Year)

- Retake ACT
- Submit applications
- Finalize recommenders
- Research scholarships
- Complete FAFSA/Financial Aid Night



Winter/Spring (Senior Year)

- Local scholarships
- Make final decisions-submit deposits
- Senior survey & Send final transcripts

College Rep Visits

- College Reps come to the high school to meet with students
- Visits shared: Schoology, Wake up Westonka, posters and through WIN offering list
- Sign up through Hawknet/WIN offerings
 - October 13th: St. Benedict & St. John's WIN 1, University of Minnesota WIN 2 & 3
 - October 27th: Minnesota State Mankato Army ROTC WIN 1, North Dakota State University WIN 2.
- Come ready to listen; they will do the talking and answer your questions.

College Visits

- Visit the website or call ahead to make reservations (many good opportunities over MEA)
- There are many great virtual options that save time and money
- **Consider the following:**
 - Sit in on a class
 - Meet with a professor or student in area of interest
 - Meet with financial aid
 - Meet with admissions
 - Visit a dorm
 - Eat in the dining hall
 - Take a stroll on campus
 - Attend a sporting event/fine arts show

ACT Admission Policies

Most colleges are currently choosing two routes for the ACT

- **Test Optional:** ACT can be a consideration in the admission process if you feel like your score would help your application. If you choose to not submit a score, other factors (GPA, course rigor, activities) will likely be weighted more heavily
- **Test Blind:** Schools will not consider your ACT score as part of your application.

*Most colleges are continuing this policy through 2025

District vs. National ACT

District ACT	National ACT Test
During the school day (ONLINE)	7 Saturday options throughout year
Offered only one time to junior students	Can take numerous times
\$20 cost	\$70 cost
Online registration - will be done through school	Online registration at www.act.org
Paper score report sent to student home, also available through online account created as part of preadministration.	Score report automatically linked to student online account.

DISTRICT ACT TEST at MWHS

- Offered to ALL junior students on March 7th
- Online testing option only (will use Chromebook and TestNav)
- Includes writing test
- Yields a college reportable score
- Able to send that score to up to 4 colleges at no charge
- Cost: \$20. Paid through Fee Pay on Skyward Family Access.
 - If you have financial need (free/reduced lunch) there will be no charge.
- Registration instructions will come through your counselors W/IN February 23rd.
 - You will NOT register online the same way you do for the national test dates.

ACT/SAT National Test dates

ACT

December 11 (register by 11/4)

February 11 (register by 1/6)

April 15 (register by 3/10)

June 10 (register by 5/5) @ **MWHS**

July 15 (register by June 16)

SAT

December 3 (register by 11/3)

March 11 (register by 2/10)

May 6 (register by 4/7)

June 3 (register by 5/4)

Registration: National Test Dates

What you will need:

- Photo for upload
- Credit card-to make payment
- 45 minutes to complete the process
- MWHS Code 241-775

Advice:

- Save your username and password
- Use your full legal name when registering to ensure all scores are attached to same account
- Take advantage of the opportunity to send score for free now - later \$16
- Check to see if the schools you are interested in require the writing test

ACT Prep

- Free Sparknotes ACT Prep resource
- On [ACT website](#):
 - Official ACT Prep Guide
 - Official ACT Subject Guides
 - Official ACT Self-paced Course, powered by Kaplan
 - Official ACT Live Online Class, powered by Kaplan
- Local Prep Agencies (cost varies):
 - [Sylvan](#)
 - [Huntington](#)
 - [Kaplan](#)

Naviance-College Search/Tour

- Access Naviance through Guidance Website
 - Login with Clever
- Colleges Tab
 - Find Your fit
 - Advanced College Match
- Colleges Tab
 - Research Colleges
 - College Compare
 - Resources
- Career Tab
 - Explore Careers

Explore your own strengths

- Access Naviance through Guidance Website
 - Login with Clever
- Self Discovery Tab
 - **Achieve Works Intelligences:** reveal the ways you deal with information, solve problems, and create things.
 - **Achieve Works Learning & Productivity:** reveal the ways you learn best and how you can be most productive.
 - **Achieve Works Personality:** reveal the ways you learn best and how you can be most productive.
 - **Achieve Works Skills:** reveal your true personality and provide tips to achieve success, in a way that works for you.