

Tahoe Learning Haven

Keep the Option of 4-year College
Open for your Future!



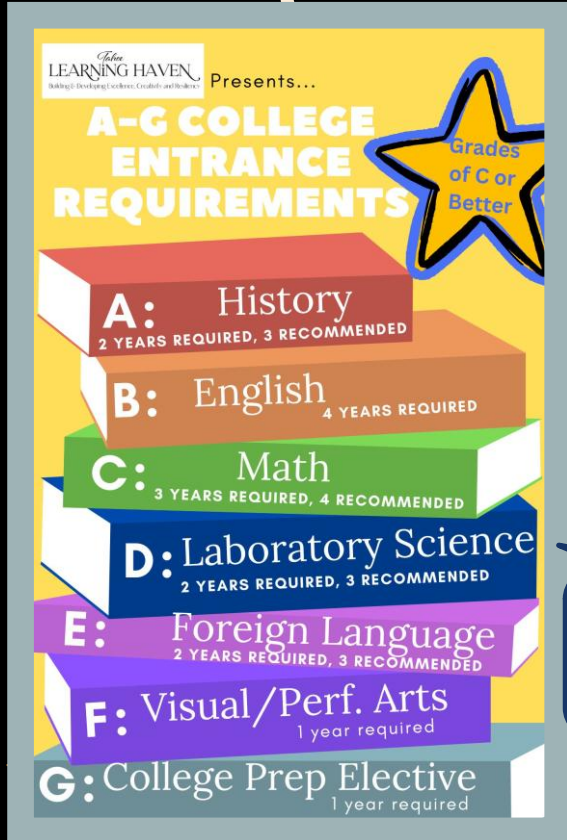


A G E N D A

Minimum 4-year University/College Requirements

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A-G requirements



All courses must be completed with a 'C' or better!!!

Requirement for years of foreign language assume SAME language over the years

STHS Graduation Requirements... MAJOR DIFFERENCES:

- 1 Term (year) of either Foreign Language(E) OR Visual/Performing Arts(F).
- Can "pass" a class with a D!

A-G Minimum Requirements

A

HISTORY - Two years of history, including:

- one year of world history, cultures or historical geography (may be a single yearlong course or two one-semester courses), and
- one year of U.S. history or one-half year of U.S. history & one-half year of civics or American government. (High school courses)

B

ENGLISH: Four years of college-preparatory English that include frequent writing, from brainstorming to final paper, as well as reading of classic and modern literature. No more than one year of ESL-type courses can be used to meet this requirement. (UC approved high school courses)

C

MATH: Three years of college-preparatory mathematics that include the topics covered in elementary and advanced algebra and two- and three-dimensional geometry. A geometry course or an integrated math course with a sufficient amount of geometry content must be completed. Approved integrated math courses may be used to fulfill part or all of this requirement, as may math courses taken in the seventh and eighth grades if the high school accepts them as equivalent to its own courses; also acceptable are courses that address the previously mentioned content areas and include or integrate probability, statistics or trigonometry. Courses intended for 11th and/or 12th grade levels may satisfy the required third year or **recommended fourth year** of the subject requirement if approved as an advanced math course. (UC approved high school courses)

A-G Minimum Requirements

D

SCIENCE- Two years of college-preparatory science, including or integrating topics that provide fundamental knowledge in two of these three subjects: biology, chemistry, or physics. One year of approved interdisciplinary or earth and space sciences coursework can meet one year of the requirement. Computer Science, Engineering, Applied Science courses can be used in area D as an additional science (i.e., third year and beyond). (UC approved high school courses)

E

LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH-Two years, or equivalent to the 2nd level of high school instruction, of the same language other than English are required. Courses should emphasize speaking and understanding, and include instruction in grammar, vocabulary, reading, composition and culture. American Sign Language and classical languages, such as Latin and Greek, are acceptable, as are Native American languages. Courses taken in the seventh and eighth grades may be used to fulfill part or all of this requirement if the high school accepts them as equivalent to its own courses. (High school courses)

F

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS-One yearlong course of visual and performing arts chosen from the following disciplines: dance, music, theater, visual arts or interdisciplinary arts — or two one-semester courses from the same discipline is also acceptable. (UC approved high school courses)

G

COLLEGE PREP ELECTIVE-One year (two semesters) chosen from courses specific to the elective (G) subject area or courses beyond those used to satisfy the requirements of the A-F subjects. (UC approved high school courses)

California State Universities (CSU) Admission Requirements

Main Factors of Acceptance:

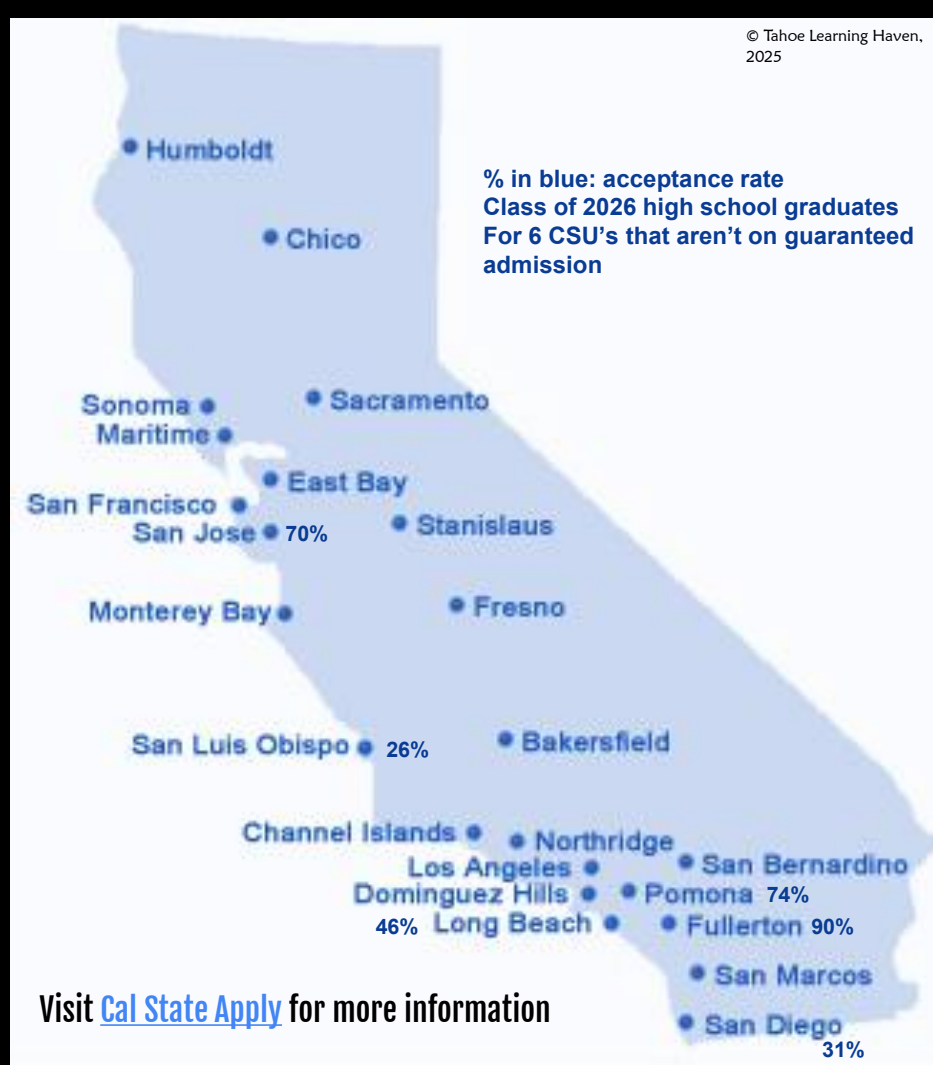
- *GPA (2.5 minimum of A-G classes)*
- *Strength of Schedule*
- *NO SAT/ACT exam scores considered*
- *NO Essays,*
- *NO letters of Recommendation*
- *NO Activity/Honors list*

A-G Subject Requirements GPA – Acceptance Averages

-SDSU avg. weighted GPA = 4.0-4.1

-CAL Poly (SLO) avg weighted GPA= 4.1 (varies by programs)

-***16 CSU's guaranteed admission: ECA Seniors who complete A-G requirements are guaranteed admittance with a 2.5 GPA or Higher



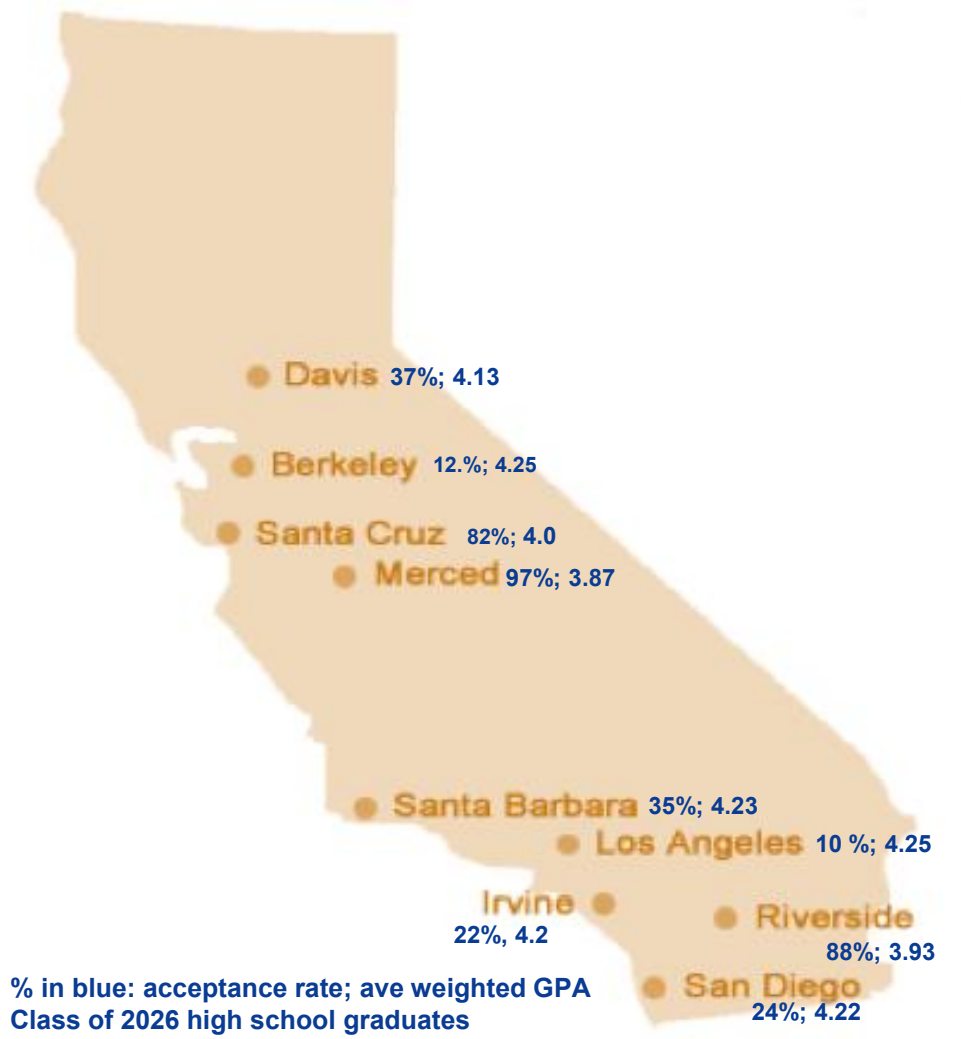
University of CA (UC) Admission Requirements

- Main Factors of Acceptance:
- GPA (3.0 Min)
- Strength of Schedule
- Personal Insight Questions (PIQs)
- Extracurricular Activities
- Community Service/Work Experience
- Awards and Honors
- NO SAT/ACT exam scores
- NO letters of recommendation

Comprehensive Review: 13 factors

Choose 4 out of 8 Personal Insight Question

Visit UC Admissions for more information



Private Universities & Out-of-State Universities REQUIREMENTS

- Requirements vary school by school!
- Research possible options early
- Some easier to get into, some harder (than UC/CSU)
- Rolling Admission
- WUE (Western University Exchange)
- Common App Application

- SEE KIM ILVENTO @ kilvento@ltusd.org

Keeping all doors open

Besides Classes, What are Schools Looking for????

Get Involved

- EXTRA CURRICULARS
- JOBS
- VOLUNTEERING
- LEADERSHIP
- ACADEMIC CURIOSITY

Be Curious

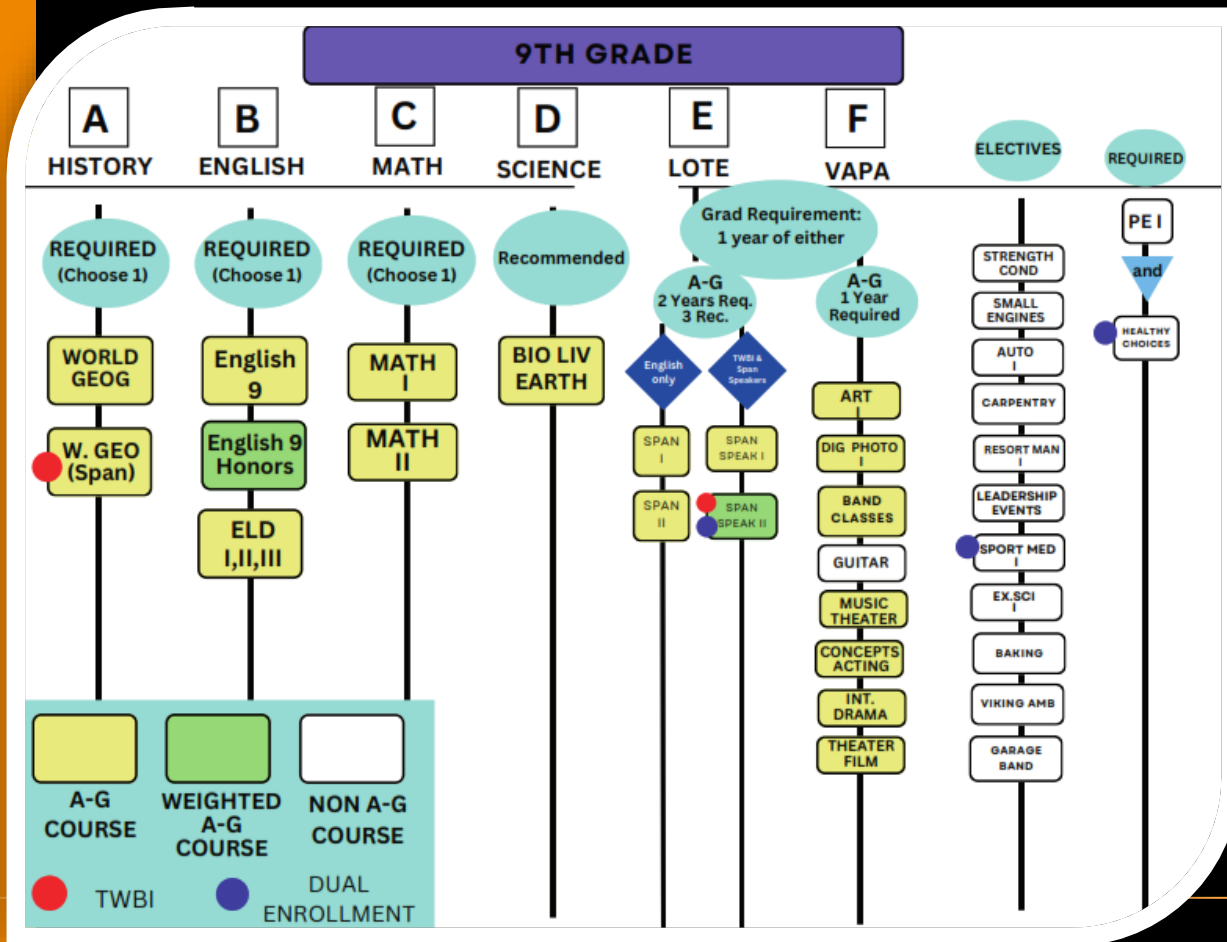
Take Initiative

Be Passionate

*Make A
Difference*

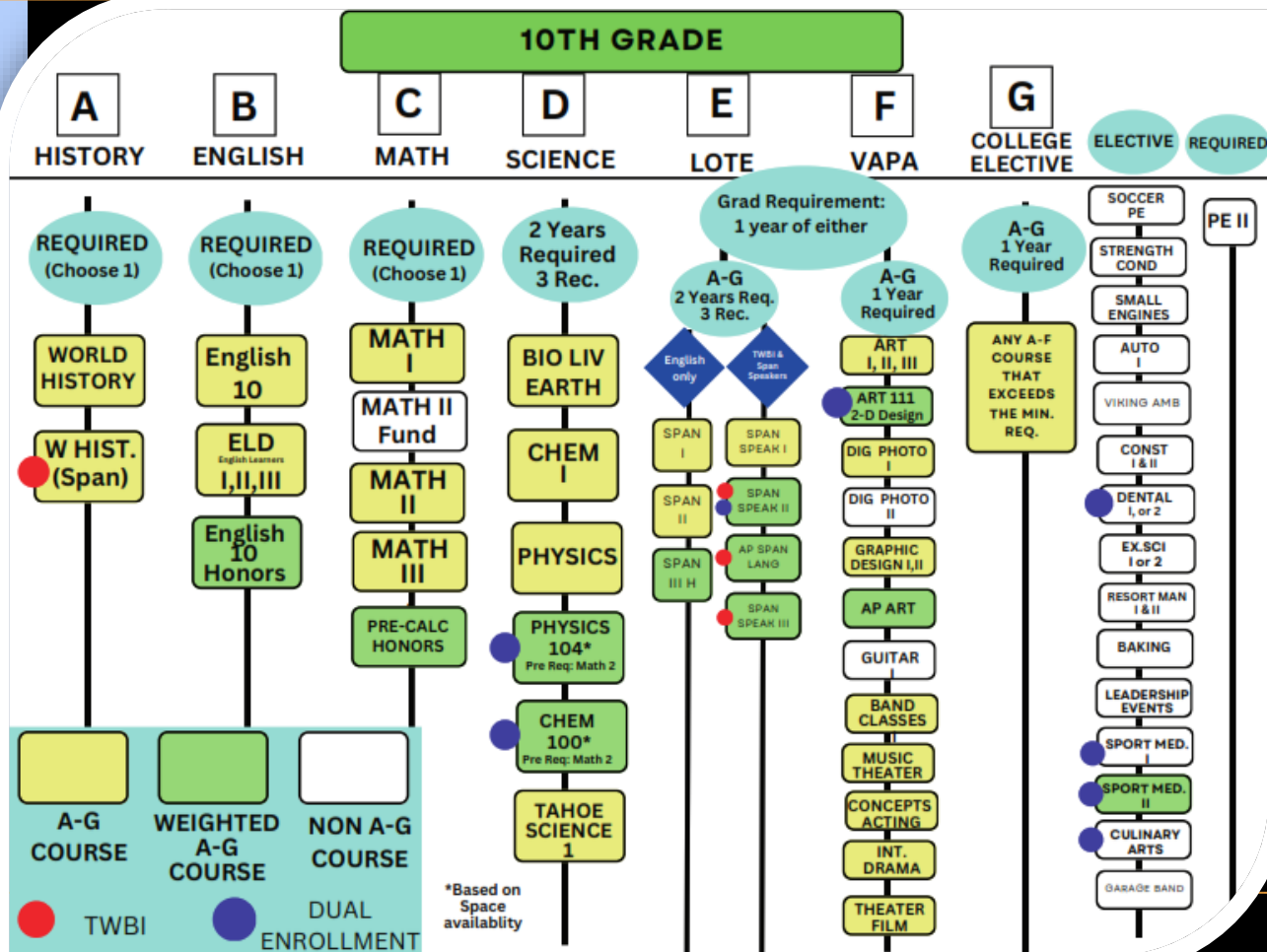


9th Grade Classes



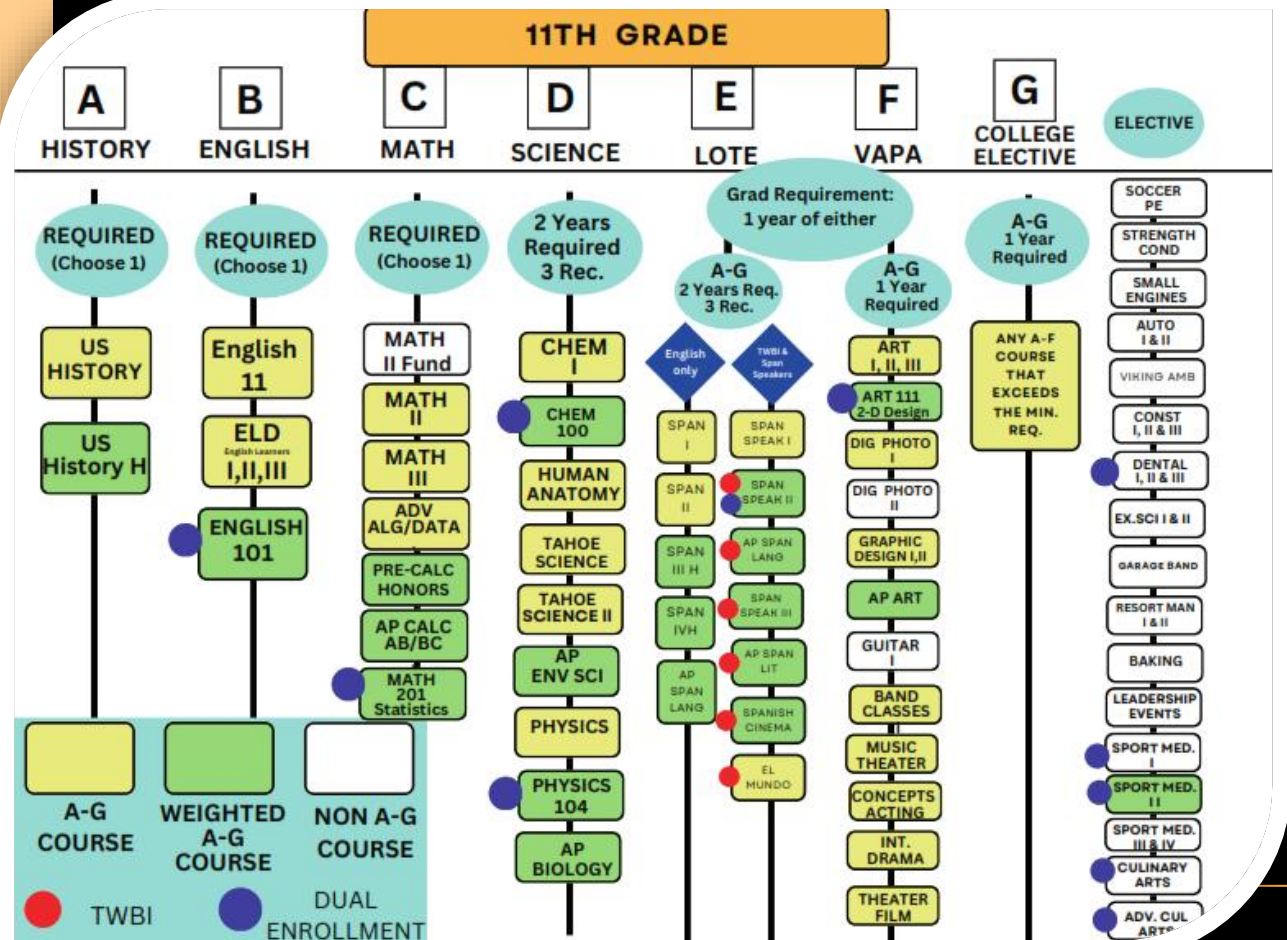


10th Grade Classes



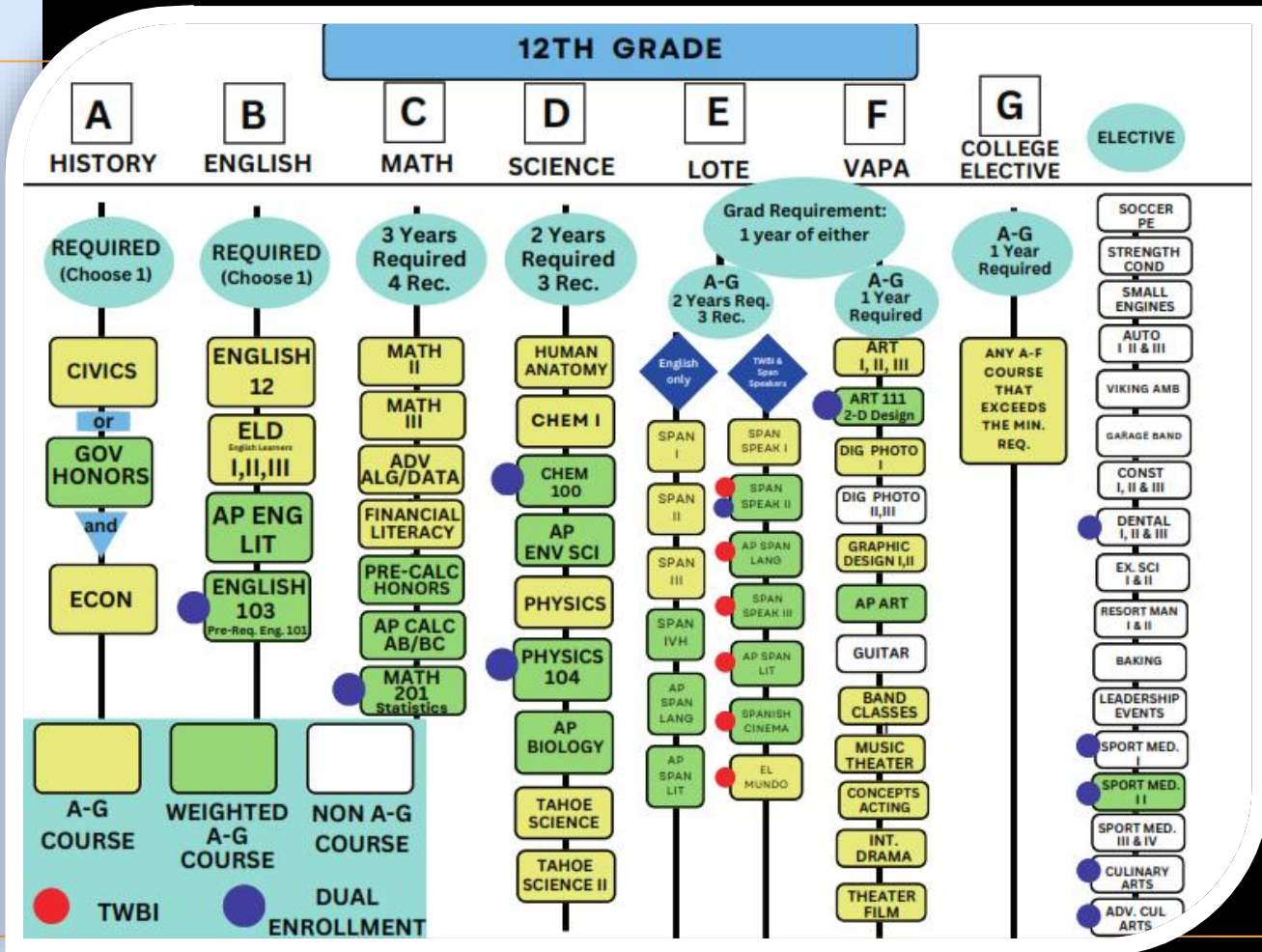


11th Grade Classes





12th Grade Classes



Course Considerations at STHS

“Keeping all doors open to a limitless future!”

Course Selection Considerations

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A-G Requirements

A series of classes that students are required to complete for eligible admission to the California State University and University of California systems. To earn A-G credit, courses *must be passed with a C or better*. STHS A-G Courses are indicated with a "p" on transcripts

Dual Enrollment

Dual enrollment is a wonderful opportunity for high school students to get ahead on college credits, fulfill high school graduation requirements, and ultimately save money. All dual enrollment courses take place at South Tahoe High School during the regular scheduled day.

A	HISTORY 2 Years Required
B	ENGLISH 4 Years Required
C	MATH 3 Years Required 4 Years Recommended
D	SCIENCE 2 Years Required, 3 Rec. (Life & Physical)
E	WORLD LANGUAGE 2 Years Required, 3 Recommended
F	VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS 1 Year Required
G	COLLEGE PREP ELCTIVE 1 Year Required

DUAL ENROLLMENT CLASSES OFFERED AT STHS	
ELECTIVES unweighted	A-G Eligible weighted
CUL 101 Intro to Culinary	ENG C1000 Reading & Comp.
CUL 102 ADV Culinary	ENG C1001 Writing/Reason.
CUL 104 Baking	SPA 221B Span Speakers II
INT 131G Healthy choices	SPA 202 Spanish IV
HEA 147 Dental I,II,III	PSYC C1000 Psychology
PET 101 Ex Sci, I,II,III	PHYS 104 Physics
HEA 106 Sports Med. I	CHEM 100 Chemistry
HSP 100 Hosp. Manage.	STAT C1000 Statistics
	ART 111 2-D Design
	PET 102A Sports Med. II

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Weighted courses, such as Advanced Placement (AP), Honors (H), and select Dual Enrollment (DE) courses, offer a higher point value in GPA calculations due to their increased level of difficulty. These courses challenge students and provide a deeper understanding of the subject matter. By excelling in weighted classes, students can achieve a GPA above 4.0, rewarding their dedication to rigorous coursework and aiding in college evaluations. Courses in Red are only available to students who participate in the K-12 TWBI students and attended Bijou Elementary School or are native Spanish speakers.

Social Studies	English	Math	Science	LOTE	VAPA and Electives
US History Honors	English 9 Honors	Pre-Calc Honors	Physics 104	Spanish Speakers 2	ART 111
Honors Government	English 10 Honors	AP Calc AB	Chem 100	Spanish Business	AP ART
	English C1000	AP Calc BC	AP Biology	Spanish 202	Psychology C1000
	English C1001	STAT C1000 Statistics	AP Enviro Sci	AP Spanish Lang	Sports Med 2
	AP English Lit		AP Chemistry	AP Spanish Lit	
				Spanish Cine NA	
Spanish Speakers/ TWBI ONLY	DUAL ENROLLMENT	AP		Spanish Cine SA	

More Info

For more information about the A-G approved courses that STHS offers go to:

<https://hs-articulation.ucop.edu/agcourselist>

Two Way Bilingual Immersion Classes at STHS

Grade	Class 1: elective	Class 2: history or elective
9 th	Spanish for Spanish Speakers 2	Cultural Geography (SP)
10 th	AP Spanish Language	World History (SP)
11 th	AP Spanish Literature	Cinema NA
12 th	Spanish Business	Cinema SA

- Two classes per year at STHS (C or better to move on)
- Must take 7 of the 8 classes to receive the TWBI cord at graduation to show 13 years of TWBI!!!
- Seal of Biliteracy is acquired by passing an AP Spanish/English test (or equivalent), having 3.0 GPA in 4 Spanish classes and 4 English classes (EL students must have an oral lang score of 4 on ELPAC)

Make a Plan!

SOUTH TAHOE HIGH SCHOOL 4-YEAR PLAN

Name: _____

ID# _____

Date: _____

Questions:
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9 th Grade Choose 8 Courses	
Recommended Electives: Spanish and a VAPA	
PE/Health	PE/Health
Bio Living Earth	World Geography
English:	Elective:
Math:	Elective:

10 th Grade Choose 8 Courses	
Recommended: 2 nd or 3 rd year of Spanish/ 1 VAPA (if needed)	
PE II/World History	PE II/World History
English:	Elective:
Math:	Elective:
Science:	Elective:

11 th Grade Choose 8 Courses	
Recommended: 3 rd year science, 3 rd year Spanish, VAPA (if needed)	
English:	Elective:
Math:	Elective:
U.S. History:	Elective:
Elective:	Elective:

12 th Grade Choose 8 Courses	
Recommended: College bound: 4 th year of Math. Keep schedule rigorous	
English:	Elective:
Civics/Econ or Honors Gov	Elective:
Elective:	Elective:
Elective:	Elective:

Please Note: This is a flexible, tentative outline for your planning and you may revise it at any time. As well, the term courses listed on this form are not guaranteed due to scheduling changes and constraints. *Electives can be academic courses or CTE classes or true electives. Doubling up on math or Spanish needs to be approved by a counselor.

GRADUATION SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS Total Credits needed = 360 Pass all classes with a D or better	10 Credits	20 Credits	30 Credits	40 Credits	CSU/UC required/recommended
English (9-12) 40 credits					4 courses
Math 30 credits					3 required 4 recommended
Geography 10 credits					
World History 10 credits					1 course
U.S. History 10 credits					1 course
Civics/Econ 10 credits					
Physical Science 10 credits					1 Course A total of 3 Science courses recommended
Life Science 10 credits					1 Course A total of 3 Science courses recommended
LOTE* (Spanish) 10 credits Language other than English (or 10 credits of VAPA)	or				3 Courses
VAPA* 10 credits Visual Performing Arts (or 10 credits of LOTE)					1 Course
PE 10 credits					
Health/CCC 10 credits					
Electives 80 credits					1 College Prep Elective
Electives (Continued)					

Graduation Requirements

Additional A-G Requirements

UC/CSU "A-G" Requirements

- A. Social Science – 2 years
- B. English – 4 years
- C. Math – 3 years, 4 years recommended (up to IMS)
- D. Lab Science – 2 years, 3 recommended
- E. Language Other Than English – 2 years (same language), 3 years recommended
- F. Visual/Performing Art – 1 year
- G. College Prep Elective – 1 year

Minimum GPA = 3.0 (for UC) and 2.5 (for CSU)

SAMPLE 4-Year Plans

Graduation/Career Tech Preparation for Trade School or Workforce (Does not meet A-G requirements)

* Please note: This is just one sample plan. There are various classes and combinations that are possible.

9th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math I	English 9
Bio Living Earth	Carpentry
PE/Health	PE/Health
Small Engines	World Geography

10th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math 2	Tahoe Science 1
English 10	Auto I
Art I	Dental I
PE/World History	PE/ World History

11th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Financial Lit.	English 11
U.S. History	Auto II
Construction II	Resort Management I
Exercise Science 1	Strength/Conditioning

12th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Baking	English 12
Civics/Economics	Auto III
Construction III	Soccer PE
Resort Management II	Early Out

College/Undecided Preparation for 2-year, 4-year or trade school (Meets A-G requirements)

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9th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math I	English 9
Bio Living Earth	Spanish I
PE/Health	PE/Health
Digital Photo I	World Geography

10th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math II	Culinary Arts I
English 10	Chemistry 1
Spanish II	Auto I
PE/World History	PE/World History

11th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math III	English 101
Spanish III	Tahoe Science
U.S. History	Advanced Culinary Arts
Guitar I	Theater and Film

12th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Financial Literacy	English 103
Civics/Economics	Psychology 101
Strength/Conditioning	Human Anatomy
Leadership/Events	Leadership/Events

Selective University Preparation for admission to highly competitive schools (Meets A-G Requirements, rigorous Coursework)

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9th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Math II	English 9 Honors
Bio Living Earth	Spanish II
PE/Health	PE/Health
Sports Med 1	World Geography

10th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
PE/World History	PE/World History
English 10 Honors	Chem 100
Math III	Pre Calculus Honors
Spanish III	Art 111

11th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Sports Med 2	U.S. History Honors
English 101	Psychology 101
Spanish IV Honors	Physics 104
AP Calculus BC	AP Calculus BC

12th Grade

Term 1	Term 2
Sports Med 3	Honors Gov./Civics
Physics 104	AP Enviro Science
AP Chemistry	English 103
AP Spanish Lang	Sports Med 4

SAMPLE 4-YEAR PLAN

Keep this Option Open:
College Experiences from our Tahoe Graduates



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