# PHS REGISTRATION 2016



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## **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Requirement	Credits	Requirement	Credits
Language Arts	40	World Lang/Culture	10
Mathematics	30	Fine and Applied Arts	10
Science	30	<b>Health and Wellness</b>	15
<b>Social Studies</b>	10	Personal Finance	5
US History	10	<b>Economics</b>	5
Government	5	Elective	65
Humanities	5	TOTAL CREDITS:	240

**TOTAL: 240 CREDITS FOR GRADUATION** 

# **GRADUATION SUMMARY**

240 Credits are required for graduation

**10th Grade/Sophomore Status = 60 Credits** 

11th Grade/Junior Status = 120 Credits

12th Grade/Senior Status = 180 Credits

### 4 YEAR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- English 40 Credits or 4 Years
- Math 40 Credits or 4 Years (Algebra 1 and higher)
- Science 30 Credits or 3 Years (2 must be lab based)
- Social Studies 30 Credits or 3 Years (1 must be US or World)
- Foreign Language 20-30 Credits or 2-3 Years (same language)
- Academic Electives 20+ Credits or 2+ Years



### **REGISTRATION PACKET: DUE MARCH 4TH**

- Your registration form will include your course requests and your ICAP form.
- All forms must be signed by a parent/guardian.

Middle School	Date	Middle School	Date
Webber MS	2/29	Wellington MS	3/3
Lesher MS	3/1	CLP MS	3/4
Lincoln MS	3/2	Boltz MS	3/4
St. Joesph's MS	3/2	Kinard MS	3/4
Blevins MS	2/29		



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### WHAT IS AN ICAP?

- Individual Career and Academic Plan
- ICAP is a multi-year process that intentionally guides students as they explore career, academic and postsecondary opportunities. With the support of adults students develop the awareness, knowledge, attitudes and skills to create their own meaningful and PoWeRful pathways to be career and college ready.
- Page 2 of your Registration Packet will ask questions related to your ICAP

## **WHAT IS A PATHWAY?**

- A college and career oriented community that is industry focused and provides a lens for student learning.
- Features **rigorous core academic learning and Career and Technical Education** coursework.
- Opportunities for college credit and certifications including work-based learning in real-world workplaces.
- All PHS students will choose a pathway that will guide their learning over their four years at PHS.

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11th

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Advanced Placement / Concurrent Enrollment

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Human 8 Health International Baccalaureate Program

Humanities

and

Arts

Poudre High School & Community Collaborative



PHS SMALLER LEARNING **COMMUNITIES** 

IB Middle Years Program (MYP)

**Key/Related Concepts Global Contexts** Subject Area Aims/Objectives (Assessment Criteria) Interdisciplinary Education **Intercultural Awareness** 

Approaches to Learning Skills: Communication Social Thinking Information Literacy Reflection

### PHS Community Collaborative - Pathways

#### **Business & Marketing**

- Finance / Financial Life Management
- Economics / Business Economics / AP Economics
- Sports and Entertainment Marketing
- Business Law
- International Business
- Accounting 1 &2
- Business Leadership
- Marketing
- Entrepreneurship
- Advanced Marketing
- Marketing Leadership
- PaCE 1 & 2 / Buddies
- ACE Career Skills / Financial
- Literacy / Economics
- ACE Internship & Work Experience

#### **Computer Technology**

- Web Design 1 & 2
- Game design 1 & 2 / Mobile Apps
- Intro to Computer Science / AP Computer Science

#### **Culinary Arts**

- Gourmet Foods / Catering
- Advanced Gourmet / Catering II
- Leadership Capstone

#### Entrepreneurship

**Health Sciences &** 

**Human Services** 

**Service Learning** 

• Current World Affairs

Student Council

• Service Learning

Capstone Project

Ambassadors

Leadership

#### Education

- Teen Choices
- Sociology / Sociology of Relationships
- Psychology 1 & 2 / AP-IB Psychology
- Early Childhood Education
- Service Learning (Elementary Partnerships)
- Teacher Cadet

#### **Health Sciences**

- 21st Century Science Lab
- Biology / Chem. / IB & AP Chem.
- Org. Chemistry and Biochemistry
- Anatomy & Phys. / Microbiology
- Cell Biology / Genetics
- Select Health and Wellness Courses
- Exercise Science / Sports Medicine

#### Agriculture

- Agriculture, Food, & Natural Resources A & B
- Agricultural Science A & B

#### **Natural Resources**

- 21st Century Science Lab
- Natural Resources
- Engineering Systems Woods/Metals (1,2,3)
- AP Environmental Science
- IB Environmental Systems and Societies SL
- · World Geography & History
- GPS/GIS Systems

#### Plant & Animal Sciences

- Plant Sciences / Animal Sciences
- Chemistry / IB & AP Chemistry
- Organic and Biochemistry

**Agriculture &** 

#### **Natural Resources**

#### IB Middle Years Program Framework and Skills At Poudre High School The 9th/10th Grade PHS MYP provides foundational ATL skills, Conceptual Learning and Academic Content Knowledge for all career pathways emphasizing holistic

#### learning, strong communication and intercultural awareness. APPROACHES TO LEARNING SKILLS ~

• Social • Communication • Thinking • Self-Management • Research

### **Engineering & Design**

#### International Baccalaureate

#### **IB Diploma**

- •Full IB Diploma Academic Load (6 subject areas)
- •IB Theory of Knowledge
- Community, Activities & Service (CAS)
- •Extended Essay

#### **IB MYP Certificate Program**

- •Full MYP/Honors Academic Load (7 of 8 Subi.)
- •Community Service Requirement
- Lit & Comp for Soc. Action • International Business
- •MYP Personal Project Management

#### All MYP Certificate Students will choose an emphasis in one of the 5 PHS Pathways/Academies.

#### **Visual Arts**

- Foundations of Art
- Intro to Creative Applications
- Advanced Creative Applications
- Drawing / Painting / Pottery / Sculpture / Jewelry
- Videography / Photo / Creative Photo / Adv. Photo

#### **Performing Arts**

- Orchestra / Wind Ensemble / Select Ensemble / Jazz
- Select Choir / Select Women's Choir
- Theatre / Theatre Practicum
- Advanced Acting & Production

#### **Digital Media & Production Arts**

- Digital Design / Advanced Digital Design
- Print Making

• TV Productions / Kaleidoscope / Yearbook /

#### Arts & Humanities



• Engineering & Drafting

Systems

Speech

Humanities

Creative Writing

Kaleidoscope

Classical Humanities

• World Humanities: Asia

Composition

• Forensics (Speech and Debate)

• Writing for Literary Publications:

• 20th Century American Literature

• World Humanities: Africa and Americans

• Geometry in Construction / Construction

#### Manufacturing & Ind. Design Architecture & Construction

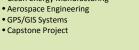
- Intro to Creative Applications
- Architecture
- Engineering Drafting I
- 3D Modeling- Eng. Drafting II

#### Robotics

- Select Mathematics Courses
- Physics / IB & Calc-based Physics
- · Chemistry / AP-IB Chemistry
- 21st Century Science Lab • Robotics 1 & 2
- Electronics 1

- Eng. Systems Woods (1, 2, 3)
- Eng. Systems Metals (1, 2, 3)
- Construction Systems • Geometry in Construction
- Clean Energy Manufacturing

- Capstone Project



# WHAT IS THE AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY?





The mission of Poudre's Agriculture Education Pathway is to expose students to the ever-growing agriculture industry. Utilizing hands-on, project-based curriculum, students have the opportunity to learn about agriculture in a variety of contexts including animal sciences, plant sciences, natural resources, and agricultural mechanics. Students will gain a strong foundation in STEM skills such as inquiry, collaboration, and innovation to better prepare them to be productive citizens of the 21st Century.

# COURSE OFFERINGS: AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY

#### **Agriculture**

- Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources A&B
- Agricultural Science A&B
- 21st Century Science Lab

#### **Natural Resources**

- Natural Resources
- Engineering Systems (Woods/Metals 1,2,3)
- AP Environmental Science

- IB Environmental Systems and Societies SL
- World Geography and History
- GPS/GIS Systems

#### **Plant & Animal Sciences**

- Plant Sciences/Animal Sciences
- Chemistry/IB & AP Chemistry
- Organic and Biochemistry





### THE AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY

In-Demand Jobs in Colorado + Median Wages

1. Farmworkers: Farm, Ranch, and Aquaculture \$18,000 - \$28,000

2. Agricultural Equipment Operators \$50,743-\$70,387

3. Landscaping and Grounds Keeper \$29,074-\$40,317

4. Supervisors for Farming, Fishing and Forestry \$53,722-\$78,023

5. Non-farm Animal Caretakers \$17,180 - \$32,310





#### **Other Pathway Careers**

- Soil and plant scientist
- Agricultural equipment operator
- Farm and Ranch Manager
- Farm worker and Laborer
- Aquaculture Manager
- Forester
- Fish and Game Specialist
- **Conservation Scientist**
- Natural Resource Educator
- Environmental Economist
- Geographer
- Wind Energy Engineer
- Water Resource Specialist

# PHS OPPORTUNITIES: AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY

FFA – Student Leadership Organization

SAE – Supervised Agricultural Experiences

#### **College Pathways Programs at FRCC in:**

Animal Technology and Research

Welding and Metal Fabrication and Wildlife Forestry and Natural Resources

Architecture, Landscape, and Interior Design

Greenhouse Capstone Project





A Glimpse at Local Colleges

**CSU** – Veterinary Science, Agriculture and Natural Resources

Aims CC - Agricultural Science

FRCC - Natural Resources

# IS THE AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

AGRICULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Have skills in motivating, developing, and directing people

Are good at **judging** situations and **making decisions** to accomplish goals

Are able to **figure out** how things work

Are able to **solve complex problems** 

Are passionate about nature, animals, the outdoors and the environment



# WHAT IS THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY?





The mission of Poudre's Entrepreneurship Pathway is to prepare students with 21st century skills-- such as innovation, management, collaboration, and risk-taking-within a framework of hands-on courses and on-the-job experiences. The Entrepreneurship Pathway includes several lenses such as hospitality, business, marketing, computer technology, fashion and design. The pathway also provides opportunities to earn certifications and college credit from more advanced coursework.

### COURSE OFFERINGS: THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY

#### **Business & Marketing**

- •Finance / Financial Life Management
- •Economics / Business Economics / AP Economics
- •Sports and Entertainment Marketing
- Business Law
- •International Business
- Accounting 1 &2
- •Business Leadership
- Marketing
- Entrepreneurship
- Advanced Marketing
- Marketing Leadership
- •PaCE 1 & 2 / Buddies
- ACE Career Skills / Financial Literacy / Economics
- ACE Internship & Work Experience

#### **Computer Technology**

- •Web Design 1 & 2
- •Game design 1 & 2 / Mobile Apps
- •Intro to Computer Science / AP Computer Science

#### **Culinary Arts**

- •Gourmet Foods / Catering
- •Advanced Gourmet / Catering II
- •Leadership Capstone



### THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY

In-Demand Jobs in Colorado + Median Wages

1. Retail Sales Representatives \$36,725 -\$51,041

2. Marketing Specialists \$38,090 - \$82,802

3. Lawyers \$76,124 - \$100,663

4. Bookkeepers and Accountants \$74,023 - \$88,824

5. Managers and Supervisors \$43,961 – \$78,827





#### Other Pathway Careers

- Business Educator
- Market Research Analysis
- Sales Agent
- Lawyer
- Business Intelligence Analyst
- Treasurers and Controllers
- Tax Examiner
- Real Estate Broker
- Industrial Production Manager

### PHS OPPORTUNITIES: ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) and DECA (Marketing) Club

**PHS Food Truck** 

Hour of Code Volunteer Experience

**Mock Trial Team** 

#### **FRCC Pathways Programs in:**

Computer Careers Exploration and Culinary Arts





A Glimpse at Local Colleges

**CSU** – College of Business

Aims CC and FRCC – AAS Degree Programs

**UNC** – Monfort College of Business

University of Colorado – Boulder, Denver, UCCS

### IS THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

ENTREPRENEURSHIP PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Have **tenacity** or just old-fashioned stick-to-it-iveness.

Have **vision** and can spot an opportunity and **imagine something** where others haven't.

Have resilience and the ability to get up and dust themselves off

Are **flexible** and able to adapt to **changes and challenges** 

Are **passionate** about their work and are always **working** towards improvement



# WHAT IS THE HEALTH SCIENCES AND HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY?





The mission of Poudre's Health and Human Services Pathway is to develop students' ethic of service and leadership skills. Students have the opportunity to focus on their area of interest, whether it be education, health, or other service-related field in order to learn social responsibility and civic awareness with the ultimate goal of impacting positive change in their world. This pathway utilizes hands-on, project-based curriculum in which all students have the opportunity to learn and become responsible, productive citizens of the 21st Century.

# COURSE OFFERINGS: HEALTH SERVICES AND HUMAN SCIENCE PATHWAY

#### **Education**

- •Teen Choices
- •Sociology / Sociology of Relationships
- •Psychology 1 & 2 / AP-IB Psychology
- •Early Childhood Education
- •Service Learning
- (Elementary Partnerships)
- •Teacher Cadet

#### **Health Sciences**

- •21st Century Science Lab
- •Biology / Chem. / IB & AP Chem.
- •Org. Chemistry and Biochemistry
- •Anatomy & Phys. / Microbiology
- •Cell Biology / Genetics
- •Select Health and Wellness Courses
- •Exercise Science / Sports Medicine

#### **Service Learning**

Student completion of these courses will earn a Certificate of Meritorious Service

- •Current World Affairs
- Service Learning
- •Lit & Comp for Social Action
- •International Business
- Management
- Service Learning Capstone Project

#### Leadership

- •Student Council
- Ambassadors
- •Leadership (Class Councils)





### THE HEALTH SCIENCES AND HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY

In-Demand Jobs in Colorado + Median Wages

1. Registered Nurses \$45,790- \$76,125

2. Home Health Aids \$22,101 - \$30,297

3. Medical Assistants \$30,806-\$36,067

4. Dental Assistants \$27,411 - \$42,658

5. Physical Therapists \$73,574 - \$86,643







#### **Other Pathway Careers**

- Non-Profit Management
- Community Organizer
- Community Health Worker
- Epidemiologist
- Medical Record and Health Information Technician
- Mental Health Counselor
- Human Resource Specialist
- Phlebotomist
- · Dietician and Nutritionist
- School Counselor
- Social Worker
- Firefighter
- Early Childhood Teacher

# PHS OPPORTUNITIES: HEALTH SCIENCES AND HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY

Service Learning, Leadership Classes

Sports Medicine Class with CPR Certification

**FRCC Career Pathways Programs in:** 

**Criminal Justice Careers Exploration** 

Holistic Health

**Medical Careers Exploration** 





A Glimpse at Local Colleges

**CSU** – College of Health and Human Sciences

Aims CC and FRCC – AAS Degree Programs (Nursing, Dietician, Dental Hygiene)

UNC - Health Science, Education

**University of Colorado** – Anschutz Medical Campus

# IS THE HEALTH SCIENCE AND HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

HEALTH SCIENCE AND HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Have excellent communication skills

Are able to have **empathy** for people who are struggling Are good at problem solving and can think quickly and address problems

Have a lot of courage and personal resilience

Are skilled at organization or "keeping their ducks in a row"



# WHAT IS THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY?





The mission of Poudre's Arts and Humanities Pathway is to provide students a combination of rigorous academic courses with real-world, experiential projects that tap into students' creativity, inquiry, and critical thinking skills. Students may choose a path of study in the visual arts, performing arts or humanities—each of which provides opportunities to put theory into action and exposes students to the arts-related vocations and higher education programs available to students beyond high school.

### COURSE OFFERINGS: ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY





#### **Visual Arts**

- •Foundations of Art
- •Intro to Creative Applications
- Advanced Creative Applications
- •Drawing / Painting / Pottery / Sculpture / Jewelry
- •Videography / Photo / Creative Photo / Adv. Photo

#### **Performing Arts**

- •Orchestra / Wind Ensemble / Select Ensemble / Jazz
- •Select Choir / Select Women's Choir
- •Theatre / Theatre Practicum
- Advanced Acting & Production

#### **Digital Media & Production Arts**

- •Digital Design / Advanced Digital Design
- •TV Productions / Kaleidoscope / Yearbook /Print Making

- •Media Analysis & Comp
- •Interior Design / Fashion Design
- •Engineering & Drafting
- •Geometry in Construction / Construction Systems

#### **Humanities**

- •Speech
- Creative Writing
- •Forensics (Speech and Debate)
- •Writing for Literary Publications: Kaleidoscope
- Composition
- •20th Century American Literature
- •Classical Humanities
- •World Humanities: Asia
- •World Humanities: Africa and Americans

### THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY

In-Demand Jobs in Colorado + Median Wages

1. Social Media Manager

\$45,260 - \$61,649

2. Photojournalists

\$45,000 - \$61,200

3. Trained Food Worker (Sous Chef)

\$35,488-\$54,542

4. Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists \$17,888 - \$31,753

5. Graphic Designers \$52,000 - 74,800





#### **Other Pathway Careers**

- Art, Drama, and Music Teachers
- Museum Technicians and Conservators
- Recreation Worker
- Photographer
- Advertising and Promotions Manager
- Hairdresser, Hairstylist, and Cosmetologist
- Glass Blower
- Stonemasons
- Interpreter and Translator
- · Author or Illustrator
- Multimedia Artists and Animators
- Sports Journalism

### PHS OPPORTUNITIES: ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY

Theater, Drama Club and Thespians

Kaleidoscope School Literary Magazine

PHS News – Weekly News Broadcast

Technical Theater Certification

Yearbook, Pep Band, Advanced Bands, Orchestras and Choirs

FRCC Pathways Programs in: Culinary Arts

A Glimpse at Local Colleges

**CSU** – Arts, Humanities and Design

Aims CC and FRCC –Coursework designed to transfer to a 4-year program

**UNC** – College of Humanities, College of Performing and Visual Arts

**University of Colorado** – College of Media, Communication and Information

Local Cosmetology Programs at Cheeks, Regency and Hair Dynamics





# IS THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

ARTS AND HUMANITIES PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Are creative

Are passionate about impacting the world around them

Are self-motivated and goal oriented

Have skills in communication and advocating for what they are passionate about

Are resilient, able to overcome challenges, and have a strong work ethic



# WHAT IS THE ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY?





The mission of Poudre's Engineering and Design Pathway is to advance students' ability to innovate, think critically, and collaborate to solve problems. This pathway combines rigorous academic core content with demanding technical education and real world experiences. Courses provide students the opportunity to apply STEM knowledge, skills, and habits of mind to make the world a better place through innovation.

### **COURSE OFFERINGS: ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY**





#### Manufacturing & Ind. Design Architecture & Construction

- •Intro to Creative Applications Eng. Systems Woods (1, 2, 3)
- Architecture
- •Engineering Drafting I
- •3D Modeling- Eng. Drafting II

#### Robotics

- Select Mathematics Courses
- •Physics / IB & Calc-based **Physics**
- •Chemistry / AP-IB Chemistry
- •21st Century Science Lab
- •Robotics 1 & 2
- •Electronics 1

- Eng. Systems Metals (1, 2, 3)
- Construction Systems
- Geometry in Construction
- Clean Energy Manufacturing
- Aerospace Engineering
- GPS/GIS Systems
- Capstone Project

### THE ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY

In-Demand Jobs in Colorado + Median Wages

1. Manufacturing \$66,017 - \$80,253

2. Electrical Powerline Installers \$46,412-\$69,412

3. Wind Turbine Technician \$36,725-\$71,041

4. Power Plant Operator \$50,820 - \$90,870

5. Welders \$50,780 - \$185,000





#### **Other Pathway Careers**

- Energy Engineer
- Aerospace Engineer
- Surveyor
- Robotics Technician
- Video Game Designer
- Drafter
- Software Developer
- Automotive Engineer
- Product Design
- Construction/Carpentry
- Machinists

### PHS OPPORTUNITIES: ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY

Geometry and Construction Habitat Build Project

Alpine 159 Robotics Team

#### **FRCC Pathways Programs in:**

Architectural, Landscape, and Interior Design

Automotive Technology & Service

Practical Mechanics and Welding & Metal Fabrication



#### A Glimpse at Local Colleges

**CSU** – College of Engineering

**Aims CC and FRCC** –Coursework designed to transfer to a 4-year program and Certificate Programs

**Colorado School of Mines –** Engineering and Applied Sciences

**University of Colorado** – College of Engineering

# IS THE ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

ENGINEERING AND DESIGN PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Are able to modify and adjust accordingly to an environment or situation

Are passionate about investigating and figuring out how things work

Are naturally curious and inquisitive

Are good at active listening and acquiring new information to solve problems

Are skilled at troubleshooting and being creative



# WHAT IS THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PATHWAY?



The International Baccalaureate Program aims to develop **inquiring**, **knowledgeable and caring** young people who help to **create a better and more peaceful world** through intercultural **understanding and respect.** 

To this end the International Baccalaureate Organization works with schools, governments, and international organizations to develop challenging programs of international education and rigorous assessment.

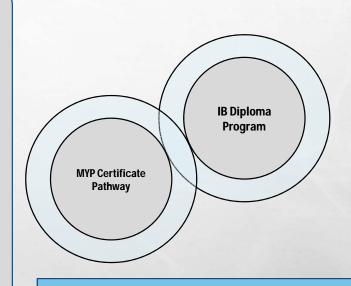
These programs encourage students across the world to become active, compassionate and lifelong learners who understand that other people, with their differences, can also be right.

#### MYP Certificate Requirements -

- •Full MYP/Honors Academic Schedule (minimum 7 Subject Areas)
  - Honors MYP English 9
  - Spanish, French, German
  - Honors MYP World Geography & History 1
  - MYP 21st century science or MYP biology
  - Mathematics
  - MYP PE 1
  - MYP Arts (Visual, Performing, Theatre)
  - MYP Design/Technology (Business, Engineering, GIS)
- •Community Service Requirement
- •MYP Personal Project (completed in 10<sup>th</sup> grade)

IB MYP Certificate students may choose an emphasis in one of the PHS Pathways.

Completing the MYP certificate prepares students for the option to participate in the IB diploma program, AP, or concurrent enrollment courses for the 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grades.



International Baccalaurcate Program

# EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PATHWAY

**Community Service** 

**IB Engage Mentoring** 

MYP Personal Project

Gateway to IB Diploma Program

in  $11^{\text{th}}$  and  $12^{\text{th}}$  Grade

Students can earn a minimum of

24 college credits in Colorado











# IS THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PATHWAY A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PATHWAY STUDENTS ARE STUDENTS WHO:

Are passionate about creating a more peaceful world through intercultural study

Are **caring** and see things through a **global** lens

Are naturally inquisitive and seek to create personal meaning

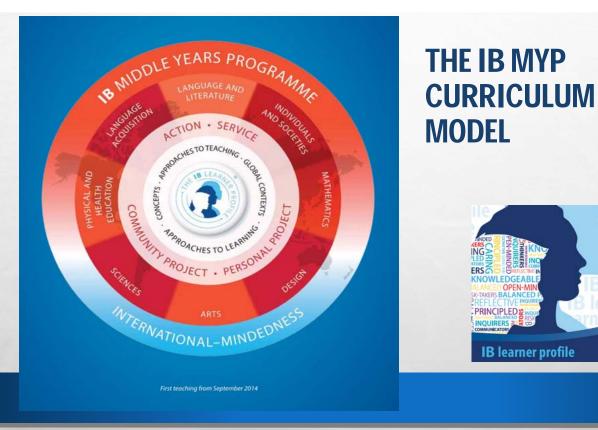
Are interested in completing the IB Diploma Program

Have a good sense of balance and are principled



PHS Pathways	PHS Courses	Potential Career Interests	Potential Student Strengths
Entrepreneurship	<ul><li>Business and Marketing</li><li>Computer Technology</li><li>Culinary Arts</li></ul>	<ul><li>Lawyer</li><li>Accountant</li><li>Marketing</li><li>Sales</li></ul>	<ul><li>Tenacity</li><li>Flexibility</li><li>Vision</li><li>Passion</li></ul>
Agriculture and Natural Resources	<ul><li>Agriculture</li><li>Natural Resources</li><li>Plant and Animal Sciences</li></ul>	<ul><li>Farmer or Rancher</li><li>Forester</li><li>Geographer</li><li>Wind Energy Engineer</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Decision making</li> <li>Problem Solving</li> <li>Enthusiastic about the outdoors or environment</li> </ul>
Arts and Humanities	<ul><li>Visual Arts</li><li>Performing Arts</li><li>Media and Production Arts</li><li>Humanities</li></ul>	<ul><li>Social Media Manager</li><li>Hairstylist</li><li>Photographer</li><li>Journalist</li></ul>	<ul><li>Creative</li><li>Communication</li><li>Self-motivated</li><li>Goal Oriented</li></ul>
Health Sciences and Human Services	<ul><li>Education</li><li>Health Sciences</li><li>Service Learning</li></ul>	<ul><li>Registered Nurse</li><li>Teacher</li><li>Counselor</li><li>Non-Profit Management</li></ul>	<ul><li>Courageous</li><li>Organized</li><li>Driven</li><li>Empathetic</li></ul>
Engineering and Design	<ul> <li>Manufacturing and industrial design</li> <li>Robotics</li> <li>Architecture and Construction</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Welder</li><li>Engineer</li><li>Wind Turbine Technician</li><li>Robotics Technician</li></ul>	<ul><li>Adaptable</li><li>Problem Solving</li><li>Investigative</li><li>Curious</li></ul>
International Baccalaureate	MYP and Diploma Program     Coursework	<ul> <li>Comprehensive curriculum allows for exploration in all areas</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Global lens</li><li>Inquisitive</li><li>Balanced</li><li>Principled</li></ul>







### WHAT DOES CURRICULUM LOOK LIKE IN MYP?

THERE ARE 3 DIMENSIONS TO THE MYP CURRICULUM: CONTENT, CONCEPTS & SKILLS

THIS THREE-DIMENSIONAL CURRICULUM MODEL VALUES STUDENT INQUIRY AND CONSTRUCTIVIST LEARNING TO CREATE PERSONAL MEANING WHERE STUDENTS CAN MAKE CONNECTIONS AND APPLY THEIR LEARNING IN UNFAMILIAR SITUATIONS.

# **9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PATHWAYS SCHEDULE**

Course	Number of Credits
MYP English	10
MYP World Studies	10
MYP Science	10
MYP Math	10
MYP Freshman Seminar	10
World Language (Optional)	10
Physical Education 1	5
Pathway Technical Core Course	5-15

### **MYP FRESHMAN SEMINAR**

Required for all 9<sup>th</sup> Grade students and focused on supporting students in their transition and preparing them for any PHS Pathway. This course combines the best that AVID offers, peer mentoring through the PHS Ambassadors and further development of Individual Career and Academic Plans (ICAP). Students have the opportunity for continued support through Advisory courses in 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Grade. Advisory supports success in college-credit bearing courses (AP, IB and Concurrent Enrollment).

## **LANGUAGE ARTS**

9th grade (choose one)

**MYP English 9 Honors MYP English 9** 

11th grade (choose one)

See course request sheet

**Language Arts Electives:** 

**US Lit** 

**AP Language & Composition Intro to Lit/Advanced Composition** (See course request sheet for other options) 10th grade (choose one)

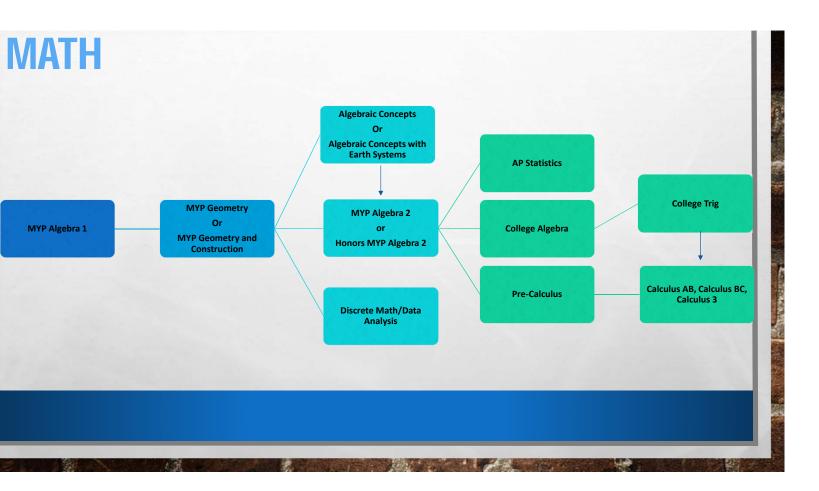
**MYP English 10 Honors MYP English 10** 

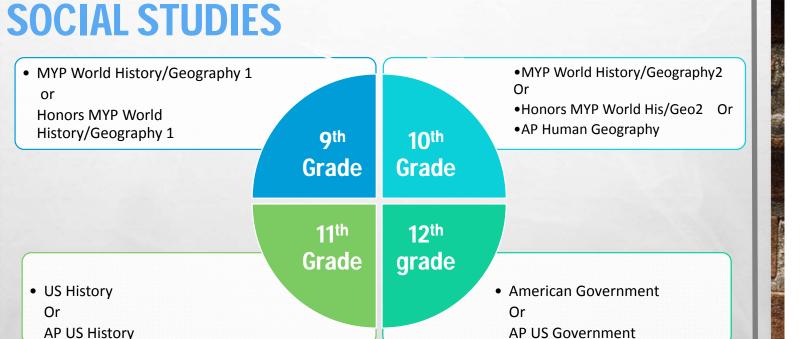
12th grade (choose one)

**Modern Literary Perspectives AP Composition & Literature** Intro to Lit/Advanced Composition

**British Literature** 

(See course request sheet for other options)

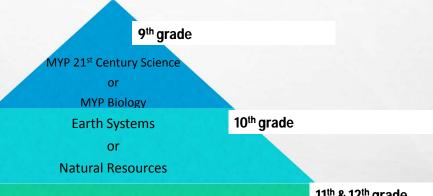




**AP US History** 



\*10th graders can take a higher level science class if they meet the specified math requirement



11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade

Chemistry **Physics** Anatomy & Physiology AP Environmental Science **AP Chemistry** AP Biology **Animal Sciences** Plant & Soil Sciences Forensic/CSI

# **WELLNESS**

- PE 1
  - Prerequisite for all other PE classes -All 9th Graders take PE 1
- PE Courses
  - Aerobics, Dance, Weight Training, Team & Individual Sports, Adventure PE, Foods, Nutrition & Wellness, etc.
- Health
  - MYP Health & Wellness or Teen Choices
- PE waivers
  - 2.5 each sport/activity (not season)
  - Max of 5 credits total
  - See Mrs. Christensen with questions

# WORLD LANGUAGE/CULTURE

- The world culture graduation requirement at Poudre can be fulfilled by:
  - MYP World Geography/History 1 & 2
- World Languages at Poudre
  - French
  - German
  - Spanish
  - Most colleges require 2-3 years of the same language
  - Ask your current world language teacher about what class you should take next year



Finance (choose 1)

- Financial Life Management
- Finance

**Economics** (choose 1)

- MYP Business Economics
- Economics
- AP Economics

Humanities(choose 1)

- Classical
- World: Africa/Americas
- World: Asia

Fine & Applied Arts (choose 2)

- All art
- All music & theatre
- Some courses in: Family & Consumer Sciences, Business, and Technology

# **TECHNICAL CORE (OTHER 65 CREDITS)**

- Technical Core should be chosen based off your Pathway and might include coursework in:
  - Art
  - Business
  - World Language
  - Technology/computer science
  - Music
  - Family & Consumer Sciences
  - Capstone
  - PaCE Program Credit for working

# **CURRICULUM GUIDE**

Poudre High School



Curriculum Guide 2016-2017



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**PHS Curriculum Guide** 

#### HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

#### Part II: Technical Core

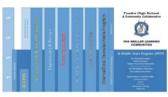
A Technical Core is a key component of each pathway. Academic course content is coordinated with and reinforces technical course content and vice versa. This coordination helps students gain a prester depth of knowledge by seeing the connection between academic theories and real-world applications.

#### Part III: Academic Core & Electives

The Academic core includes the Language Arts, Math, Science, History and Foreign Language courses that prepare students to transition to their postsecondary lives, whether it be higher education or career. Elective courses complement the Academic and Technical Core courses and are required for graduation.

#### Part IV: Graduation Requirements

The last part of this guide gives you an overview of all the subject areas needed to graduate and the corresponding credits within each area. By design each pathway includes all necessary courses to meet his/her graduation requirements and ensures access to higher education.



#### Part I: The Big Picture

Students learn best when they have an interest in the subject and can see connections among other disciplines. This contextual understanding, interdisciplinary learning, and identifying of key concepts is the basis of MYP, the pedagogy by which all Poudres students are taught. When a student enters PIBs as a byft grader, we want to provide direction to his/her 4-year journey based on the student's interest. Thus, we ask students to choose a pathway of interest to guide their learning. Choosing a pathway is not the same as choosing a career path. Rather, each pathway agots an industry-theme to offer students a real-world context for better understanding the academic and technical foundation they will need to succeed in whatever postsecondary option they choose. Within this pathway are students with similar interests that can share in their learning as a member of the pathway cobort. The Pathway model transforms a students high school experience by bringing together strong academics, demanding technical education, and real world experience that helps students gain an advantage in their postsecondary lives.

# **CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT**

- What is concurrent enrollment?
  - The opportunity to take college level classes in high school and earn college credit
- PHS offers 4 different ways to take concurrent enrollment classes
  - High School Select
  - Campus select
  - Career Pathways
  - ASCENT

## **HIGH SCHOOL SELECT**

- Classes offered at Poudre High School for college credit
- Some classes offered include:
  - Finance, Government, Advanced Gourmet Foods, Chemistry, Intro to Lit/Advanced comp
  - Please see the PHS curriculum guide for a complete list of courses offered
- It is important this semester to:
  - Apply to front range at www.frontrange.edu
  - Say yes to complete the COF
  - Return the necessary paperwork to your counselor or Mrs. Klamm in the College & Career Center

### **CAREER PATHWAYS**

- Offered for juniors and seniors who are interested in a specific area of study
- Half day programs at FRCC (high school and college credit available)
- Transportation provided to and from PHS
- It is important this semester to:
  - Apply to Front Range at www.frontrange.edu
  - Say yes to complete the COF
  - Return the necessary paperwork to your counselor or Mrs. Klamm in the College & Career Center no later than February 28th

- Animal Technology and Research
- Architectural, Landscape, and Interior Design
- Automotive Technology and Service
- Computer Careers Exploration with Computer Networking Certification
- Criminal Justice Careers Exploration
- Culinary Arts
- Holistic Health with Yoga Teacher Training
- Medical Careers Exploration
- Practical Mechanics
- Welding and Metal Fabrication
- Wildlife, Forestry, and Natural Resources

# **CAMPUS SELECT**

- Classes offered at the FRCC campus
- Usually for juniors and seniors
- Students are responsible for their own transportation
- Students may select any course offered at FRCC as long as it is part of their ICAP
- FRCC fall 2016 catalog opens late march
- It is important this semester to:
  - Apply to Front Range at <u>www.frontrange.edu</u>
  - Say yes to complete the COF
  - Return the necessary paperwork to your counselor or Mrs. Klamm in the College & Career Center

## **ASCENT**

- 5th year program for high school seniors
- Apply spring of senior year in high school
- Complete all coursework necessary for graduation
- Have a 2.0 gpa
- Have earned 12 college credits through concurrent enrollment prior to graduation
- It is important for seniors to:
  - Apply to Front Range at <u>www.frontrange.edu</u>
  - Say yes to complete the COF
  - Complete the necessary paperwork to your counselor or Mrs. Klamm in the College & Career Center

# **REGISTRATION COLLECTION**

- Current 8th must register for at least 70 credits on the course request sheet
- Select 15 credits of alternate courses
- Make sure your course request form is completely filled out and has all needed signatures. **Incomplete forms will not be accepted.**

# **REGISTRATION COLLECTION**

Counselors will come to your school in approximately 2 weeks to collect your course request forms

Middle School	Date	Middle School	Date
Webber MS	2/29	Wellington MS	3/3
Lesher MS	3/1	CLP MS	3/4
Lincoln MS	3/2	Boltz MS	3/4
St. Joesph's MS	3/2	Kinard MS	3/4
Blevins MS	2/29		