

Whitewater High School Elective Courses

Elective courses are available based on grade level, prerequisites, or auditions.

9th Grade

Foreign Language

French I
German I
Spanish I
Spanish II

Math

Math Support

Fine Arts

Drama I
Drama II
Drawing I
Drawing II
Design I
Sculpting
Modern Dance
Beginning Guitar
Intermediate Guitar
*Intermediate Band (Concert)
*Advanced Band (Symphonic)
*Adv. Instrumental Ensemble (Wind)
*Beginning Orchestra (Concert)
*Intermediate Orchestra (Symphony)
*Advanced Orchestra (Chamber)
*Beginning Women's Chorus
*Intermediate Men's Chorus

IF A COURSE IS NOT LISTED ABOVE, IT IS NOT AVAILABLE FOR THIS GRADE LEVEL

Elective Courses (continued)

Social Studies

Current Issues
Geography

Physical Education

+Weight Training

Business Education

Business Essentials
Computer Applications I

Marketing Education

Marketing Principles

Healthcare Science

Introduction to Healthcare Science

Engineering & Technology

Foundations of Engineering & Technology

Family and Consumer Science

^Food and Nutrition A/B
Foundations of Interior Design A/B
Examining the Teaching Profession

Automotive Tech

Automotive Foundations

NOTE: *Audition courses

^ 4th year Science

+Special Request

WHITWATER HIGH SCHOOL

9th Grade Course Selection Process

Frequently Asked Questions?



2010-2011

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Course Selection Process

It's time to request courses for the next school year. Please use this as a guide to help in making elective course choices. The selection process schedule will be as follows:

March 15 (8am)-March 17 (3:30pm) — The Infinite Campus portal of 2010-2011 course requests will be open. Students will have the opportunity to select their elective choices and confirm their core courses. The student registration can be done from a home computer, school lab or from any computer to which the student has access.

March 16—Counselors will be available at the middle schools to assist with registration.

Before you register consider this...

When making elective selections, consider your plans after graduation. Are you going to attend a 2 year or 4 year college? Or will you be pursuing a technical certification?

Core Graduation Requirements

- 4 English
- 4 Science
- 4 Math
- 3 Social Studies
- 3 CTAE, Fine Arts, or Foreign Language, in a combination, see your counselor
- 4 Elective units

Frequently Asked Questions

- **How can I learn about course electives?** The course catalog is on the WHS website at www.whswildcats.org
- **Will I get all of my elective choices?** The computer scheduler may give you any combination of your choices. Make sure you have listed courses you are willing to take regardless of the ranked order.
- **If I choose an elective I don't like, can I change it?** Not as a rule.
- **Who can take gifted courses?** Students who have been tested and are eligible can register for any gifted course (some classes have prerequisites)
9th Grade gifted courses: Gifted 9th Grade Lit and Gifted Biology
- **Can I change my math track?** No, the state has set the math track for all graduating classes beginning with the class of 2012.
- **How many units do I need to graduate?** 23
- **How do I register for elective courses?** Log-in to Infinite Campus. On the main portal page (where the notices are listed) click on the registration option from the index on the left of the screen.

Step-by-step instructions are outlined in the registration letter and on the WHS guidance website.

NOTE: The students are registering for the 2010-2011 school year. All students in grades nine through twelve must be enrolled in a minimum of six classes.

A Message from the Career Tech Department

What are the TOP TEN job areas for the next five years??

Education	Accounting
Nursing	Computer Software Engineering
Entrepreneur	Information Technology
Engineering	Personal Chef
Design	Health Care Management

If you want to begin an exciting career in one of these areas right out of high school or if you want to get a head start on your college education in one of these areas, the Career Tech Department is the place for you. We offer an exciting array of courses to meet your specific job area.

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