

North Atlanta High School Scheduling Information Class of 2023 Rising 9th Grade

Mission Statement

Through a nurturing culture that embraces diversity, promotes academic rigor, and fosters integrity, North Atlanta High School will develop inquiring, responsible, and caring young adults who will graduate ready for college and career.

Vision Statement

North Atlanta High School, through holistic learning and collaboration among students, educators, families, and community, will foster an environment of critical thinkers who are globally and culturally aware.



Important Contact Info



- North Atlanta PTSA Weekly Warrior Emails-
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- North Atlanta App
 - Important updates
 - Daily Announcements
 - Student Handbook

Scheduling Process



- In January, we will finalize our course offerings
- January 27th 1-3 Warrior Welcome at North Atlanta

Courses We Offer – 8 Courses a Year



- Core Academic Classes (5 Courses)
 - 9th Grade Literature
 - Biology
 - Mathematics
 - Social Studies (American Government/US & World Affairs)
 - World Language (unless in Math and Literature Support)
- Elective Classes (3 Course Combinations)
 - Fine Arts
 - PE (1.5 units Required including Personal Fitness & Health)
 - JROTC
 - Business & Technology
 - Journalism
 - Digital Technology
 - Graphic Design

Core Class Levels



- College Prep – On grade level
 - 23.0610001 9th Lit/Comp
- Honors – Same standards as College Prep, moves faster, more rigorous assessments
 - 23.0610041 9th Lit/Comp H
- Gifted – Similar to Honors, for students identified as Gifted by state eligibility requirements
 - 23.2610041 9th Lit/Comp H
- Support – An extra class to provide support and remediation, frequently computer based, sometimes same title, sometimes different
 - 23.1810001 Communication Skls

AP Information



- Freshmen can take 1 AP class, AP Human Geography.
- It is a college level course.
- It is an elective.
- There is an expectation of very rigorous course work, including extensive homework requirements.
- There is an expectation that the students will take the AP exam.
- Criteria for placement will be based on request and review of Language Arts, Reading and Social Studies performance

AP Information



AP Classes offered:

All offerings are dependent on the number of requests for the course and the staff available to teach the course.

Computer Science A	Human Geography	Physics 1
Calculus BC	Marco Economics	World History
US History	Language/Composition	Statistics
Calculus AB	French	Literature/Composition
Spanish	3D Design	Studio: Visual Arts Drawing
2D Design	American Government	

Class Placement Criteria



- Core class placement criteria to be determined & published January 2019
- Gifted identified students will be placed into gifted sections. Some sections may be mixed with non-gifted students.
- Special Needs students are offered inclusion and support throughout the curriculum.
- Students will make elective & language choices.
 - Students are expected to complete the 3 year elective Career Pathway in a chosen elective. (They can change these in 10th grade)
 - Students can complete multiple pathways.

Important Information



- NAHS Academic Program Guide to be published in January
- Information will be published on the North Atlanta Scheduling website
- Cannot meet with families (unless an IEP is involved)
- IEP transition meetings will be held in the spring

IB DP and CP Information



- Any student, regardless of core class level, can be in the IB DP or IB CP
- To be eligible as an 11th and 12th grader:
 - Must have an 85 average in all Core classes, including World Language for DP and pathway classes in CP, in 9th and 10th grade
 - Must be reading at or above grade level as determined by assessment in 10th grade
 - Must complete the MYP Personal Project in 10th Grade
 - Must have 4 years of the same world language for DP
 - For CP – Must be on track to complete a career pathway



QUESTIONS?