

2012 AHS Course Selection



Arlington Central School District

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It's difficult to decide whether growing pains
are something teenagers **have** - or **are**.

~Author Unknown

AHS Basics ...

- 22 Advanced Placement courses
- 43 sports teams, over 60 clubs
- Report cards every 10 weeks (progress reports at 5 week intervals).
- Orientation for students and parents held prior to opening.
- 4 grade-level counselors with single-grade responsibility:

Mr. Jeff Dezago

A-FAR

Mr. John Phillips

FAS-LOM

Mrs. Kelly Mascetta

LON-RA

Mrs. Amy Downes

RB-Z

- 1 School Psychologist Mrs. Denise Zahakos
- 1 Social Worker shared with Grade 10 Mr. Christopher Babb
- All students scheduled for lunch
- 8 period day (7:30 a.m. – 2:10 p.m.)

NYS Diploma Requirements

Regents Diploma

Required Courses

- English 4
- Social Studies 4
- Math 3
- Science 3
- LOTE 1
- Art/Music 1
- Health .5
- PE 2
- Electives 3.5

Total Credits: 22.0

Required Exams

- English
- Global History
- US History
- Math (Algebra)
- Science

Advanced Regents Diploma

Required Courses

- English 4
- Social Studies 4
- Math 3
- Science 3
- LOTE 3
- Art/Music 1
- Health .5
- PE 2
- Electives 1.5

Total Credits: 22.0

Required Exams

- English
- Global History
- US History
- 3 Math (Algebra, Geometry, Alg. 2/Trig.)
- 2 Science (1 Living Env., 1 Physical Setting)
- Foreign Language (or 5 credits CTE/Arts)

Sample Student Schedule

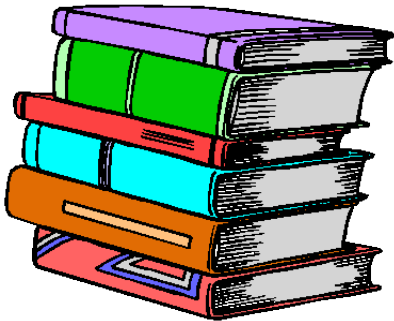
Period	Course	Room	MP	Teacher	Days	Credits
01	Global Hist 1 8	2131	1234	Roosevelt	ABCD	1.00
02	Geometry 8	1104	1234	Newton	ABCD	1.00
03	Ninth Grade Band 8	1202	1234	Springsteen	ABCD	1.00
04	Lunch	Cafe	12	Staff	ABCD	
04	Lunch	Cafe	34	Staff	ABCD	
05	English 9 8	2134	1234	Frost	ABCD	1.00
06	Italian 2 8	2109	1234	Sinatra	ABCD	1.00
07	Biology Honors 9	2321	1234	Cousteau	A C	
07	PE	Gym #1	12	Manning	B D	.25
07	PE	Gym #1	34	Manning	B D	.25
08	Biology Honors 9	2321	1234	Cousteau	ABCD	1.00

ENGLISH PATHWAYS

Regents & Advanced: 4 credits & Regents Exam

Eng. 9 → Eng. 10 → Eng. 11 → Eng. 12 or Electives
(Regents: June)

Eng. 9H → Eng. 10H → Eng. 11AP → Eng. 12AP or Electives
(Regents: January) (AP: May)
(AP: May)



SOCIAL STUDIES PATHWAYS

**Regents & Advanced: 4 credits &
Regents Exams in Global & US History**

Global 1 →

Global 2 →

US His. →

PIG/Eco

(Global 2: June)

(US History: June)

Global 1 H →

**Global 2 H or →
AP World**

AP Amer. His. →

AP Gov/AP Eco

(Global 2: June)
(World AP: May)

(US. History: June)
(AP Amer.: May)

(AP:May)



MATH PATHWAYS

Regents: 3 credits & 1 Regents Exam

Advanced: 3 credits & 3 Exams

Algebra 1A

Algebra 1 B *

**Math App.
Intro Geo.
Geometry *
Interm. Alg
Alg 2/Trig ***

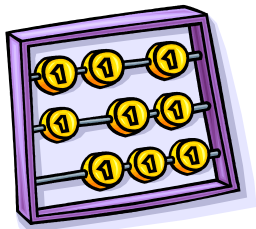
**Math App.
Intro Geo/Geometry *
Interm. Alg
Alg 2/Trig *
Trig ***

**Alg. 1* Intro, Geo.*, Geo. H*
Alg 2/Trig *, H ***

**Alg 2/Trig *, H *
Geo. *, Geo. H *
Interm. Alg.**

Math 4/4+/4H

**Intro Calc, AB, BC
Stats, AP Stats
Java, AP Comp. Sci**



***Course ends in a Regents Exam**



SCIENCE PATHWAYS

Regents: 3 credits (1 Lvg. Env., 1 Phys. Setting) & 1 Regents
Advanced: 3 credits (1 Lvg. Env., 1 Phys. Setting) & 2 Regents

Fnd. Chem. & Phys. →

Fnd. Lvg. Env. →
(Lvg. Env.: June)

Topics Earth Sci. →
Sci. electives

Sci Electives
Topics Earth

Bio Reg. →
(Lvg. Env:June)

Earth Sci Reg. →
(Erth:June)

Chem. Reg. →
(Chem:June)
Chem.Comm

Physics Reg.
(Physics:June)

Earth Sci Reg. →
(Erth:June)

Bio Reg. →
(Lvg. Env:June)

Chem. Reg. →
(Chem:June)

Physics Reg.
(Physics:June)

Bio Honors →
(Lvg. Env:June)

Phys.or Chem. Reg. →
(Physics:June)
(Chem:June)

Phys.or Chem H →
(Physics:June)
(Chem:June)

AP Bio, AP Chem.
AP Envir., AP Phys.
(AP:May)

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Regents: Pass 8th gr. proficiency Exam
(or 1 h.s. credit)

Advanced: 3 credits in 1 LOTE inc. Regents Exam
(or 5 units CTE/Arts)

Lang. 1

(7th and 8th grade = 1 credit after passing final exam)



Lang. 2



Lang. 3 (Regents: June)



Lang. 4



Lang. 5 AP (AP: May)



Elective Options

Business

- Keyboarding 1 & 2
- College Prep/Microsoft office
- Accounting
- Business of Music
- E-commerce
- Career and Financial MGT

Family and Consumer Science

- Food Core
- Food and Human Services
- Parenting
- Fashion for Your Future
- World of Fashion
- Teen Issues
- Lifespan Studies

Art

- Studio Art
- Studio Crafts
- Dynamics of Visual
- Imaginative Solutions and Design
- Studio Glass Work
- Ceramics 1

Music and Theatre Arts

- Piano 1 and Piano 2
- Rudiments of Music
- Ninth Grade Band
- Symphonette
- Mixed Chorus
- Intro to Drama

Technology

- Communications
- Production Wood
- Production Metal
- Transportation
- Material Processing
- Electricity
- Jewelry
- Consumer Automotive
- Intro to Engineering Design
- Digital Electronics
- Audio recording and Production
- Video Productions
- Television Productions

AHS Guidance Programs

- **Information Night Series:**
 - **College Admissions** 9-11
 - **Freshmen Parent Night: High School 101** 9
 - **Sophomore Parent Night: The Next 3 Years** 10
 - **Junior Parent Night: The College Process** 11
 - **Senior Parent Night: Applying to College** 12
 - **Back to AHS** 12
 - **Financial Aid Night** 12
- **Career Day** 9-12
- **Coffee & Conversation** 9-12
- **College Mini-Fairs** 9-12
- **Peer Tutoring** 9-12
- **Shadow Day** 10
- **D.C.C. & Marist College Bridge Programs** 12

CONTACTS

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