

# Chamblee Charter High School 9th Grade Advisement Night

CCHS Counseling Department  
Principal: Ms. Gail Barnes  
AP of Instruction: Mr. Milton Hall

# COUNSELORS

- Assigned by Last Name
- Academics (classes, scheduling)
- Social & Emotional (feelings, relationships)
- Career (college and postsecondary planning)



# GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

## CORE CLASSES

- 4 Units of English
- 4 Units of Math
- 4 Units of Science
- 4 Units of Social Studies
- 2 Units of Foreign Language
- Health/Personal Fitness
- 1 Unit of Physical Education
- 4 Units of Elective  
(3 in pathway, 1 other)

## CCHS Typical Four Year Course Sequence

Diploma Seal:	College Prep Seal	Honors & Distinction Seal	
ENGLISH	9th	Lit Comp 9	Lit Comp 9
	10th	World Literature	World Literature
	11th	American Literature./AP Lang.	American Literature./AP Lang.
	12th	British Literature/AP Literature	British Literature/AP Literature
MATH**	9th	Coordinate Algebra or Accelerated Coordinate Algebra	Coordinate Algebra or Accelerated Coordinate Algebra
	10th	Anal. Geometry or <del>Accel.</del> Geometry/Adv. Algebra	Anal. Geometry or <del>Accel.</del> Geometry/Advanced Algebra
	11th	Advanced Algebra or Accelerated Pre-Calculus	Advanced Algebra or Accelerated Pre-Calculus
	12th	4 <sup>th</sup> Math Option	4 <sup>th</sup> Math Option
SCIENCE	9th	Physics	Physics
	10th	Biology	Biology
	11th	Chemistry/ Earth Systems	Chemistry/Earth Systems
	12th	4th Science Option	4th Science Option
SOC. STUDIES	9th	American Gov't./World Geo.	American Gov't./World Geo.
	10th	World History/AP World History	World History/AP World History
	11th	Amer. History/AP US History	Amer. History/AP US History
	12th	Economics/AP Economics	Economics/AP Economics
WORLD LANGUAGE	2 units of same world language (Spanish, German, French)	3 units of same world language (Spanish, German, French)	
HEALTH/P.E.	9th	Health/Personal Fitness	Health/Personal Fitness
	10th	2nd Year PE elective	2nd Year PE elective
Electives	3 units of Career Tech in the <u>same</u> pathway required or 3 units of Humanities, and 1 general elective.	3 General Electives	
GPA Requirement	None	3.5 overall; 3.0 core	
Total Credits	24	24	

\*\* Math sequence may vary depending on math course completed in the 8th and 9th grade\*\*

## Gifted/Magnet Students

SCIENCE	9th	Biology
	10th	Chemistry
	11th	Physics
	12th	4th Science Option

Student Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Counselor Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Courses	General Education Diploma (Check One) DIPLOMA SEAL: Select type of diploma seal by placing a √ in the appropriate box.				Transition Diploma
	Students with Disabilities (GAA)	College Preparatory Seal	Career Technology Seal	Honors /Distinction Seal †	Required course work determined by Individualized Educational Program (IEP)
<b>ENGLISH*</b> Literature 9 World Literature American Literature British Literature	4	4	4	4	
<b>MATH*</b> Coordinate Algebra or Algebra I Analytic Geometry or Geometry Advanced Algebra or Algebra One Additional, Math unit	4	4	4	4	
<b>SCIENCE*</b> Biology Physical Science or Physics Chemistry, Earth Systems, Environmental Science or any AP/IB One Additional Unit	4	4 4 <sup>th</sup> science can meet science or elective requirement	4 4 <sup>th</sup> science can meet science or elective requirement	4 4 <sup>th</sup> science can meet science or elective requirement	
<b>SOCIAL STUDIES*</b> .5 Am Govt .5 World Geography World History US History *Economics	4	4	4	4	
<b>HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION</b> .5 Health .5 PE 1 **	2	2	2	2	
<b>ELECTIVES ***</b> Humanities *** World Languages* Career Technology**	6	6 *2 Units of the same World Language required ***3 Units of Career Tech in the same pathway required or 3 Units of Humanities 1 General Elective	6 *1 Unit of a World Language required ***3 Units of Career Tech in the same pathway required 2 General Electives	6 *3 Units of the same World Language required 3 General Electives	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	

†Requires 3.5 Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) and a 3.0 Core Grade Point Average (CGPA)  
 \*Core Courses  
 \*\*One unit may be exempt through validated full-year participation in DeKalb County School District sponsored athletics, marching band, dance and/or JROTC.  
 \*\*\*Students are required to select elective courses based on a minimum of three (3) units within the area of Career Technology or a minimum of three (3) units within the area of Humanities. Career Technology units must be in one of the following areas: BUS ED, FCS, TE, Y&I or JROTC. Humanities include the following areas: World Languages, \*ESOL, Fine Arts, Visual Arts, Performing Arts, ELA and Social Studies.  
 \*All identified ELL students must be enrolled in an ESOL course. Course level placement must be made per results of the ACCESS and/or WIDA Standards Language Proficiency Level. For approved ESOL delivery models, please refer to GaDOE ESOL Resource Guide.  
 \*\*Transfer students who have earned 0.5 CU for Economics have met state requirements; therefore, transfer students must take another 0.5 CU social studies elective to meet local graduation requirements.  
 \*\*\*Transfer students who have not successfully completed 0.5 CU of World Geography may substitute another 0.5 CU social studies elective to meet local graduation requirements.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# DIPLOMA SEALS

- ❖ Career Technology
  - 1 unit of same foreign language
  - 3 units of career tech electives in same pathway
  - No minimum GPA
- ❖ College Prep
  - 2 units of same foreign language
  - No minimum GPA
- ❖ Honors/Distinction
  - 3 units of same foreign language
  - 3.5 cumulative GPA and 3.0 core GPA

# NINTH GRADE MATH OPTIONS

2020-2021

Path	Grade 8	Grade 9
1	Grade 8 Math	Foundations of Algebra
2	Grade 8 Math	Coordinate Algebra
*3	Grade 8 Math and Foundations of Algebra	Coordinate Algebra
4	Grade 8 Math	Accelerated Coordinate Algebra/ Analytic Geometry A
**5	Coordinate Algebra	Analytic Geometry**
**6	Accelerated Coordinate Algebra/ Analytic Geometry A	Accelerated Analytic Geometry B/ Advanced Algebra**

**\*Option 3 is not currently offered at Chamblee Middle School**

**\*\*Options 5 and 6 are for rising 9<sup>th</sup> grade students who are currently on the Accelerated Pathway!**

## HIGH SCHOOL PLAN

	1	2	3*	4	5**	6**
9 <sup>th</sup>	Foundations of Algebra	Coordinate Algebra	Coordinate Algebra	Accelerated Coordinate Algebra/ Analytic Geometry A	Analytic Geometry	Accelerated Analytic Geometry B/ Advanced Algebra
10 <sup>th</sup>	Coordinate Algebra	Analytic Geometry	Analytic Geometry	Accelerated Analytic Geometry B/ Advanced Algebra	Advanced Algebra	Accelerated Pre-Calculus
11 <sup>th</sup>	Analytic Geometry	Advanced Algebra	Advanced Algebra	Accelerated Pre-Calculus	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>
12 <sup>th</sup>	Advanced Algebra	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>	<i>Fourth Year Math Options</i>

\*Option 3 is not currently offered at Chamblee Middle School

\*\*Options 5 and 6 are for rising 9<sup>th</sup> grade students who are currently on the Accelerated Pathway!

# ELECTIVE PATHWAYS (YOUR MAJOR)

## CTAE

- ★ Business Management & Administration
- ★ Human Services
- ★ Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
- ★ Education and Training
- ★ Information Technology
- ★ Health Sciences
- ★ Government & Public Administration (JROTC)
- ★ Engineering and Technology
- ★ Engineering Drafting and Design

## HUMANITIES

- ★ Band
- ★ Orchestra
- ★ Chorus
- ★ Theatre Arts
- ★ Visual Arts (2D and 3D)



# SAMPLE 9th GRADE SCHEDULE

<b>19-20</b> <b>Chamblee Charter High School</b> 3688 Chamblee Dunwoody Road, Chamblee GA 30341 Page 1 of 1		<b>Student Schedule For Sample Student</b> Grade: 09 Student Number: 00000000 Term(s): 1-1 1-2 2-1 2-2
	<b>Term 1-1</b> <b>(08/05/19- 10/09/19)</b>	<b>Term 2-1</b> <b>(01/06/20- 03/12/20)</b>
1	23.0610001-1 LIT/COMP 9 A TEACHER Rm: 2121	23.0610002-1 LIT/COMP 9 B TEACHER Rm: 2121
2	17.0110000-3 HEALTH 9 TEACHER Rm: 1304 FNART	36.0510000-3 PERSONAL FITNESS 9 TEACHER Rm: GYMR
3	45.0570000-11 AMER GOVT/CIVICS TEACHER Rm: 2118	45.0711000-12 WORLD GEOGRAPHY TEACHER Rm: 2118
4	60.0710001-5 SPANISH I A TEACHER Rm: 1112	60.0710002-3 SPANISH I B TEACHER Rm: 1112
5	54.0211001-1 BEG MIXED CHORUS I A TEACHER Rm: 1206 FNART	54.0211002-1 BEG MIXED CHORUS I B TEACHER Rm: 1206 FNART
6	27.0971001-5 GSE COORDINATE ALGEBRA A TEACHER Rm: 1111	27.0971002-5 GSE COORDINATE ALGEBRA B TEACHER Rm: 1111
7	40.0810001-10 PHYSICS I A TEACHER Rm: 2113	40.0810002-10 PHYSICS I B TEACHER Rm: 2113
HR	ATTDS-10 Daily Attendance TEACHER Rm: 2116	ATTDS-10 Daily Attendance TEACHER Rm: 2116
DD	90.0000000-10 Digital Dreamers Orientation TEACHER Rm: 2116	90.0000000-10 Digital Dreamers Orientation TEACHER Rm: 2116

# HOW DO I GET PROMOTED?

To get promoted to 10th grade:  Must earn 6 credits (3 of which must be core credits)

To get promoted to 11th grade:  Must earn 12 credits (6 of which must be core credits)

To get promoted to 12th grade:  Must earn 18 credits (9 of which must be core credits)

\*Core credits include English, Math, Science, Social Studies and Foreign Language.

# End of Course Tests

## ENGLISH

9th Grade Literature  
American Literature

## MATH

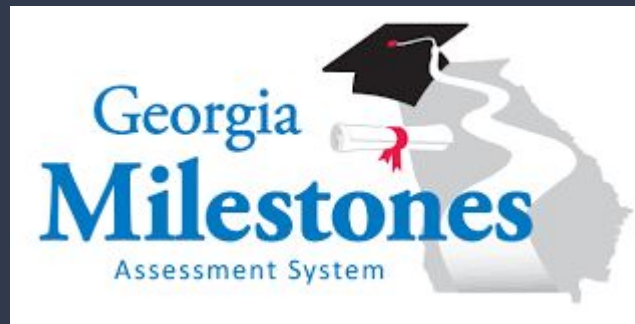
GSE Coordinate Algebra  
GSE Analytical Geometry

## SCIENCE

Biology  
Physical Science

## SOCIAL STUDIES

US History  
Economics



# Infinite Campus and Progress Reports

- Track your student's grades and attendance
- Parent and student portal will roll over to high school
- Progress reports sent home every 4.5 weeks



# WHAT HAPPENS IF I FAIL?

- Summer school
- Retake the class
- Online class through FLEX or Georgia Virtual (\$500 per 1 unit)
- Credit Recovery
- Ineligible to play sports



\*Core classes include English, Math, Science, Social Studies and Foreign Language.

# GRADE POINT AVERAGES

## Cumulative GPA

All grades count toward your GPA

## Core GPA

English, Math, Science, Social Studies,  
and Foreign Language

## Weighted GPA

Includes any extra  
weight/points awarded by  
taking AP or Dual Enrollment  
classes

## Unweighted GPA

Does not include any extra  
weight/points for AP and Dual  
Enrollment classes

- Minimum HOPE GPA requirements (calculated by GSFC)
  - HOPE - 3.0
  - Zell Miller - 3.7
- Scholarship amounts for Georgia Public Colleges/Universities
  - HOPE - portion of tuition
  - Zell Miller - 100% tuition scholarship
- Social Security Number must be active in Infinite Campus
- High School courses taken before 9th grade do not count

# Course Options Outside of CCHS

## Fernbank Science Center

- Earn 1 credit of science
- Well equipped labs and field experience
- Courses(subject to change):
  - Ecosystems Alive
  - Forensic Science
  - Animal Science
  - Science of Food
  - AP Physics C

## Dekalb High School of Technology North

- Transportation provided to Cross Keys H.S.
- Earn 3 CTAE electives in 1 year
- Programs:
  - Automobile Maintenance
  - Computer Programing
  - Computer Information and Support
  - Construction
  - Cosmetology
  - Healthcare-Nursing
  - Law Enforcement/Forensics
  - Dental Science



# Dual Enrollment

- Provides students opportunity to take courses at a college for both college and high school credit for free.
- Final grades earned in Dual Enrollment classes are weighted like AP classes
- Requirements:
  - Take ACT/SAT or Accuplacer Exam and be accepted by the college
  - Complete Student/Parent Agreement Form with counselor
  - Have your own transportation



# Get Involved!



## CHAMBLEE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

3688 Chamblee-Dunwoody Road Chamblee, Georgia 30341 Phone 678.676.6902 Fax 678.676.6910

District Home ▾

Parents ▾

School Nutrition ▾


Bus Routes ▾

Search...



Search...



 Select Language ▾

### CHAMBLEE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

ABOUT US

ACADEMICS

ADMINISTRATION

ATHLETICS

ATTENDANCE OFFICE

BLUE AND GOLD  
FOUNDATION

BULLDOG BULLETIN

CCHS FACILITIES  
RENTAL  
(SCHOOLSPACE)

**CLUBS &  
EXTRACURRICULAR  
OPPORTUNITIES**

### Extracurricular Clubs and Organizations

Chamblee Charter High School offers a wide variety of extracurricular clubs and organizations to the student population which helps to enrich their high school experience. For a comprehensive list of extracurricular clubs and organizations, click the image below.



[CCHS Extracurricular Clubs & Organizations](#)

# What Happens Next?

1. Turn in your course request form to your 8th grade counselor
2. Course verification forms will go home twice in the spring
3. Level changes can be made in the first 10 days of school.
4. No elective changes will be made. Course verification forms sent home in the spring are the last opportunity to request elective changes.

*Still Have Questions?*

**<http://bit.ly/cchs2024faq>**

*Thank you!*