



2026-2027 WANDO HIGH SCHOOL
Rising 9th Grade Teacher Recommendation and Registration Sheet



Student Name: _____

School: _____

Teacher: _____

Teachers: Please **initial** your recommendations for core classes and then sign.

Students: Check the elective courses you would like to take under **ELECTIVES**. A typical schedule will include the **four core classes and four electives** that total eight credits. Then choose three alternate electives and write the course names under **ALTERNATES**.

CORE CLASSES:

ENGLISH **Teacher Signature** _____

- _____ English 1 CP (yearlong skinny)
- _____ English 1 Honors (yearlong skinny) Recommendations: 85-100 in ELA 8 Honors OR 90-100 in ELA 8
- _____ English 2 Honors (yearlong skinny) Recommendations: 90-100 in English 1 Honors
- _____ Ready for High School Literacy (elective yearlong skinny) paired w/ English 1 CP
- _____ Teacher assigns if 2 or 3 scores apply: SC Ready=Not Met/Elas 8th grade=66 or below/Map=210 or below

SOCIAL STUDIES **Teacher Signature** _____

- _____ Civics CP (yearlong skinny) Includes study, organization, note-taking and planning skills.
- _____ Civics Honors (yearlong skinny) Recommendations: 80-100 in SS 8 Hon OR 90-100 in SS 8
- _____ AP Human Geography (yearlong skinny)
- _____ Recommendations: PSAT $\geq$ 950 or Reading MAP $\geq$ 245 AND 8th Honors SS>90 **PSAT/MAP Score** _____

MATHEMATICS **Teacher Signature** _____

- _____ Ready for High School Math (semester skinny; taken with Geom w/Stats CP) Recommendations: <70 in Math 8
- _____ Geometry w/ Statistics CP (block) Recommendations: Completion of Math 8
- _____ Geometry w/Statistics Honors (block) Recommendations: 90-100 in Math 8 Honors
- _____ Algebra 1 CP (block) Recommendations: Successful completion of Geometry w/Statistics CP
- _____ Algebra 1 Honors (block) Recommendations: 85-100 in Geometry w/Statistics Honors
- _____ Algebra 2 w/Probability CP (block) Recommendations: Successful completion of Algebra 1 CP
- _____ Algebra 2 w/Probability Honors (block) Recommendations: 85-100 in Algebra 1 Honors

SCIENCE **Teacher Signature** _____

Earth Science and Biology are both lab sciences.

- _____ Earth Science CP (block)
- _____ Earth Science Honors (block) Recommendation: 80-100 in Science 8 Honors OR 90-100 in Science 8
- _____ Biology 1 Honors (block)
- _____ Recommendation: PSAT $\geq$ 1000 OR Reading MAP $\geq$ 245 AND 90-100 in Science 8 Honors
- _____ **PSAT/MAP Score** _____

ELECTIVES:

All electives are blocks unless otherwise specified.

WORLD LANGUAGES

2-3 Credits required for most 4-year colleges (If you want to continue to AP level world language, consider taking two in one year)

- ☐ Latin 1 ☐ Latin 2 ☐ French 1 ☐ French 2 ☐ German 1 ☐ German 2
- ☐ Spanish 1 ☐ Spanish 2 ☐ Spanish 3 ☐ Spanish 3 Honors

AIR FORCE ROTC Both courses are usually taken in one year; each class is a semester block.

- ☐ AF ROTC 1 (First semester fulfills the PE requirement) ☐ Military Science 1

PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH

- ☐ PE 1 Aerobics/Dance
 ☐ PE1 Aerobic/Volleyball
 ☐ PE 1 Football/Rec Games
☐ PE 1 Rackets/Rec Games
 ☐ PE1 Soccer/Tennis
 ☐ PE 2 Varsity Sports (Spring only, after PE 1)
☐ Personal Health & Wellness/Personal Finance Hon (two semester skinnies=one semester block or one yearlong skinny)

FINE ARTS (1 credit required for SC 4 yr. colleges)

- ☐ Art 1
 ☐ Dance 1
 ☐ Media Arts 1
 ☐ Theatre 1
☐ Marching Band with PE + Band 2 Honors (2 semester blocks)
☐ Orchestra 1 Honors + Orchestra 2 Honors (2 semester blocks)
☐ Chorus 1 Honors + Chorus 2 Honors (2 semester blocks)

OTHER ELECTIVES (*Prerequisites required for courses with *asterisk. May take prerequisite in the fall and course in the spring. The prerequisite is in parentheses. For example: Health Science 1 (Biology) Biology is the prerequisite for Health Science 1. Biology would be taken 1st semester, then Health Science 1 in 2nd semester.)

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| ☐ Creative Writing | ☐ Media Tech 2 |
| ☐ Digital Publication Design | ☐ *Photography 1 (Art 1, Media Art, or Media Tech) |
| ☐ Fundamentals of Computing | ☐ PLTW Computer Science Essentials Honors ¹ |
| ☐ *Fundamentals of Web Page Design (previous Computer Science course) | ☐ PLTW Engineering Essentials ¹ |
| ☐ *Health Science 1 (Biology) | ☐ *PLTW Intro to Engineering Design Hon (Algebra 1 H, Algebra 1 CP 80+, Geom H, Geom CP 80+, or Engineering Essentials) |
| ☐ Image Editing | ☐ PLTW Principles of Biomedical Science Hon ¹ |
| ☐ *Intro to Horticulture (Earth Science or Biology) | ☐ Speech |
| ☐ Journalism 1 | ☐ *Sports Medicine 1 (Biology) |
| ☐ Media Tech 1 | |

¹Algebra 1 or Geometry are recommended for Computer Science Essentials, Engineering Essentials, and Principles of Biomedical Science.

ALTERNATES:

List 3 alternate courses. These will be scheduled if the first-choice electives checked above are not available.

1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____

Optional: List the courses you have chosen for each subject to confirm the correct number of requests.

English (yearlong skinny)	
Social Studies or support class (yearlong skinny)	
Math (semester block)	
Science (semester block)	
Elective (block/skinny)	
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Elective (block/skinny)	

Students must have an even number of blocks and skinnies.

Parent Signature/Date

Student Signature/Date

Counselor Signature/Date