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Business & Industry Endorsement	1 st Course	2 nd Course	3 rd Course	4 th Course
Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources: Agribusiness	17040: Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	17048: Professional Standards in Agribusiness AND 17209: Professional Communication	17098: Agriculture Leadership and Communication	17049: Agribusiness Management and Marketing OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources: Animal Science	17040: Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	17043: Small Animal Management AND 17044: Equine Science	17041: Livestock Production	17045: Veterinary Medical Application* OR 17047: Advanced Animal Science *^ OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources: Applied Agricultural Engineering	17040: Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	17079: Ag. Mechanics and Metal Technologies	17081/17082: Ag Structures Design and Fabrication (1cr)/Lab (2cr)	17084: Agricultural Equipment Design and Fabrication Lab (2cr) OR 17021: Career Prep (3cr) * +
Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources: Plant Science - Greenhouse Operations Plant Science - Floral Design	17040: Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	17076: Greenhouse Operations and Production OR 17070: Floral Design	17074: Horticulture Science OR 17070: Floral Design OR 17097: Advanced Floral Design *	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Architecture and Construction: Carpentry	17111: Principles of Construction	17126: Construction Tech I (2cr)	17127: Construction Tech II (2cr)*	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Arts, Audio Visual Technology and Communication: Digital Communications	17160: Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology, and Communications	17169: Audio/Video Production	17171: Audio/Video Production II*	17173: Practicum in Audio/Video Production (2cr)* 17175: Practicum in Audio/Video Production (2cr)* *OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr)
Arts, Audio Visual Technology and Communication: Design and Multimedia	17160: Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology, and Communications	17177: Graphic Design and Illustration I 17185: Commercial Photography* (opt)	17179 Graphic Design and Illustration II* 17185: Commercial Photography* (opt)	17181: Practicum in Graphic Design and Illustration (2cr)* OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr) *
Business, Marketing and Finance: Business Management	17230: Principles of Business, Marketing, and Finance	17532: Entrepreneurship	17241: Business Management	17246: Practicum in Entrepreneurship (2cr)* OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr) *
Hospitality and Tourism: Culinary Arts	17363: Intro to Culinary Arts	17364: Culinary Arts (2cr, single block)	17365: Advanced Culinary Arts (2cr)*	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Human Services: Cosmetology or Barbering		17403: Introduction to Cosmetology (Sophomores ONLY)	17404: Cosmetology I (2cr)* 17409: Barbering I (2cr)*	17405: Cosmetology II (2cr)* 17410: Barbering II (2cr)*
Manufacturing: Welding	17501: Introduction to Welding	17502: Welding I (2cr)^	17503: Welding II (2cr)*^	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics: Automotive Basics	17619: Automotive Basics	17620: Automotive Technology I: Maintenance and Light Repair (2cr)^	17621: Automotive Technology II: Automotive Service (2cr)*^	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) * +
Public Service Endorsement	1 st Course	2 nd Course	3 rd Course	4 th Course
Education and Training: Teaching and Training	17260: Principles of Education and Training	17261: Human Growth and Development	17262: Instructional Practices in Education (2cr)	17263: Practicum in Education and Training (2cr)* OR 17021: Career Preparation (3cr)*
Exercise Science, Wellness, and Restoration	17345: Principles of Exercise Science & Wellness	17346: Kinesiology I	17347: Kinesiology II*	17021: Career Prep (3cr)
Health Sciences	17320: Principles of Health Science	17321: Medical Terminology	17322: Health Science Theory* OR 17328: Anatomy and Physiology*^	17328: Anatomy and Physiology*^ OR 17329: Medical Microbiology* OR 17332: Pharmacology* OR 17324: Practicum in Health Science (2cr)*
Law and Public Safety: Law Enforcement	17470: Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security	17471: Law Enforcement I – Criminal Investigations^	17472: Law Enforcement II^ OR 17476: Correctional Services^	17473: Forensic Science* OR 17476 Correctional Services^
STEM Endorsement	1 st Course	2 nd Course	3 rd Course	4 th Course
Cybersecurity	17917: Foundations of Cybersecurity	17901: Computer Science I*^	17925/17926: AP Computer Science A – Math/LOTE Credit* OR 17433: Networking^	17021: Career Preparation (3cr) *
Engineering	17550: Principles of Applied Engineering	17512: Manufacturing Engineering Technology	17554: Engineering Design & Presentation I*^	17555: Engineering Design & Presentation II (2cr, single block)*

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3D Animation and Video Game Design		17532:Entreperneuship 1 (E-Sports 1)	17540:Entreperneuship 2 (E-Sports 2)*	17246: Practicum in Entrepreneurship (2cr) (Practicum in E-Sports)*
Public Service Endorsement	1 st Course	2 nd Course	3 rd Course	4 th Course
Education and Training: Teaching and Training	17260: Principles of Education and Training	17261: Human Growth and Development	17262: Instructional Practices in Education (2cr)^	17263: Practicum in Education and Training* (2cr)^
Health Sciences	17320: Principles of Health Science^	17321: Medical Terminology	17322: Health Science Theory* OR 17329: Medical Microbiology*	17330: Pathophysiology OR 17332: Pharmacology OR 17324: Practicum in Health Science (2cr)*

Additional Senior Elective 17397: Family and Community Service (Human Services)

STEM Endorsement	1st Course	2nd Course	3rd Course	4th Course
Cybersecurity	17430: Principles of Information Technology^	17431: Computer Maintenance^	17433: Networking^	17443 Practicum of Information Technology^
Engineering	17572: Introduction to Engineering Design	Introduction to Engineering Architecture OR 17557: AC/DC Electronics OI	17573: Aerospace Engineering OR 17557: AC/DC Electronics OR 17576: Computer Integrated Manufacturing	17577: Engineering Design & Development Capstone

^{* *}Please see course catalog for state-required prerequisites ^ Dual

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Gra	ide Level	CTE Electives		
	6th Grade	9149: Technology Applications AND 17231: Touch System Data Entry	17584:PLTW Design/Modeling & Automation & Robotics	
	7th Grade	9149: Tech Apps 7 AND 17231: Touch System Data Entry 7	17584G: PLTW Computer Science for Innovators and Makers & App Creator **	
	8th Grade	17040: Principles of Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources*	17584G: PLTW Computer Science for Innovators and Makers & App Creator ** or 17584J: PLTW Flight and Space & Medical Detectives	17029: General Employability Skills**

^{**}High school credit course

[^] Dual Credit Course (optional)