

For detailed course information, please go to the
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUKESHA - School District of Waukesha

9th Grade Course Selection Reference Guide: 2025-2026

ART DEPARTMENT

Ceramics and Sculpture I	
Drawing and Painting I	O
Art Metal Jewelry I	
Fine Art Photography I	
Digital Illustration & Graphic Design	O
Intro to Art and Design	S

BUSINESS/MARKETING DEPARTMENT

Personal Financial Planning	S, O
Accounting I	T, O
Business Law	S
Entrepreneurship	S, T, O
Leadership	S
Keyboarding Essentials	S, O
Computer Applications I (MS Office)	S, T, O
Computer Applications II	S, O
Advertising and Marketing	S, T
Sales and Marketing	S
Sports and Event Marketing	S, O

EL DEPARTMENT

VISION	
English as a Second Language - Beg. I	
English as a Second Language - Beg. II	
English as a Second Language - Int.	
English as a Second Language - Adv	

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

English 9 / Honors English 9	O
Drama I	
Stagecraft	

FAMILY/CONSUMER SCIENCE/HEALTH OCC DEPT

Intro to Interior Design	S
Food Trends & Technology	S
Sports, Nutrition and Fitness	S, T
Human Relationships	S
Child Development	T
Introduction to Health Occupations	S
(North/West)	
HLth Acad 1/Careers (South)	

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Health Education 9	S, O
PE 9 Personal Fitness/Human	S
Performance Focus	
PE 9 Field and Court Focus	S
Strength I/Strength II/SAQ	S

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

Programming for the Web	S, T
Programming for the Web II	S
App Development I	S
AP Computer Science Principles	O
Introduction to Telecommunications	
(West/North)	
Keyboarding Essentials	S, O
Computer Applications I (MS Office)	S, T, C

Computer Applications II	S
Digital Technologies	S, O

MATH DEPARTMENT

Integrated Math 1	O
Integrated Math 2	O
Algebra II	O
Honors Algebra II	O

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Orchestra	
Symphony Orchestra	
Choir	
Varsity Choir	
Concert Choir	
Band	
Concert Band	
Jazz Ensemble	
Marching Band*	S
Symphonic Winds & Percussion**	S
Non-Performing	
Introduction to Music Theory	S, O
Beginning Guitar	S, O
Music In Film	S, O
Music Technology	S, O

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Biology / Honors Biology	O
Chemistry/Honors Chemistry	O
PLTW-PBS (Principles of Biomedical Science) (South)	

SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Human Geography / AP Human Geography	O
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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Yearbook - <i>Northern Light</i> (North)	
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TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

PLTW-IED (Introduction to Engineering Design)	AS
Digital Photography	S
Digital Design	S, T
Graphic Arts/Printing I (West)	
Modern Transportation Systems	
Automotive Technology I	
Materials & Manufacturing Processes (North/West)	S
Woodworking I	

WORLD LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT

French I	O
French II	O
French III	O
French IV	O
AP French V	O
Spanish I	O
Spanish II	O
Spanish III	O
Spanish IV	O
AP Spanish V Language & Culture	O
AP Spanish VI Literature & Culture	
AP Dual Language Seminar	

World Language placement by teacher recommendation and/or placement exam

EAchieve ONLY Courses**ART DEPARTMENT - eAchieve**

Digital Drawing & Painting (eAchieve only)	S, O
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BUSINESS/MARKETING DEPARTMENT

Computer Apps-Libre Office/Google (eAchieve only)	S, O
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FAMILY/CONSUMER SCIENCE/HEALTH OCC DEPT

Worldwide Cuisine (eAchieve only)	S, O
Career Planning (eAchieve only)	S, O
Life Skills (eAchieve only)	S, O
Fashion & Interior Design (eAchieve only)	S, O
Child Development (semester - eAchieve only)	S, O

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Nutrition & Wellness (eAchieve only)	S, O
Intro to Fitness (eAchieve only)	S, O

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

Web Design Editors (eAchieve only)	S, O
Web Development A (eAchieve only)	S, O
Web Development B (eAchieve only)	S, O
Digital Art Exploration 1 (eAchieve only)	S, O
Digital Art Exploration 2 (eAchieve only)	S, O
Programming Java I (eAchieve only)	S, O
Programming Java II (eAchieve only)	S, O
Computer Apps-Google (eAchieve only)	S, O

MATH DEPARTMENT

Integrated Math 1	O
Pre-Algebra (eAchieve only)	O
Math for Consumers (eAchieve only)	O
ACT Prep (eAchieve only)	S, O

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Earth Science (eAchieve only)	S, O
Physical Science - Chemistry (eAchieve only)	S, O
Physical Science - Physics (eAchieve only)	S, O
Astronomy & the Atmosphere (eAchieve only)	S, O

SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Psychology (full year - eAchieve only)	O
World History I	O

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Service Learning (eAchieve only)	S, O
Service Learning (Spanish) (eAchieve only)	S, O

WORLD LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT

German I - IV (eAchieve only)	O
Latin I - III (eAchieve only)	O

S = Semester Long Course

T = Transcribed Credit – HS and WCTC credit

AS = Advanced Standing – WCTC credit upon enrollment

F = Fee associated with course

O = Available as online course at eAchieve

* = If a student joins Color Guard, they need to add Marching Band into their schedule.

** = 9th graders must complete a semester of Marching Band before taking Symphonic Winds and Percussion.