



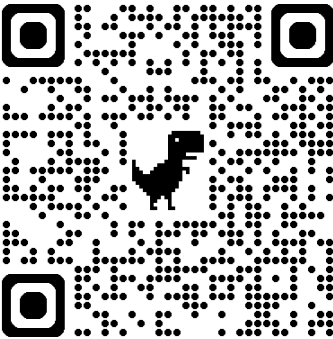
CHS Math Science Technology Magnet Program

A specialized program for MST within Camas High School

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Founded in 2007, the CHS MST Magnet Program is built around a rigorous multi-year curriculum centered on inquiry, innovation, and authentic research. A hallmark of the program is its strong research strand, woven throughout all four years and culminating in an annual research showcase, a senior research investigation, and internship or research experiences. Faculty guide students in advanced exploration of mathematics, science, engineering, and technology while engaging them in integrated coursework focused on solving real-world problems through project-based learning. Through partnerships with high-tech companies, research institutions, and industry professionals across the Portland and Southwest Washington metro area, students gain access to meaningful mentorship and internship opportunities aligned with their individual interests. The program model is grounded in principles endorsed by the [National Consortium for Specialized Secondary Schools](https://chsmstmagnet.com/) (NCSSS) and is designed not only to provide rigorous academic preparation, but also to foster a supportive learning community. Our goal is to help students develop the values, skills, and habits of mind needed for success in higher education, future careers in STEM fields, and whatever paths they ultimately choose to pursue. For more information, visit <https://chsmstmagnet.com/>

Student Characteristics	Eligibility Requirements	Application Process
The Camas High School MST Magnet is looking for students who demonstrate the following skills and behaviors: • High ability, aptitude, and interest in math, science, and technology; • A desire to engage in research and project-oriented learning; • Ability to persevere when faced with complex problems; • Ethical behaviors in all aspects of learning; • Creativity, resourcefulness, and ability to contribute to the structure of their own learning experience; • Ability to be self-sufficient, to follow through, and to produce high-quality work; • A willingness to work in a team-oriented environment; • An interest in refining their oral, written, and visual communication skills; and • Aspirations to strengthen leadership skills and contribute as a citizen of the 21st century.	Eligible applicants are current eighth grade students. The selection process includes an entrance exam, a completed application, and four recommendations. Approximately 30 positions are available in each cohort and are reserved for Camas School District (CSD) students residing within district boundaries. Students residing outside the district are welcome to apply. If offered admission to the program, they must establish residency within CSD boundaries in order to enroll in the MST program. 	If you are in the process of preparing to apply, follow these steps to get started: 1. Request Recommendations: You should request recommendations via our online Student Recommendation Request Form as soon as you're sure that you're going to apply. 2. Prepare Online Application: Preview the online Admissions Application Questionnaire and gather the information you'll need for the responses. There's no special consideration given to earlier applications, so take your time and compose a quality application. There is no rush. 3. Take Admissions Test: Make plans to take the admissions test on the date listed on the Admissions Timeline.

Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
AP Environmental Science	AP Biology	AP Chemistry or Chemistry or Lab Science Elective	AP Physics or Lab Science Elective
Honors English 9	Honors English 10	English 11 or AP English 11	English 12** or AP English 12
MATH: Next in sequence	MATH: Next in sequence	MATH: Next in sequence	MATH: Next in sequence
1 Semester PE and 1 Semester Health	AP World History or World History	AP U.S. History or U.S. History	AP U.S. Gov't and Politics or CWI
X	Elective*	Elective*	Elective*
Elective*	Elective*	Elective*	Elective*
Principles of Technology & Engineering Design	MST Research 10	MST Research 11 Summer Internship	MST Research 12

*Recommended electives include but are not limited to foreign language, band, choir, art, additional APs, etc. Students must also fulfill all other graduation requisites, including the completing of final requirements in PE, Art, and general electives.