

JBHS 9TH GRADE ELECTIVE COURSES 25-26

Students must choose 6 elective courses (only 4 will be scheduled) and list them **IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE** on their choice sheet.

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH COURSES

2.0 credits of the same language is required for graduation.

To enroll in upper level LOTE courses, you must have credit for the prior level or approval from the LOTE department.

- ☐ American Sign Language 1
- ☐ American Sign Language 2
- ☐ Advanced American Sign Language 3
- ☐ Advanced American Sign Language 4

- ☐ French 1
- ☐ French 2
- ☐ Advanced French 3

- ☐ Spanish 1
- ☐ Spanish 2
- ☐ Advanced Spanish 3
- ☐ Advanced Spanish 4
- ☐ Advanced Spanish 5
- ☐ AP Spanish Language & Culture (Prerequisite: Adv. Spanish 3)
- ☐ AP Spanish Literature & Culture (Prerequisite: Adv. Spanish 3)

FINE ARTS COURSES

1.0 fine art credit is required for graduation.

For courses where M.S. approval is required, M.S. directors will verify student's selections after choice sheets are submitted.

VISUAL ARTS

- ☐ Art 1 **OR** ☐ Art 1: Advanced - M.S. Approval Required

BAND: **Summer Practice is **mandatory** for courses with marching band. Marching Band meets during the summer and before/after school and can be used as a PE substitute if taken for two years.

AUDITIONS REQUIRED FOR ALL BAND COURSES.

- ☐ Wind Band 4 with Marching** - M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Color Guard with Marching** - M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Percussion (in addition to Freshman Band)** - M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Jazz Band - M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Steel Drums - M.S. Approval Required

CHOIR: Audition required for Advanced Level Choirs

- ☐ Beginner Non-Varsity Treble Choir
- ☐ Beginner Non-Varsity Tenor/Bass Choir

ORCHESTRA: Audition required for Advanced Level Orchestras

- ☐ Concert Orchestra - M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Beginner Orchestra - No Experience Required

MUSIC: Audition required for Advanced Level Music Classes

- ☐ Piano 1

DANCE: The freshman year of the following Dance courses may satisfy graduation requirements for fine arts or PE.

- ☐ Dance 1 *Audition required for higher levels
- ☐ JV Dance Team - *Audition Required; Cannot be taken with Cheer

THEATRE: Audition required for **Advanced** theatre courses

- ☐ Theatre Arts 1 **OR** ☐ Theatre Arts 1: **Advanced** M.S. Approval Required
- ☐ Technical Theatre 1 **OR** ☐ Technical Theatre: **Advanced** M.S. Appr. Required
- ☐ Musical Theatre - M.S. Approval Required*
- ☐ Theatre Productions 1: Theatre Productions 1 meets after school and can only be taken in conjunction with either Theatre Arts 1, Technical Theatre 1, or Musical Theatre 1.

STUDENT SHARING ELECTIVE COURSES

Student sharing courses are held at other AISD high schools and are based on availability at the other high school. Transportation is provided for entry level courses. Students can only sign up for ONE student sharing course.

Crockett High School

- ☐ Principles of Construction (Carpentry)
- ☐ Principles of Cosmetology Design and Color Theory (Cosmetology)
- ☐ Principles of Transportation Systems (Automotive Technology)

Travis High School

- ☐ Principles of Hospitality & Tourism (Hospitality)
- ☐ Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security (EMT & Law Enforcement)

PHYSICAL EDUCATION COURSES

1.0 credit required to graduate.

ONLY ONE PE / Athletics course is allowed on a student's schedule unless otherwise specified.

PE Courses:

- ☐ P.E. Lifetime Fitness & Wellness
- ☐ P.E. Lifetime Sport & Fitness
- ☐ P.E. Outdoor Adventure Education- Can be taken w/ another PE
- ☐ Dance 1 (Lifetime Fitness & Dance)- Can be taken w/ another PE
- ☐ Pre-Drill- Can be taken w/ Dance 1
- ☐ Musical Theatre Dance- Can be taken w/ Dance 1
- ☐ Airforce Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC 1) - Can be taken w/ another PE course

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### Athletics Courses That Count for P.E Credit:

Tryouts are required for all athletics teams. Please contact the Bowie coaches for information about tryouts. Coaches' info can be found on the Bowie website under Departments → Athletics. Some athletics are double-blocked courses (2 class periods);

- ☐ \*Football (2 Class periods, write 2 times on choice sheet)- Tryouts in August
- ☐ \*Volleyball (2 Class periods, write 2 times on choice sheet) -Tryouts in August
- ☐ JV Cheerleading (1 Class period) – Cannot be taken with JV Dance

\* Summer practice for Football, Volleyball, and Cheer are **mandatory**.

- ☐ Basketball, Girls (2 Class periods, write 2 times on choice sheet) - Tryouts in Aug/Sept
- ☐ Basketball, Boys (2 Class periods, write 2 times on choice sheet) - Tryouts in Aug/ Sept
- ☐ Cross Country(Fall) /Track & Field(Spring)
- ☐ JV Dance Team- Cannot be taken with Cheer
- ☐ Golf
- ☐ Swim & Dive
- ☐ Tennis
- ☐ Wrestling

### ATHLETICS COURSES \*NOT\* AVAILABLE TO 9TH GRADERS

These athletics teams DO NOT have a class for 9th grade students and are only listed as an FYI. Students can still try out as 9th graders but do not get credit for the course until they are 10th graders.

- ☐ Baseball
- ☐ Boys Soccer
- ☐ Softball
- ☐ Girls Soccer

## CTE & OTHER ELECTIVE COURSES

Please check out our website for CTE & Elective Pathways  
[bowie.austinschools.org/counseling/course-scheduling/electives](http://bowie.austinschools.org/counseling/course-scheduling/electives)

- ☐ Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC 1)
- ☐ Business Information Management
- ☐ Computer Science 1 - Prerequisite: Algebra 1 Completed
- ☐ Debate I – UIL Weekend Competitions Required
- ☐ Foundations of Cybersecurity
- ☐ Fundamentals of Computer Science
- ☐ Graphic Design & Illustration 1
- ☐ Intro to Engineering Design - Prerequisite: Algebra 1 Completed
- ☐ Journalism 1
- ☐ Newspaper 1- Media Production & Photography
- ☐ Oral Interpretation I–UIL Weekend Comp. Required
- ☐ Principles of Agriculture, Food, & Natural Resources
- ☐ Principles of Arts, AV, Technology, & Communication
- ☐ Principles of Biosciences
- ☐ Principles of Health Science
- ☐ Principles of Human Services
- ☐ Yearbook 1- Media Production & Photography