

# Daniel Ninth Grade Campus

## 2020-2021 Freshman Course Selections

Student Data			
Student Name: _____	Date of Birth: _____		
Student ID: _____	Last 4 of SSN: _____		

High School Credit Generating Courses.							
√ Select any High School credit-generating courses that you have taken while in 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade.							
Algebra I	Spanish I	ASL1	Latin I	Theatre I	Art 1		
Principles of Agriculture	Journalism I	PE	Principles of Law	Dance 1	Other		

Endorsement Selections				
√ Choose the Endorsement Pathway(s) you plan to pursue. See Registration Packet for Endorsement information.				
Arts and Humanities	Business and Industry	Public Services	STEM	Multi-Disciplinary
Band	Audio/Visual Production	Cosmetology	Computer Science	4 credits each in English, Math, Science and Social Studies, including English 4, Chemistry or Physics
Choir	Automotive Technology	Education & Training	Engineering	
Color Guard	Business Management	Health Science	Info Technology	
Dance	Graphic Design	Law & Public Safety	Mathematics	
Lang. Other Than Engl.	Horticulture		Science	4 credits in Dual Credit or AP courses
Social Studies	Newspaper			
Theatre	Veterinary Science			4 Advanced Courses from each Endorsement
Visual Arts	Welding			
	Yearbook			

Core Courses							
Choose one course from each of the following required Core Subjects.							
ELA	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	SCIENCE	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		1001	English 1			3001	Biology 1
		1101	PAP English 1			3101	PAP Biology 1

MATH	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	SOCIAL STUDIES	√	COURSE #	COURSE TITLE
		2001	Algebra 1			4002	World History
		2002	Geometry 1 #			4001	World Geography
		2102	PAP Geometry #		4201	AP Human Geography	

Elective Courses		
Choose 3 full credits of Electives. NUMBER 1, 2, 3 – indicating your 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , and 3 <sup>rd</sup> choice.		
LABEL A & B – Indicating your 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> full credit alternate choices.		

GENERAL ELECTIVES		
	1011	Debate 1
	6000	Health *
	8208	Professional Communication *

SOCIAL STUDIES ELECTIVES		
	4044	Psychology *
	4054	Sociology *

FINE ARTS ELECTIVES		
	7001	Art 1
	7002	Art 2 #
	7006	Music Theory 1
	7072	Art 2, Design 1 #
	7081	Art, Media & Communication
	7701	Theatre 1
	7702	Theatre 2 #
	7741	Dance 1
	7742	Dance 2 #
	7811	Band 1 (audition)
	7821	Jazz Band 1 (audition)
	7851	Music Studies, Music & Comm.
	7831	Color Guard 1 (audition)
	7911	Choir 1
	8013	Floral Design

PE/ATHLETICS ELECTIVES		
	6051	Weight Training (Boys)
	6011	Team Sports (General PE)
	6021	Adventure/Outdoor Ed. (PE)
	6061	Weights and Aerobics (Girls)
	6101	Football 1
	6111	Volleyball 1 @
	6121	Cross Country 1
	6131	Tennis 1 @
	6141	Athletic Trainer (application)
	6201	Basketball 1 (Boys)
	6211	Basketball 1 (Girls)
	6221	Soccer 1 (Boys)
	6231	Soccer 1 (Girls)
	6301	Golf 1 @
	6311	Softball 1
	6321	Baseball 1
	6331	Track 1 (Girls)

FOREIGN LANGUAGE ELECTIVES		
	5001	Spanish 1
	5002	Spanish 2 #
	5011	Latin 1
	5012	Latin 2 #
	5051	American Sign Language 1
	5052	American Sign Language 2 #

CAREER & TECHNOLOGY ELECTIVES		
	1031	Newspaper 1 #
	1041	Yearbook 1 #
	2111	PAP Computer Science #
	8000	Prin. of Ag, Food, & Natural Res.
	8002	Small Animal Management **
	8003	Equine Science **
	8010	Wildlife, Fisheries & Eco.
	8013	Floral Design
	8015	Ag Mechanics & Metal Tech #
	8200	Journalism 1 (Principles of A/V)
	8300	Prin. of Business Marketing & Fin
	8302	Business Information Management
	8500	Principles of Health Science
	8702	Interpersonal Studies *
	8801	Computer Maintenance
	8802	Networking
	8804	Digital Interactive Media
	8900	Prin. Of Law & Public Safety
	8901	Law Enforcement #
	9100	Intro to Engineering Design

**LEGEND**  
 # Prerequisite course required  
 \* Denotes Semester Course (.5 credit)  
 @ Summer try-out required

Submit completed form to the counselor at [efinn@aledoisd.org](mailto:efinn@aledoisd.org)  
 Access all resources and instructions for registration at: <https://www.aledoisd.org/DNGC>

# Graduation Requirements & Endorsement Information

The following requirements are set forth by the Texas Legislature, State Board of Education & Aledo ISD

Students may graduate under the Foundation High School Program (FHS) or the Distinguished Level of Achievement Program (DLA). Students who graduate under the FHS Program have limited post-secondary educational options, therefore, we guide all students towards the DLA Program when planning courses for ninth grade.

## Why it Matters

Graduating under the DLA program will:

- Allow students to compete for the 10% automatic admission eligibility into any Texas public university and allow students to be more competitive college applicants.

## What's Required

For students to graduate under the DLA program, they must fulfill the following requirements:

- Complete all curriculum requirements for the FHS Program
- Earn at least 26 credits (including a 4<sup>th</sup> credit in math, a 4<sup>th</sup> credit in science, and at least 2 additional electives)
- Complete all curriculum requirements to earn at least one Endorsement (including the completion of Algebra II)

Endorsements allow students to explore a career or subject area of interest while in High School which will aide students in making post-secondary plans. Endorsement options and curriculum requirements are outlined further on pages 15-20 in the Ninth Grade Course Registration Supplement.

Endorsement Options	
Endorsement	Curriculum Requirements
Arts & Humanities	Successful completion of 4 courses in Fine Arts, languages other than English, or 5 credits in Social Studies
Business & Industry	Successful completion of at least one pathway in the area of Business Management, Welding, Veterinary Science, Newspaper, Yearbook, Automotive Technology, Arts & A/V, or Horticulture, Graphic Design
Public Services	Successful completion of at least one pathway in the area of Cosmetology, Education & Training, Health Science, Law & Public Safety
STEM	5 credits in either Math/Science or 4 credits in one of the other STEM pathways
Multidisciplinary Studies	4 credits in each of the Core Courses (including Chemistry and/or Physics); or 4 AP or Dual Credit Courses; or 4 Advanced courses either within a single endorsement area or multiple endorsement areas

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## Pre-AP/AP Schedule Change Policy

Students may sign up for Pre-AP/AP courses as they choose. However, it is important for them to understand the steps that must be taken to drop a class if they aren't experiencing their desired level of success.

Students may change from a Pre-AP/AP course to the on-level version of the same course AFTER creating and submitting an Academic Action Plan. The AAP is a document used to denote a student's good faith effort to complete class assignments, maintain good attendance, participate in tutorials, etc. indicating a genuine attempt to be successful prior to leaving the higher level course. Once completed and signed by the student, teacher and parent, the AAP can be submitted and a withdrawal form can be obtained. Students who move from a Pre-AP/AP course to an on-level version of the same course will be held responsible for making up all knowledge and skills covered in the on-level class prior to the move, and the grade earned in the Pre-AP/AP course will transfer with the student. Students not experiencing success in a Pre/AP course will be automatically moved to an on-level course at semester to attempt to avoid the loss of credit.

**I have read and understand the policy and procedures for dropping a Pre-AP/AP course.**

Student Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Please direct all questions to Erin Finn, Counselor at the Daniel Ninth Grade Campus. 817-441-4504 [efinn@aledoisd.org](mailto:efinn@aledoisd.org)

**Please note: we cannot accept requests for changes after June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020**