

Graduation Requirements and Curriculum Options (updated for the 2008-2009 school year)

Graduation Requirements	English (4 years)	Math (3 years; at least through Algebra 2)	Social Science (7 semesters)	Science (3 years, at least through Chemistry)	Foreign Language (2 years – same language)	Religion (6 semesters: 2 Frosh, 1 Soph, 2 Junior, 1 Senior)	Fine Arts (2 semesters – same discipline of art)	P.E. (1 semester required)	Computer Science (no requirement)
Freshman Year	English 1 OR English 1H	Algebra 1 Algebra 1 Acc. Geometry Geometry H Algebra 2 Algebra 2H	Rhetoric (sem) OR World Cultures (sem)	Earth Science OR Biology OR Biology H	Spanish 1 Spanish 2 Spanish 3 French 1 French 2 Latin 1 Latin 2 Mandarin 1 Mandarin 2	(one sem. each) Catholic Christianity + Hebrew Scriptures	Acting 1 (sem) Ceramics 1 (sem) Dance 1 (sem) Fine Arts 1 (sem) Graphic Design 1 (sem) Photography 1 (sem) OR Symphonic Band (yr) Percussion (yr)	<i>1 semester PE elective available*</i>	<i>Computer Literacy Intro to Comp. Sci. Intro to Programming*</i>
Sophomore Year	English 2 OR English 2H	Geometry Geometry H Algebra 2 Algebra 2H Precalculus Precalculus H	World History OR World Hist. AP	Biology <u>Biology H</u> Chemistry Chemistry H	Spanish 2 Spanish 3 or 3H Spanish 4 or 4AP French 2 French 3 Latin 2 Latin 3 or 3H Mandarin 2 Mandarin 3 or 3H	Christian Scriptures (sem)	<i>Fine Arts classes may be taken as a 7th class*</i>	1 semester required	<i>Computer Science Electives available*</i>
Junior Year	Brit Lit 1 or 2 + one sem. elective* OR <u>English Lang AP</u>	Algebra 2 Algebra 2H Precalculus Precalculus H Calculus Calculus AB AP Calculus BC AP Multivariable Calc <u>Prob/Stat AP</u> <i>Semester electives</i>	US History OR US History AP	Chemistry Chemistry H Physics Physics B AP <u>Biology AP</u> <u>Chemistry AP</u> Env. Sci. AP Marine Biology Anat & Phys Hon. Geology**	<i>Spanish 3 or 3H Spanish 4 or 4AP Spanish 5 AP French 3 French 4 or 4AP Latin 3 or 3H Latin 4 / Lit AP Mandarin 3 / 3H Mandarin 4 / 4AP</i>	(one sem each) Christian Morality + Social Justice/ College Guidance	<i>Fine Arts classes may be taken as a 7th class*</i>	<i>PE electives available *</i>	<i>Computer Science Electives available*</i>
Senior Year	2 sem. electives * OR <u>English Lit AP</u>	<i>Precalculus Precalculus H Calculus Calc AB AP Calc BC AP Multivariable Calc Prob/Stat AP Discrete Math(sem) Prob/Stat (sem)</i>	2 sem electives* OR <u>Art History AP</u> <u>Euro Hist AP</u> <u>Hum. Geo. AP</u> <u>Psych. AP</u> <u>US Hist Sem H</u>	<i>Physics Physics B AP Biology AP Chemistry AP Env. Science AP Marine Biology Anat & Phys Hon. Geology**</i>	<i>Spanish 4 or 4AP Spanish 5 AP French 4 or 4AP Latin 4 / Lit AP Mandarin 4 / 4AP</i>	1 semester elective*	1 semester of Fine Arts (if 2 sem requirement is not finished): FA2, Ceramics 2, Graphic Design 2, etc. <i>Fine Arts classes may be taken as an elective class *</i>	<i>PE electives available *</i>	<i>Computer Science Electives available*</i>

Regular font: required for graduation; ***Italics:*** beyond requirement/elective

***consult online course catalogue for electives and descriptions; note information regarding new UC fine arts requirement.**

H = Honors; AP = Advanced Placement (Underline = courses are “open enrollment,” meaning that there isn’t a formal selection process; any student who meets the pre-requisites for the course may sign up to take it.)

****Geology: Students may earn three units of college credit through the San Jose State University STEP-TO-COLLEGE Program.**