

ARTHUR L. JOHNSON HIGH SCHOOL
2019 / 2020 REGISTRATION / ELECTIVE WORKSHEET

1. Review the Program of Studies goo.gl/uKDpKX
2. Note prerequisite and placement criteria for all courses
3. Review the list of elective options for your grade on the opposite side. Obtain teacher signatures when necessary.
4. Complete this side of the form and have this signed by a parent/guardian
5. Bring form with you to registration appointment

STUDENT NAME: _____

FUTURE GRADE: 9

*All freshmen will enroll in English 1 and PE/Health 9 or PE: CST/Health 9

In addition, first years of:

- Math
- Science
- World Language
- Social Studies

STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO SELECT 12 (twelve) ELECTIVES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE.

1	7
2	8
3	9
4	10
5	11
6	12

*I have read the Program of Studies and reviewed with my child his/her choices for course registration.
I approve my child's electives, as well as, the required courses to be taken in the 2019/2020 school year.
I understand the policy for schedule changes.*

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

STUDENT SIGNATURE

DATE

PLEASE BRING THIS FORM TO YOUR HIGH SCHOOL REGISTRATION APPOINTMENT!!!

Schedule changes are to be made in writing prior to August 15th. For information about schedule changes, please review pages Scheduling Information in pages 10-13 of the Program of Studies.

9th Graders are recommended to have at least two art classes and one math/business elective.

Electives Requiring Teacher Recommendation*

AP World History	
Intro to Robotics	

*Must be signed by your current teacher in the subject area

Electives Available

Please consult Program of Studies for pre-requisites and full course descriptions.

Technology Electives
Computer Science 1*
Computer Science 2*
Intro to Robotics*
Introduction to TV
Math Electives
Mang.Money with Math A
Mang.Money with Math B
English Electives
Creative Writing/Poetry
Performance Theatre 1
Performance Theatre 2*
Introduction to Journalism
Intro to Yearbook
Art Electives
Concert Choir
Concert Band
Concert Band/Choir Hybrid
Introduction to Studio Art
Crafts & Mixed Media
Art Appreciation
Puppetry Workshop
Stagecraft
Digital Photo 1
Social Studies Electives
Conspiracy Theories Throughout History
Speech & Debate

Business Electives
Influence of Fashion on the Economy
Intro to Economics
Shorthand for Personal Notetaking
Keyboarding&Comp.App.Bus/Office
Intro to Marketing
Sports & Entertainment Marketing*
Physical Education Electives
Unified Physical Education

Courses with an asterisk (*) indicate that a prerequisite is required.
Please consult the Program of Studies for more information.

9th Grade Elective Descriptions

Please see the Program of Studies for full descriptions and prerequisite information.

Intro to Studio Art - focus on color theory, elements & principles of basic design.

Crafts and Mixed Media - various techniques used to manipulate a wide range of 2D and 3D media

Digital Photo 1 - photography as an artistic medium. Must supply own camera or smart phone.

Puppetry - shadow puppets, marionettes and hand puppets constructed & manipulated around stories created by the students

Concert Band** - develop proficiency playing chosen instrument, further develop musicianship & obtain performance experience. 2 years of study of an instrument, or approval by the director

Concert Choir** - develop a deep appreciation for music & vocal performance

Concert Band/Choir Hybrid** - performance class for experienced concert band musicians & singers

Performance Theater - reading & writing about literature & performing dramatic works

Stagecraft - create staging & set design for school productions

Art Appreciation - academic work & art making designed to increase awareness of the visual environment while introducing a vocabulary of critical and artistic terms

Creative Writing/Poetry - work on poems, essays, short stories, novellas, teleplays

Intro to Journalism - writing clearly and concisely for newspapers and radio

Intro to Yearbook - journalistic writing, photojournalism, graphic design & budget

Intro to TV - hands-on experience in creative & technical aspects of making a TV program

Conspiracy Theories - examine conspiracy theories throughout history. Will present in class to peers.

Speech & Debate - focuses on all aspects of public speaking: debate, argumentation, oration, acting. Will present in class to peers.

American Sign Language - basic vocabulary, grammar & some important cultural aspects

Managing Money with Math A - learn to create budget, use checkbook, manage investments

Managing Money with Math B - learn to complete tax forms, take out loans, use credit wisely, buy & insure a car.

Intro to Marketing - learn to successfully market products & use real-world situations to understand key business concepts.

Intro to Economics - fundamental economic concepts, microeconomics, macroeconomics, institutions, issues & the global economy.

Influence of Fashion on the Economy - focuses on the influence of fashion on management & merchandising

Sports & Entertainment Marketing* - Examine the financial and budgeting aspects of sports/entertainment marketing.

Computer Science 1* - algorithm development, graphics, modular programming, fundamentals of HTML Javascript & web page design.

Computer Science 2* - Microsoft Small Basic to develop programs in Python

Intro to Robotics - integrate technology, engineering design & mathematics LEGO robotic hardware

Keyboarding - develop speed & accuracy by learning the touch operation of alphanumeric/keyboard characters using the Microsoft Office Software Suite program.

Shorthand - focus on speed, efficiency & privacy of note taking for high school, college classes and business meetings.

**Indicates a course prerequisite is required*

***Performances and rehearsals outside of school hours are required*