




# Middle School to High School

Parent Night, February 17, 2022

# TONIGHT'S DISCUSSION

- ❖ Welcome to HIGH SCHOOL-Mr. Berg, Principal
  - ❖ School Counselor Reflections- Mrs. Sandberg
  - ❖ Reflections by Rovers (**Kelsie Hamrick, Peighton King, Carson Flowers and Caleb Cutright** )
  - ❖ Resources
  - ❖ Guidance Curriculum
  - ❖ Rootstown Rovers are Responsible, Respectful, Role Models
  - ❖ Encourage your child to GET INVOLVED!
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# Available Resources

\*Principal

\*Teachers

\*School Counselor

\*Coleman Counseling Services

\*Children's Advantage Social Services

\*NAVIANCE CAREER TOOL



# Administrator and Counselor Information

Dakota Berg, Principal ([berg@roversk12.org](mailto:berg@roversk12.org))-follow @Rtown\_Rovers

Kathy Sandberg ([sandberg@roversk12.org](mailto:sandberg@roversk12.org))-follow @Roversguidance

BOTH CAN BE REACHED AT 330-325-7911



# HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELING CURRICULUM


**FRESHMAN YEAR:** Welcome to High School/Get to Know the Counselor; November Naviance; Field Trip to Explore Manufacturing Careers; College Credit Plus Night; Career Day; Scheduling Seminar; ACT Bootcamp

**SOPHOMORE YEAR:** November Naviance; Maplewood Field Trip; College Credit Plus Night; Scheduling Seminar; ACT Bootcamp; Career Day

**JUNIOR YEAR:** November Naviance; ACT Bootcamp; ACT EXAM; Scheduling Seminar; Optional Field Trip to local college; Spring College/Career Fair Spring Field Trip; College Credit Plus Night; Budgeting Workshop; Career Day

**SENIOR YEAR:** College Admissions Visits to Campus; Senior College Hosts; Senior Advisory Committee; Senior Meetings; ACT Bootcamp; Adulting 101 Seminar; Financial Aid/Intro to College Night; November Naviance; College/Career Field Trip in the Fall; Optional Field Trip to local college; Career Day; Letters of Recommendation; Scholarships; Resume Workshop; Signing Day

# BEYOND THE TRADITIONAL CLASSROOM OPTIONS

- ❖ Maplewood--sophomore year
  - ❖ College Credit Plus
  - ❖ Electives
  - ❖ High School Clubs and Organizations
  - ❖ Music and Drama
  - ❖ Athletic Teams
  - ❖ Volunteering
  - ❖ Part-time Employment
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# Ohio Department of Education Requirements

- An Overview of Graduation Requirements for the Class of 2023 and Beyond from the Ohio Department of Education.



# Graduation Requirements

## Demonstration of Readiness:

12 Seals – Need 2 state or 1 state/1 local





# Graduation Requirements

## Seals:

- \*Ohio Means Jobs Readiness Seal
- \*Industry-Recognized Credential Seal
- \*College-Ready Seal
- \*Military Enlistment Seal
- \*Citizenship Seal
- \*Science Seal
- \*Honors Diploma Seal
- \*Seal of Biliteracy
- \*Technology Seal
- \*Community Service Seal
- \*Fine & Performing Arts Seal
- \*Student Engagement Seal

# Community Service Seal



- ★ 40 hours of volunteer service over 4 years of High School.
  - ☆ Independently obtained; not offered by the School District
  - ☆ Pre-approved plan
  - ☆ Include a summary of what will be done
  - ☆ Obtain a signature that this is agreeable by a designee from the organization
  - ☆ Minimum of 10 hours required at each organization
- OR**
- ★ 40 hours of work experience AND 15 hours volunteer service
  - ☆ Requirements listed above for volunteer hours
  - ☆ Paystub is required for credit to be given

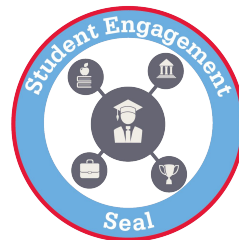
# Fine & Performing Arts Seal



Meet ONE of the following:

- ★ Earn 2 credits in Fine Arts w/ a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
- OR*
- ★ Participate in a minimum of 3 drama club productions
- OR*
- ★ Receive a “superior” rating at OMEA’s District 6 Solo & Ensemble Adjudicated Event

# Student Engagement Seal



Meet ONE of the following:

- ★ Participate in 4 yrs on a (school sponsored or non-school sponsored) team or club w/ 80% participatory attendance (Signature required by coach or advisor)

OR

- ★ Letter in at least 2 yrs of the same sport

OR

- ★ Be inducted into NHS for 2 yrs

*NOTE: Students who are suspended from school or suspended from their team for any period of time cannot count that season/year towards this seal.*

# Graduation Course Requirements--22 credits

- ★ 4 credits of English
  - ★ 4 credits of Mathematics
  - ★ 3 credits of Science
  - ★ 3 credits of Social Studies
  - ★ 0.5 credit of Physical Education (2 courses)
  - ★ 0.5 credit of Health
  - ★ 1 credit Fine Art
  - ★ 6 electives
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# Graduation FAQ's and Resources

[ODE's website](#)

[Seal Information](#)

[Math and ELA Sample items](#)

[Student/Parent Test Resources](#)



# Graduation Testing Requirements

The following courses will participate in End of Course state testing:

- ★ ELA 10
- ★ Integrated Math I
- ★ US History, Government
- ★ Biology
- ★ Each end-of-course state test is worth up to 5 points, a score of 3 is considered passing



# Freshman Class Scheduling

**Core Academic Courses:** *follow the recommendation of your current teacher!!*


- ★ English 9, Honors English 9
- ★ Integrated Math I, Honors Math II
- ★ Biology, Honors Biology
- ★ World History; Honors World History

**Additional Graduation Requirement Courses to Consider:**

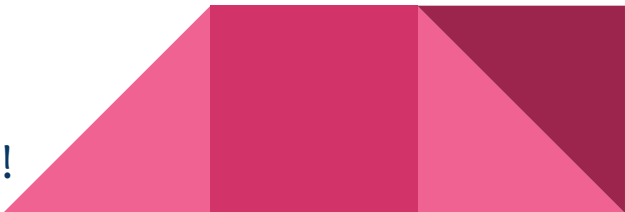
- ★ Health
  - ★ PE
  - ★ Financial Literacy
  - ★ Fine Arts
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# HOW TO SURVIVE HIGH SCHOOL...

- ★ More freedom, more accountability
  - ★ Held accountable for their behavior-especially when you cross the line...no swearing at adults, no fighting, no social media shenanigans
  - ★ Expected to learn from work; not just memorize but apply
  - ★ At least one hour of homework each & every night, more for Honors or AP Courses
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# HOW TO THRIVE IN HIGH SCHOOL

- ★ Come to school every day
  - ★ Arrive on time every day
  - ★ Find an organizational method that works for you, and use it!
  - ★ Do your homework every day
  - ★ Ask for help!!
  - ★ Get involved!
  - ★ Gain RESPECT from your peers, teachers, and administrators!
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Questions???

