



NHS SCHEDULING ACTIVITIES

CLASS OF 2026

GRADE 11

2023-2024

ACTIVITY	DATES
<u>Scheduling Assembly</u> ADV/3rd period	Monday, February 5th
<u>Research Classes</u> Review the Online Course Book, ask questions, and gather information	February 6 - 11
<u>Teacher Recommendations</u> English, math, science, social studies, foreign language, & any elective with a signature line next to it.	February 6 - 11
<u>Course Request WKST and Waivers</u> Turn in to Advisory teacher	Monday, February 12th
<u>Enter Requests</u> Students will enter requests during Advisory	Tuesday, February 13th
<u>Schedule Changes</u> Changes need to be made <u>BEFORE</u> the first day of school	February-August 2024

See your School Counselor, Miss Demeter, if you have questions and/or concerns.



Course Planning

The Nordonia High School curriculum contains a wide variety of courses. A descriptive paragraph summarizes course content. Specific prerequisites are also listed so that you know if you qualify to take a particular class. It is not always an easy task to decide which courses should be chosen and in what sequential order they should be taken. Course planning decisions must involve you, the student, your parents, your teachers, and your school counselor.

Many of the courses at Nordonia are open to all students during the four years of attendance, however some are not. Please pay particular attention to the grade levels listed that are permitted to take each course. Your teachers will recommend specific courses for you depending upon assessed academic potential and past academic records.

In February, registration materials are made available for students to use when selecting courses to be taken during the next school year. Your proposed courses for next year must be reviewed by your parents, teachers, and your school counselor.

It is important to stress the seriousness of February registration. The complexity of scheduling for a school the size of Nordonia requires an early and accurate collection of student course information. The careful, timely planning of a schedule, gives a student the opportunity to select courses they are best suited for and interested in.

Procedures for Course Registration

The following steps will be taken to schedule students for classes at Nordonia High School:

1. Group scheduling meetings will be held for all students grades 8 – 11
2. Individual conference with a counselor if needed.
3. Parent and student signatures are required on the course selection sheet.
4. Instructor approval is required for English, math, science, social studies, Computer Maintenance & Repair, Choir, Student Council, Library Ambassador, Yearbook, Media Production, and Band.

Schedule Change Requests

During the time between course registration (February) and the start of the school year (late August) students and parents may elect to change a student's schedule for the next school year. After the start of the school year, course changes will only be made if:

- 1) There is a scheduling conflict that cannot be resolved.
- 2) Changes are necessitated by failures.
- 3) Satisfactory completion of a course in summer school requires a change.
- 4) A technical error was made in the process of scheduling the student's request.

Schedule changes **after** the school year has begun are **not permitted** since a student's schedule is the result of careful planning by the student, their counselor, their teachers, and their parents, and critical staffing decisions were based on the student's course selections.

Changing Course Levels

A student may move from one course to a more or less difficult one within a discipline through teacher recommendation only. Students should first demonstrate that they have completed all homework and sought additional help from the teacher or tutor. The teacher may initiate a level change at any time during the semester if the teacher feels the change is appropriate due to academic misplacement, and after communication with the student's parents and counselor.

Early Release

Students who receive their schedules and have a 7th period study hall, may fill out the Early Release Permission Form and submit to the main office. This will allow them to leave school after 6th period. Students are not permitted to rearrange schedules for Early Release.

Class Placement

Students are promoted to grade levels based on the number of credits they accumulate per year.

SOPHOMORE	Grade 10	3.75 Credits
JUNIOR	Grade 11	8.50 Credits
SENIOR	Grade 12	12.0 Credits



**PROCEDURES FOR COMPLETING COURSE
REQUEST SHEETS
GRADE 11
FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR**

1. Complete name and telephone information.
2. Circle the course number in each required academic area as well as elective courses. Some electives may require a signature.
3. Juniors must take credits in each of the following academic areas
 - a. 1 credit English
 - b. 1 credit Math
 - c. 1 credit Science (typically Chemistry or Environmental Science)
 - d. 1 credit Social Studies (0.5 Government/ 0.5 SS Elective)
 - e. 0.5 Financial Literacy
 - f. 1.5 Elective credits (can be combination)
4. Scheduling Worksheet **MUST have a teacher recommendation** for all academic courses, foreign language, and any elective with a signature line next to it.
5. Both student and parent/guardian **MUST sign the Scheduling Worksheet.**
6. All students must be registered for at least 6 classes each semester.
 - a. **Students that are applying to CVCC should register for their 1st choice program and 3 full core academic periods (English, Math, Gov/ SS elective) at NHS.**
 - b. If your CVCC program includes an English or math course at CVCC, you should then request your last science credit within your NHS schedule.
 - c. If attending CVCC, you will need to take Personal Finance over the summer in order to attend CVCC in the fall.
7. Schedules may be changed by contacting Miss. Demeter before the first day of school. **Schedule changes after the start of school are not permitted.**
8. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Miss. Demeter: 330.908.6024, sarah.demeter@nordoniaschools.org

Athletic Eligibility Note: Students must be passing five courses each semester. Physical Education is .25 credit and does not apply toward eligibility. Please be aware of grades in order to remain eligible to participate in athletic programs.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

<u>ACADEMIC AREA</u>	<u>CREDIT NEEDED</u>
English	4
Math	4
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Health	½
Fin. Lit.	½
Physical Education (2 semesters)	½ (or PE waiver)
Fine Arts	1
ELECTIVES FROM ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:	4.5 or *5 (if use PE waiver)
Art	Math
Business & Technology	Music
Family and Consumer Science	English
Foreign Language	Social Studies
Health & PE	Science
<u>TOTAL CREDITS</u>	21

2. SHOW COMPETENCY

• End-of-Course Exams (AIR Tests)

- Students will take the following EOCEs: Algebra I, Biology, English II, Geometry, US History, Government
- Students need to earn a passing score of 684 on both the English II and Algebra I EOCE
- Students who do not pass the test(s) will be offered additional support and must retake the test.

If the testing requirements are not met, there are 3 additional ways to show competency:

- 1. Demonstrate 2 Career Focused Activities
- 2. Enlist in the military
- 3. Complete College Course work through the College Credit Plus Program
- 4. Remediation free ACT/SAT score
- More detail can be found at

<https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Ohio-s-Graduation-Requirements/Ohio%E2%80%99s-Graduation-Requirements>

3. SHOW READINESS

• Earn 2 diploma seals out of the 12 seals offered, criteria is outlined in the student handbook.

- Students must earn at least one Ohio designed seal
- More detail can be found at

<https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Ohio-s-Graduation-Requirements/Ohio%E2%80%99s-Graduation-Requirements/Graduation-Seals>

4. COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Students need to document 20 hours of community service. Hours can begin to be accumulated the summer after 8th grade (these can also be used towards the hours needed for the Community Service Seal in step 3).

**COURSE REQUEST FORM
CLASS OF 2026 / GRADE 11
2024 - 2025 SCHOOL YEAR**

NAME _____ **PHONE NUMBER** _____

LAST _____ **FIRST** _____

Directions: Circle the core course that has been recommended by your teacher. Circle the elective courses that you are requesting. Some electives require a signature/application from the teacher. If requesting a course you are NOT recommended for, please complete the Rec. Waiver Form.

ENGLISH

1720 College Prep English 11 (1.0)
1730 Honors English 11 (1.0)
1401 AP Eng. Lang. & Composition (1.0)
1403 AP Research (1.0)
1311 Film Study (.5)
1321 Drama, Perform. & Production (.5)
1461 Speech & Debate (.5)
1471 Creative Writing for Beginners (.5)
1472 Advanced Creative Writing (.5)
1473 Writing for Wellness (.5)
1900 Yearbook* (1.0)

*See Mr. Killian for app & sig

MATH/Computer Science

2110 Algebra II (1.0)
2115 Honors Algebra II (1.0)
2300 Mathematical Model & Reason (1.0)
2310 Data Science Found. (1.0)
2320 Discrete Math/Comp. Science (1.0)
2400 Pre-Calculus (1.0)
2405 Honors Pre-Calculus (1.0)
2408 AP Pre-Calculus (1.0)
2410 Honors Calculus (1.0)
2500 AP Calculus AB (1.0)
2502 AP Calculus BC (1.0)
2610 AP Statistics (1.0)
2130 Financial Algebra (1.0)
2620 AP Computer Science Principles*
2630 AP Computer Science A*

*Need a sig from Miss Fales

SCIENCE

3300 Environmental Science (1.0)
3305 Chemistry (1.0)
3310 Honors Chemistry (1.0)
3120 AP Biology (1.0)
3220 AP Physics (1.0)
3320 AP Chemistry (1.0)
3328 CCP General Chemistry I/II (1.0)
3500 Digital Fabrication (.5)
3504 Digital Fabrication II (.5)
3505 Innovation Lab Technician*

*Requires sig from Mrs. Nyzen

3501 Remote. Pilot. Aer Veh (RPAV) (.5)
3340 AP Environmental Science
3341 Human Anatomy & Physiology
3502 Honors Biotechnology
3503 Honors Biotechnology II
3115 Astronomy

SOCIAL STUDIES

4500 Financial Literacy (Grad Req) (.5)
4300 Government/Hrs Gov (.5)
4320 AP Government (1.0)
4420 AP Economics

4120 AP World History
4220 AP US History
4930 AP African Amer. Studies
4150 AP Human Geography
4400 Economics (.5)
4900 African Amer. Studies (.5)
4600 Psychology (.5)
4730 Women's Studies (.5)
4750 History Through the Arts (.5)
4800 Sociology (.5)
4810 Sports History (.5)
4820 War (.5)

ART

7111 Art I (.5)
7112 Art II (.5)
1160 Media Prod. for the 21st Cent. (.5)
7212 Jewelry I (.5)
7213 Jewelry II (.5)
7221 Drawing I (.5)
7351 Drawing II (.5)
7231 Painting I (.5)
7361 Painting II (.5)
7241 Ceramics I (.5)
7421 Ceramics II (.5)
7500 Digital Art & Photography I (.5)
7510 Digital Art & Photography II (.5)
7515 Digital Art & Photography III (.5)

*7505 Photo I AND Photo II - if taking both

*7513 Photo II AND Photo III - if taking both

7600 AP Art & Design (1.0)
9865 Adaptive Art* (.5)

*Requires sig from Mrs. Hostetler

BUSINESS/COMPUTER EDUCATION

6002 Personal Finance (.5)
6007 Careers in Sports (.5)
6100 Computer Applications (.5)
6420 Accounting I (1.0)
6440 Marketing I (1.0)
6450 Marketing II (1.0)
0015 Comp. Maint. & Repair I*
0016 Comp. Maint. & Repair II*

*Requires sig from Mr. Witschey

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE

8221 Foods with Flair (.5)
8251 Growth and Child Dev. (.5)
8261 Gourmet Foods (.5)
8271 The Science of Cooking (.5)
8331 Careers in Design (.5)
8351 Life Choices (.5)
8352 Life - On Your Own (.5)
8353 Leadership & Comm. Service (.5)

WORLD LANGUAGE

5110 French I (1.0)
5210 College Prep French II (1.0)
5215 Honors French II (1.0)
5310 Honors French III (1.0)
5150 Spanish I (1.0)
5250 College Prep Spanish II (1.0)
5255 Honors Spanish II (1.0)
5355 College Prep Spanish III (1.0)
5350 Honors Spanish III (1.0)
5450 Honors Spanish IV (1.0)
5160 German I (1.0)
5260 College Prep German II (1.0)
5265 Honors German II (1.0)
5365 Honors German III (1.0)
5000 Cultural Exploration (.5)
5010 World Travel (.5)

HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION

9681 Health (Grad. req.) (.5)
9650 Health Careers (.5)
9600 Phys. Ed. (Grad. req.) (.25)
9640 Recreational Sports & Games (.5)
9641 Team Sports (.5)
9642 Basketball (.5)
9643 Sports Officiating 1st Sem (.5)
9644 Sports Officiating 2nd Sem (.5)
9645 Walking for Fitness (.5)
9646 Net Sports and Games (.5)
9660 Lifetime Fitness 1st Sem. (.5)
9662 Lifetime Fitness 2nd Sem. (.5)
9691 Cadet Core (.5)
9680 Mindful Wellness and Yoga (.5)
9663 Strength and Cond. I (1st sem) (.5)
9664 Strength and Cond. II (2nd sem) (.5)
9665 Strength and Cond. III (2nd sem) (.5)
9666 Women's Stgth & Cond I (1st sem) (.5)
9667 Women's Stgth & Cond II (2nd sem) (.5)
9857 TeamMates*

*Requires sig from Mrs. Cornell

IMC (*only request with Mrs. Wojtecki's sig)

9700 Library Ambassador I* (1.0)
9720 Library Ambassador II* (1.0)
9730 Library Ambassador III* (1.0)

MUSIC

7025 Band
7030 Jazz Band
7030H Honors Jazz Band
7053 Choir (1.0)

CAREER BASED INTERVENTION

0510 CBI Class (1.0)
0550 CBI Work (2.0)

INTERVENTION(Req sign from Interv Sped)

9810 Intervention

Students that have applied to CVCC, for their junior year, register for your 1st choice career program and three additional core academics in English, math and social studies (unless your program lists an academic at CVCC).

JUNIOR CVCC PROGRAMS

0075I Archit & Manufact. Design I

→ Includes Alg. II

0053I Auto Body I

0092I Comp Network Acad I

→ Includes Alg. II

0064I Construction Trades I

0065I Cosmetology I

0061I Culinary Arts I

0073I Dental Assistant

→ Includes Anat/Phys

0059I Digital Design I

0083I Elect & Alt Energy Sys I

0062I Engineering Tech. I

0098I Fire and EMS I

→ Includes Anat./Phys.

0077I Graphic Imaging I

0071I Health Careers I

Includes Anat./Phys.

0077I Graphic Imaging I

0079I Heating & Air I

0087I Machine Tech. I

0089I Media Arts I

→ Includes Eng. 11

0086I Medical Admin Spec I

→ Includes Eng. 11

0095I Power Equip Tech I

0097I Prog. & Soft. Dev. I

→ Includes Alg. II

0047I Teaching Professions I

200I Sports Medicine Exer. Sci. I

→ Includes Anat/Phys in group

CVCC SPECIAL NEEDS

0210 Trans to Work AM

→ 0229I Job Training AM

0318I Sales & Serv. I

COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION PROGRAMS

0030I Build & Prop Maint I

0099I Hotels & Resorts I

0057I Transp. Systems

Please refer to the NHS Online Course Book for course descriptions and prerequisites.

Period	Area of Study	Course Name	Course Code	Credit
1	English			
2	Mathematics			
3	Science (CVCC program?)			
4	Soc Studies (Gov + 0.5 SS Elective)			
5	Electives: 1.0 Credit (0.5 Fin. Lit + 0.5 Elective) *CVCC needs .5 Fin Lit in summer!			
6	Electives: 1.0 Total or CVCC			
7	Electives: 1.0 Total, CVCC, or Early Release			
JUNIORS MUST HAVE A FULL SCHEDULE			TOTAL CREDITS	

Please list 3 alternative electives in case your first request does not fit into your schedule

Alternative Electives	Course Name	Course Code	Credit
1			
2			
3			

Parent Signature	Student Signature
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Recommendation Waiver Form

If you choose to request a course that was NOT RECOMMENDED by the current subject-area teacher, **you must complete and submit** this Recommendation Waiver Form along with your Scheduling/Course Request Form.

The course will not be scheduled until this form has been received. If you have any questions regarding this recommendation, please contact the recommending teacher for more details.

Sign and return ONLY if you choose to enroll in the non-recommended course.

I understand that I have not been recommended for the following course. Dropping this course/transferring to a different level course after the school year begins will result in a “Withdrawal Failure” on my transcript which is calculated as an “F” in my cumulative GPA.

Student name: _____ Grade: _____

Course name: _____

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

Student signature: _____ Date: _____