

Greenfield-Central H.S.

Graduation Requirements and Scheduling Process



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Effective beginning with students who enter high school in 2012-13 school year (class of 2016).

CORE40 with Academic Honors (minimum 47 credits)

For the **Core 40 with Academic Honors** diploma, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 2 additional Core 40 math credits.
- Earn 6-8 Core 40 world language credits (6 credits in one language or 4 credits each in two languages).
- Earn 2 Core 40 fine arts credits.
- Earn a grade of a "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- Complete one of the following:
 - A. Earn 4 credits in 2 or more AP courses and take corresponding AP exams
 - B. Earn 6 verifiable transcribed college credits in dual credit courses from priority course list
 - C. Earn two of the following:
 1. A minimum of 3 verifiable transcribed college credits from the priority course list,
 2. 2 credits in AP courses and corresponding AP exams,
 3. 2 credits in IB standard level courses and corresponding IB exams
 - D. Earn a combined score of 1750 or higher on the SAT critical reading, mathematics and writing sections and a minimum score of 530 on each
 - E. Earn an ACT composite score of 26 or higher and complete written section
 - F. Earn 4 credits in IB courses and take corresponding IB exams.

CORE40 with Technical Honors (minimum 47 credits)

For the **Core 40 with Technical Honors** diploma, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 6 credits in the college and career preparation courses in a state-approved College & Career Pathway and one of the following:
 1. Pathway designated industry-based certification or credential, or
 2. Pathway dual credits from the lists of priority courses resulting in 6 transcribed college credits
- Earn a grade of "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- Complete one of the following,
 - A. Any one of the options (A - E) of the Core 40 with Academic Honors

Course and Credit Requirements	
English/ Language Arts	8 credits Including a balance of literature, composition and speech.
Mathematics	6 credits (in grades 9-12) 2 credits: Algebra I 2 credits: Geometry 2 credits: Algebra II <small>Or complete integrated Math I, II, and III for 6 credits. Students must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year in high school</small>
Science	6 credits 2 credits: Biology I 2 credits: Chemistry I or Physics I or Integrated Chemistry-Physics 2 credits: any Core 40 science course
Social Studies	6 credits 2 credits: U.S. History 1 credit: U.S. Government 1 credit: Economics 2 credits: World History/Civilization or Geography/History of the World
Directed Electives	5 credits World Languages Fine Arts Career and Technical Education
Physical Education	2 credits
Health and Wellness	1 credit
Electives*	6 credits <small>(College and Career Pathway courses recommended)</small>
40 Total State Credits Required	

The image features a large, semi-transparent crest of Greenfield-Central High School in the background. The crest is shield-shaped with a blue and gold color scheme. At the top is an open book with the word "KNOWLEDGE" below it. To the left is a science flask with the word "SCIENCE" below it. To the right is a lyre with the word "ARTS" below it. At the bottom left is a globe with the word "CITIZENSHIP" below it. At the bottom right is a running shoe with the word "ATHLETICS" below it. A banner at the bottom of the crest reads "GREENFIELD-CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL".

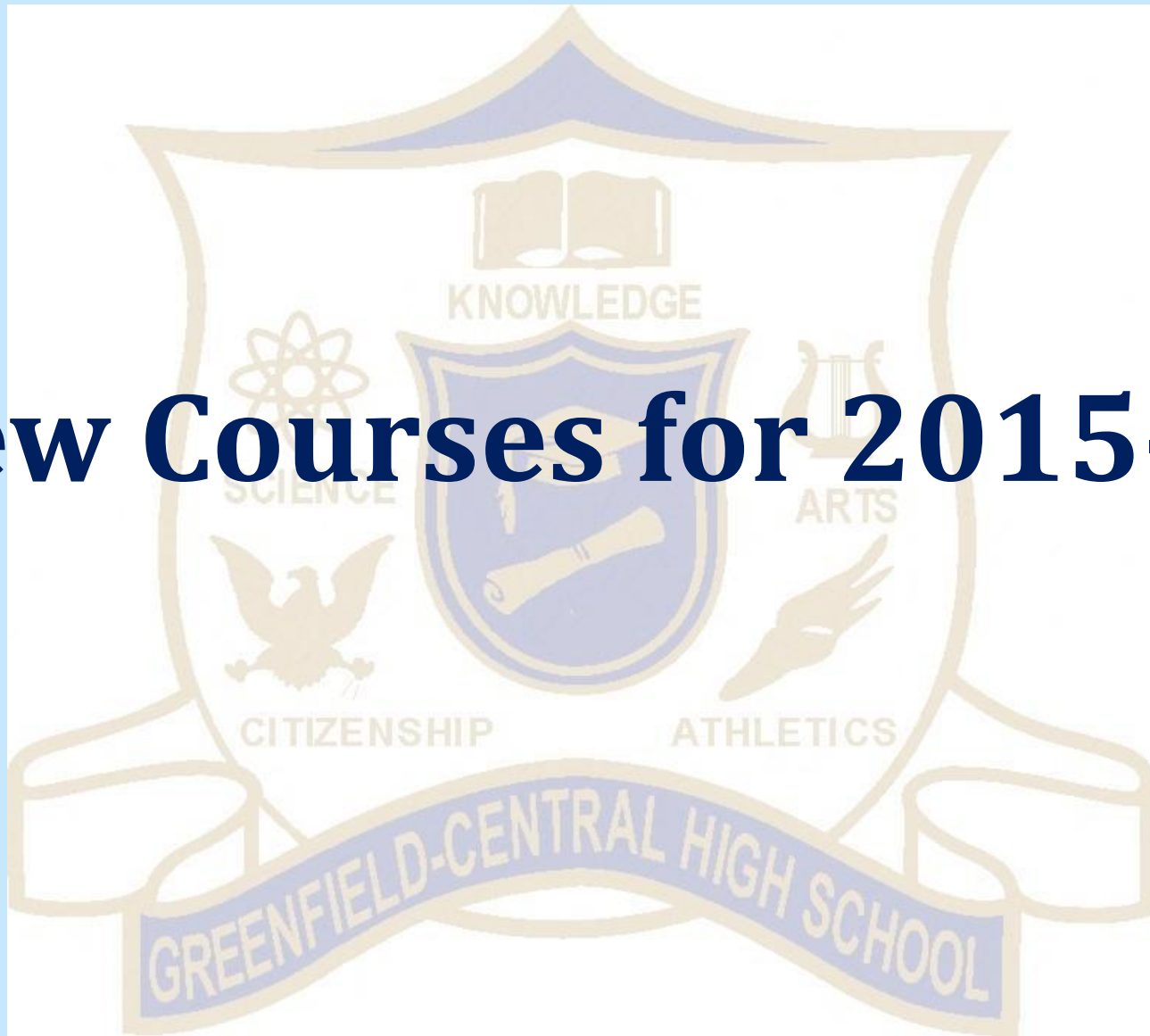
Additional Graduation Requirements

ISTEP+ Graduation Examination

- Algebra I End-of-course Assessment (ECA)/ISTEP+*
- English 10 End-of-course Assessment (ECA)/ISTEP+*
- **Indiana DOE is currently re-designing the graduation exams and some classes may need to take additional exams as a part of their graduation requirements.*

- All Indiana students are required to pass the Algebra I and English 10 ECAs currently in order to graduate.
- Students will have multiple opportunities to take the assessments.
- Waiver options are available, **but students must take advantage of remediation opportunities – Math Lab and Developmental Reading, if recommended.**
- Students are required to *take* the Biology I ECA, but a passing score is not required to graduate.

New Courses for 2015-16



New Courses at G-CHS for 2015-16

- Computer Programming II (first year offered)
- Novels (Contemporary Young Adult Literature)
- ACP Chemistry (Dual-credit with IU-Bloomington)
- Honors Chemistry

Course Changes for 2015-16

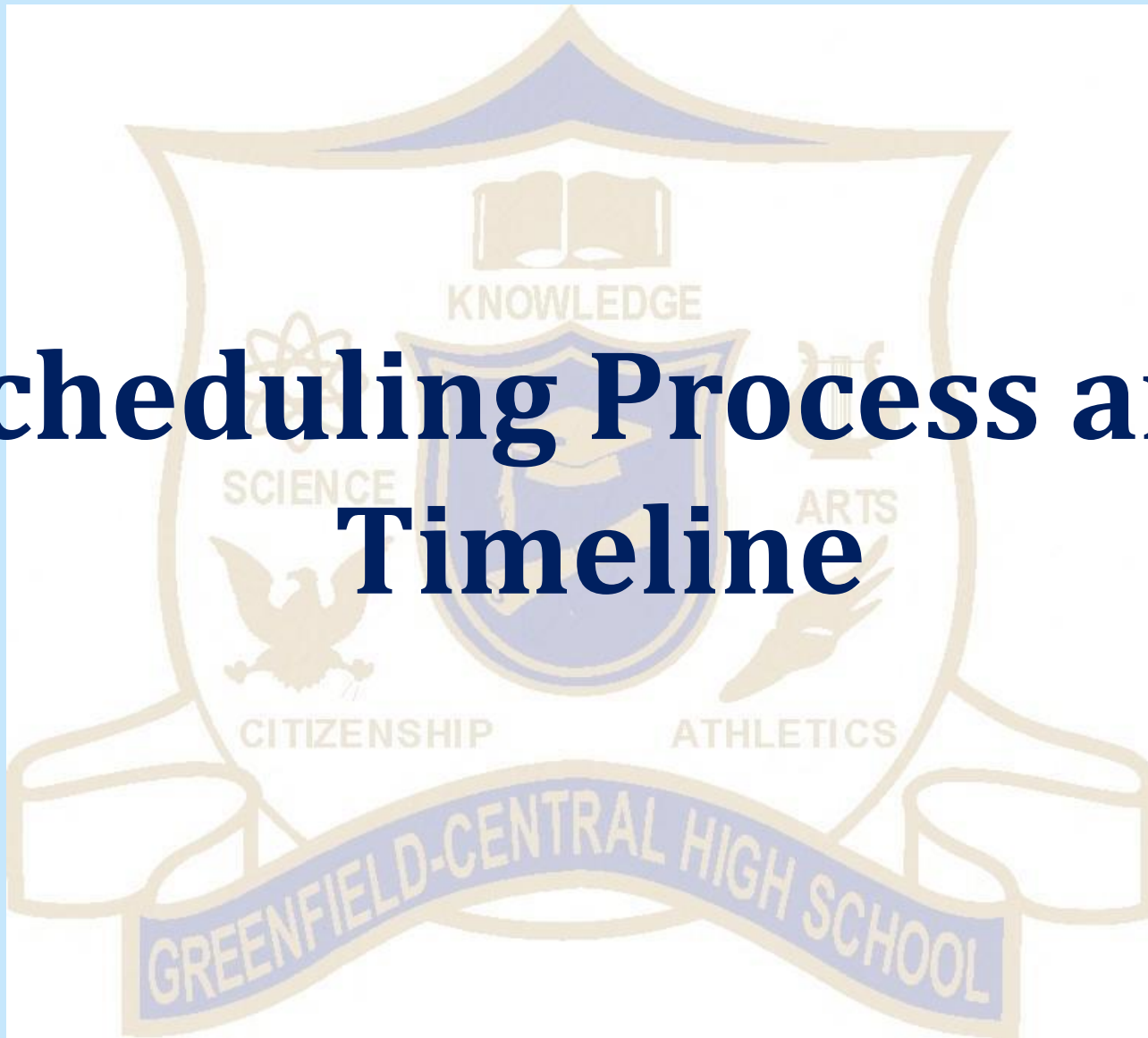
- Mass Media no longer counts as an English credit.
- Aquatics is now an elective PE credit unless you are currently enrolled or have already taken it for a PE credit.
- PE II now combines team, individual, and recreational sports.
- PLTW Biomed courses are now science elective courses.

Don't Forget...

AP courses are year-long courses. Please do not schedule an AP course if you do not intend to complete it (even if it is harder than you expected!). Also, please do not ask to join an AP course mid-year.



Scheduling Process and Timeline



Scheduling Activities

- Class presentations
 - January 26, 27, and 28
- Individual scheduling appointments
 - Begin on January 29 and will take place through Enrichment Blocks – students who do not have an EB will be called down individually
 - All schedules need to be completed by March 6

Please make sure you have your scheduling form and suggested classes ready on your scheduling day.

*****Remember*****

The 2015-16 scheduling guide is on-line and is available now. Find it on the G-CHS website!

http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us/?page_id=9905

Greenfield-Central High School Course Selection Form Grade 9

Student Name Printed _____

SS# _____

Current School: GCJH St. Michael's Other _____

Freshmen students are required to enroll in one math, one science, and one English course. Freshmen will select 7 classes to accompany an Enrichment Block. Please see the reverse side of this form for guidelines to help you select required courses and for a complete list of freshmen elective courses. Students should complete PE 1, PE 2 and health by the end of their sophomore year.

If GCHS should be awarded a Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) program, would you be interested in selecting it as an elective course?
YES NO

Diploma: please circle	Core 40			Ethnic Origin: please circle	Caucasian	Native American
	Academic Honors				Hispanic	African American
	Technical Honors				Asian	
	Semester 1				Semester 2	
ENGLISH	ENH110	Regular English 9		ENGLISH	ENH111	Regular English 9
	ENH120	Honors English 9	1		ENH121	Honors English 9
MATH	MAH200	Algebra		MATH	MAH201	Algebra
	MAH210	Geometry	2		MAH211	Geometry
	BUH200	Business Math <small>(by recommendation only)</small>			BUH201	Business Math <small>(by recommendation only)</small>
	MAH150	Algebra Enrichment <small>(to be taken with Algebra by rec)</small>			MAH151	Algebra Enrichment <small>(to be taken with Algebra by rec)</small>
SCIENCE	SCH230	Integrated Chem/Phys		SCIENCE	SCH231	Integrated Chem/Phys
	SCH100	Biology 1	3		SCH101	Biology 1
	SCH200	Biology 2			SCH201	Biology 2
	SCH250	Prin Biomed Science F			SCH251	Prin Biomed Science S
ELECTIVE/al ternate			4	ELECTIVE/al ternate		
			5			
			6			
			7			
STUDY	ADH006	Enrichment Block	8	STUDY	ADH007	Enrichment Block

List of Electives - Sample

ADH003	Credit Recovery F	BUH314	Business Law & Ethics F	FCH353	Education Professions 2 S
ADH004	Credit Recovery S	BUH315	Business Law & Ethics S	FFH100	French I F
ADH006	Enrichment Block F	BUH 316	Entrepreneurship & New Ven	FFH101	French I S
ADH007	Enrichment Block S	BUH343	Sports & Entertain. Marketing	FFH200	French II F
ADH100	Peer Tutoring F	BUH402	Personal Finance	FFH201	French II S
ADH101	Peer Tutoring S	BUH500	Corp Finance U of I #	FFH300	French III F
ADH130	JROTC F	EHH310	Adv Life Sci Foods F &	FFH301	French III S
ADH131	JROTC S	EHH311	Adv Life Sci Foods S &	FFH400	French IV F
ADH250	College Entrance Prep	EHH320	Adv Life Sci Plant F &	FFH401	French IV S
ADH300	Early Release F	EHH321	Adv Life Sci Plant S &	FGH100	German I F
ADH301	Early Release S	EHH330	Adv Life Sci Animals F &	FGH101	German I S
ADH303	Work Release S	EHH331	Adv Life Sci Animals S &	FGH200	German II F
ADH350	Career Start F	ENH110	English 9 F	FGH201	German II S
ADH351	Career Start S	ENH111	English 9 S	FGH300	German III F
ADH400	School Services F	ENH120	Honors English 9 F	FGH301	German III S
ADH401	School Services S	ENH121	Honors English 9 S	FGH400	German IV F
ADH410	Mid-year Graduation	ENH130	Journalism I	FGH401	German IV S
ADH450	Career Ex Internship F	ENH210	English 10 F	FSH100	Spanish I F
ADH451	Career Ex Internship S	ENH211	English 10 S	FSH101	Spanish I S
ADH500	Drivers Education	ENH220	Honors English 10 F	FSH200	Spanish II F
ADH501	Drivers Ed Class	ENH221	Honors English 10 S	FSH201	Spanish II S
AGH211	Horticultural Sci 1	ENH230	Etymology	FSH210	Honors Spanish II F
AGH212	Horticultural Sci 2	ENH300	Speech S121 &	FSH211	Honors Spanish II S

Summer School Options



Summer School

- Dates (as of today)
 - June 2- June 26
 - Courses being offered (must have at least 15 in each class for it to “go” as a classroom course)
 - Algebra I (F) & (S)
 - English 9 & 10
 - Government
 - Pre-Calculus (F)
 - Physical Education
 - Cougar Academy Courses
 - Many courses are available on-line through Cougar Academy
 - Students must complete on-line courses by Friday, July 24.
The drop date without a “WF” penalty is Monday, June 15.
- Courses are \$30 and you must pay at the time of registration.*
- Don't forget that you can re-take a course for a better grade if you received a D+ or lower.*

Questions?