

Rising 9th Grade Course Offering Information Sessions

New Kent High School
Class of 2027
January 11-12, 2023



High School and Beyond: the Connection

Which path will you take?

ENROLL

ENLIST

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STANDARD DIPLOMA

Discipline Area	Number of Credits
English	4
Mathematics	3
Lab Science	3
Social Studies	3
Health/PE	2
Economics/Personal Finance	1
Fine Art, World Lang., or CTE	2
Electives	4
Total Credits	22

In addition:

Successful completion of a Board approved career and technical education credential.

Elective Sequence

One virtual course, which can be non credit bearing. (Satisfied through Economics & Personal Finance class in 11th grade.)

CPR, First Aid, AED Training (Satisfied through PE 9)

ADVANCED DIPLOMA

Discipline Area	Number of Credits
English	4
Mathematics	4
Lab Science	4
Social Studies	4
Health/PE	2
World Language	3 or 2 + 2
Economics & Personal Finance	1
Fine Art or CTE Elective	1
Electives	3
Total credits	26

In addition:

Successful completion of a Board approved career and technical education credential.

Elective Sequence

One virtual course, which can be non credit bearing. (Satisfied through Economics & Personal Finance class in 11th grade.)

CPR, First Aid, AED Training (Satisfied through PE 9)

Verified Credits

Pass the class and the associated SOL test.

Discipline Area	Standard and Advanced Diploma
English Reading AND Writing	2
Mathematics Algebra 1, Geometry OR Algebra 2 (The student must sit for a math SOL at the high school.)	1
Lab Science Biology	1
Social Studies World History 1	1
Total	5

ENGLISH Sequencing

9

General

Honors

10

General

Honors

11

General

Honors

Dual Enrollment

12

General

Honors

Dual Enrollment

SOCIAL STUDIES Sequencing

9

World History 1

General
Honors

10

World History 2

General or Honors

World Geography

General or Honors

NOTE:

Students working toward the standard diploma are not required to take a history course in 10th grade.

11

VA/US History

General
Honors
Dual Enrollment

12

VA/US Government

General
Honors
Dual Enrollment

SCIENCE Sequencing

9

Environmental Science

If Environmental Science was completed in 8th grade:

Biology

General or honors

10

Biology

General or Honors

If Biology was completed in 9th grade:

Oceanography

Chemistry

Geology

11

Anatomy/Physiology

Chemistry

Geology

Oceanography

Physics

DE Biology

DE Chemistry

12

Anatomy/Physiology

Chemistry

Geology

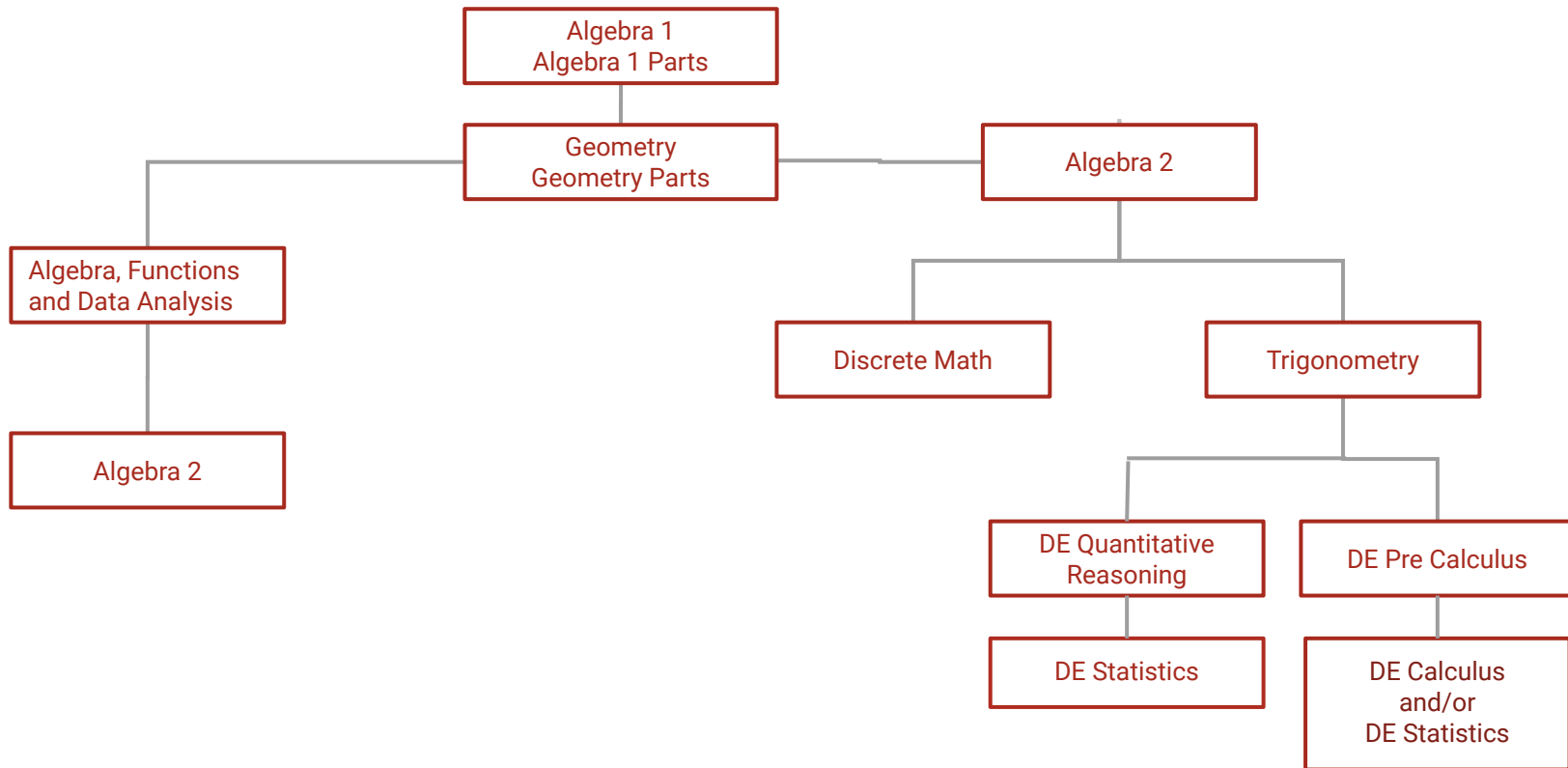
Oceanography

Physics

DE Biology

DE Chemistry

Math Sequencing



4 X 4 SCHEDULE

Day	Terms		1	2	3	4	5	
A	22-23	S1	Q1	Spanish I 5510B.20 Steele, Eric Room: B115 1(A-B) S1	TV & Media Production I 8688.1 Haviland, David Room: B112 2(A-B) S1	English 9 1130B.2 Layne, Kristie Room: A136 3(A-B) S1	Environmental Science 03003B.9 Ricardo, John Room: B126 4(A-B) S1	9th Grade Homeroom 00009.14 Janderwski, Rachael Room: A211 5(A-B) 22-23
			Q2					
		S2	Q3	Art I / Art Foundations 9120B.1 Allums, Elizabeth Room: ART2D 1(A-B) S2	Algebra I 3130B.4 Ganey, Kevin Room: B210 2(A-B) S2	Health / PE Grade 9 7300B.11 Bates, Maria Room: B124 3(A-B) S2	World History to 1500 A.D. (CE) 2341B.12 Farulli, Vincent Room: A203 4(A-B) S2	
			Q4			CPR/AED/First Aid PE9CPR.8 Bates, Maria Room: B124 3(A-B) S2		

DAILY BELL SCHEDULE

Doors open to students at 7:20AM

ATTENDANCE & ANNOUNCEMENTS (housed in 1st block class)	7:30-7:50 AM
Block 1	7:50-9:20 AM
Block 2	9:25 - 10:55 AM
Block 3 (lunch assignments based on 3rd block class)	11:00 - 12:55 PM
Lunch 1	11:00 - 11:25 AM
Lunch 2	11:30 - 11:55 AM
Lunch 3	12:00 - 12:25 PM
Lunch 4	12:30 - 12:55 PM
Block 4	1:00 - 2:30 PM

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

GET INVOLVED!!

Sports:

Baseball
Basketball
Cheerleading
Field Hockey
Football
Golf
Gymnastics
Soccer
Softball
Swimming
Tennis
Track/Cross Country
Volleyball
Wrestling

Clubs Include:

Art Society
BETA
Board Game and D&D Club
Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion
Drama Club
Eternity Club
Fellowship of Christian Athletes
Fashion Club
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)
Interact
International Thespian Society Troupe #7644
Literary and Arts Magazine
Yearbook
SCA
(Availability of clubs is subject to change from year to year.)

FRESHMEN ORIENTATION

AUGUST 2023

Date TBD

Usually held the Wednesday or Thursday before school begins.

Begin and end time. This is not a "drop by" event.

- ✓ **ALL incoming Freshmen and parents/guardians are strongly encouraged to attend.**
- ✓ **Students who do not attend orientation will receive a class schedule on the first day of school. There is not a make up session for orientation.**
- ✓ **Freshmen Orientation is typically held in late August, the week before school opens.**

How to contact your school counselor.



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**The School Counselors
encourage parent contact and
student meeting requests!
To maximize a parent's time
appointments are always
encouraged.**

***Welcome to New Kent High School!
We look forward to working with you and your family.***

9th Grade Electives

Fine/Performing Arts

Art 1-3
Ceramics 1-2
*Chorale 1
Craft Design 1-2
Drawing/Printmaking
Guitar 1-2
Introduction to Painting
 Painting 2
*Symphonic Band 1
Introduction to Technical Theatre
 Intermediate Technical Theatre
*Professional Music Theatre 1
Theatre I /Intro to Theatre
 Advanced Acting/Theatre 2

Please note:

All course offerings are subject to change as availability may vary.

**indicates year-long course, meets every other day; you may have a study hall the other day*

CTE

Digital Applications
 Computer Information Systems
 Adv. Computer Info. Systems
Electronics Systems 1
 Electronic Systems 2
Horticultural Sciences/Practices
 Greenhouse/Plant Production
Introduction to Engineering
National Junior Reserves Officer Training Corps. NJROTC - **New!**
Principles of Business/Marketing
 Sports, Ent., Rec Marketing
TV and Media Production 1
 Video and Media Technology

Other

French 1-3
Public Speaking
Spanish 1-3