
Registration Process

2019-2020

10th Graders
February 13, 2019

Registration Materials

- Every Student Should Have The Following Items:
 - A 2019-2020 Registration Handbook
 - *Optional*- Career Center Permission Form

Future-Ready Core Course of Study

4 Units- English (I, II, III, IV)

4 Units- Math (Math I, Math II, Math III and one additional math; ex. AFM or Pre-Calculus)

4 Units- Science (Earth/Env., Biology, a Physical Science and 1 additional science; ex. Anatomy or GSI)

4 Units- Social Studies (World, Civics, American History I and II OR AP US History and 1 more history course)

1 Unit- PE, Dance (or JROTC for PE II)

1 Unit- Health and Life Skills (or JROTC for Life Skills)- CPR training required for graduation

4 Units- Electives (ex. STEM courses and foreign language classes)

**Every Atkins student is required to select and complete a major/career cluster (4 STEM classes in a major completes a career cluster)*

*****22 Total Credits/Units Required for graduation**

Promotion Requirements

To be promoted to the 11th grade you are required to have a minimum of 9 units

Courses can be repeated in the place of elective courses

Credit recovery and/or summer school maybe options to repeat courses failed

Core Subject Offerings for Rising Juniors

English III- Standard, Honors, AP English Lg. (all offered at Atkins & CC)

Math: Math III (HN), AFM, Hn. Discrete Math, Hn. Pre-Cal., AP Cal. AB (Atkins & CC), *AP Cal. BC (Atkins & CC), AP Stats (CC)

** New course offered at Atkins*

Core Subject Offerings for Rising Juniors

Science: Chemistry (HN), Hn. Physics, Anatomy (HN), AP Physics 1 (Atkins & CC), AP Env. Science (Atkins & CC), AP Bio. (CC), AP Physics 2 (CC), *AP Physics C (Atkins & CC), GSI (for early graduates only) and Earth/Env. Science (HN)

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History/SS: American History I (Standard and Hn.--Atkins & CC), AP US History (Atkins & CC), AP Psy. (Atkins & CC), AP Hum. Geo. (Atkins & CC), AP US Govt. (CC), AP Micro/Macro. (CC), AP European History (CC), AA Studies/ Latino Studies Hn, 20th Century Civil Liberties Hn and Hn. Psychology

PE and Health

- *PE I or Dance IA
- *PE II or Dance IB
- PE III Weightlifting Hn. & PE IV Hn. Weightlifting
- Dance II (PE Lifetime Activities)
- *Life Management Skills
- *Health
- *JROTC (can meet PE II and Life Skills graduation requirements)

*Graduation requirements

Biotechnology/ Health Science Courses

- Biomedical Tech. I & II (HN)
- Biotechnology I & II (HN)
- Health Science I & II (HN)
- Forensic Science (HN)
- Principles of Biomedical Science (HN)

Digital Design and Animation/ Digital Media/ Game Design Courses

- *Digital Design and Animation I & II (HN)
- Game Design & Adv. Game Art Design (HN)
- Computer Science Principles (AP)
- Digital Media I & II (HN)

**New Atkins Offering*

Engineering Courses

- Introduction to Engineering Design (AP)
- Computer Integrated Manufacturing (AP)
- Digital Electronics (AP)
- Principles of Engineering (AP)
- Civil Engineering & Architecture (AP)
- Computer Science Principles (AP)

Other Elective Options (Yearlong)

- Spanish 1-4 (level 3-4 are HN and AP Span.Lg & Lit. at CC)
- Latin 1-4 (level 3-4 are HN and AP Latin at Atkins & CC)
- French 1-4 (level 3-4 are HN and AP French at CC)
- HN Yearbook, HN Newspaper and Creative Writing/Intro. Composition
- SAT/ACT Preparation & PE III & IV HN Weightlifting
- Band (Beginning, Intermediate, Proficient-HN, Advanced-HN) - Band IV Advanced is Wind Ensemble
- Art (Beginning, Intermediate, Proficient-HN, Advanced-HN)
- Chorus (Beginning, Intermediate, Proficient-HN, Advanced-HN)
 - Concert Choir IV Adv. is Hn. Concert Choir
- Orchestra (Beginning, Intermediate, Proficient-HN, Advanced-HN)
 - Orchestra Advanced IV is Hn. Symphony
- Theater Arts (Beginning, Intermediate, Proficient-HN, Advanced-HN)
- JROTC 1, 2, 3, 4 (levels 3 and 4 can be HN)- Block and yearlong courses

Other Electives- Blocked Semester Courses

- Art for Engineers
- Foods & Nutrition I
- Foods II Technology HN
- AP Computer Science Principles
 - Course can meet a STEM Major requirement for DDA and Engineering Majors
 - Student must have completed Math II and IED or DDA 1.

FTCC-Career And College Promise

- For juniors and seniors who are ready for college level courses in high school
- Requires student to have a 3.0 GPA, specific SAT or ACT scores or meet diagnostic assessment benchmark/score
- Student/parents are responsible for transportation, student fees as well as completing an application packet. At this time the WS/FCS will continue to pay for tuition and books

****If interested, please have a conversation with your counselor.*

Career Center Students

- All students who are planning to attend the Career Center must turn in a Career Center permission form. These students will also have a conference with a counselor to discuss logistics and transportation.
- Please do not enter any information in the Career Center logistics section of the class registration screen.

Recommendation Day

- February 15th (Friday)
 - Students will attend abbreviated sessions of both their 1st and 2nd semester courses (you will receive a copy of your schedule in 1st period as well as you can refer to your student portal to view your yearlong schedule). You can also view historical grades/prev. courses
 - Students will discuss their recommendations with teachers (you can also have discussions with your teachers prior to recommendation day)
 - Students will log on to Powerschool Student Portal and input their course request
 - By the end of the day, 4th period, you should have selected 7 credit hours (CC) or 8 credit hours (all Atkins) plus 3 alternate courses.
 - ***At the end of the online registration period, if you have not selected the correct number of courses your counselor will choose for you. So, please select 7-8 credit hours plus 3 alternate courses.***

Recommendation Day Schedule- February 15th

First Period - 2nd Semester
8:55 - 10:10
First Period "B Day"

First Period - 1st Semester
10:15 - 10:30
First Period "A Day"

Second Period - 2nd Semester
10:35 - 11:45
Second Period "B Day"

Second Period - 1st Semester
11:50 - 12:05
Second Period "A Day"

Third Period - 2nd Semester
12:10 - 1:45
Third Period "B Day"

Third Period - 1st Semester
1:50 - 2:05
Third Period "A Day"

Fourth Period - 2nd Semester
2:10 - 2:15
Fourth Period "B Day"

Fourth Period - 2nd Semester
2:10 - 2:15
Fourth Period "B Day"

Online Access to Registration

- February 15th - March 1st
 - Powerschool Parent and Student Portals open for changes
 - Changes must be made in STUDENT portal
 - Request can only be viewed in Parent portal
 - All changes **must** be submitted in student PowerSchool by 4:00pm on March 1st (student and parent access to online registration will be revoked at this time)

Meetings with Counselors

*Students and parents who would like to meet with a counselor should email their counselor to schedule an appointment. Counselors can also answer questions through email.

- Kenya Rocker: A-C ktrocker@wsfcs.k12.nc.us
- Lauren Higgins: D-L lhiggins@wsfcs.k12.nc.us
- Felicia Tubbs: M-Z fatubbs@wsfcs.k12.nc.us

Students can also make appointments with Ms. Shaw and Ms. Smith to discuss their course registration.

How to Access Student Portal Registration Screen

- On Feb. 15th, Go to www.wsfcs.k12.nc.us
- Click the Student Tab
- Click Powerschool for Students
- Log onto Powerschool using your Username and Password
- Click on Class Registration on the left side of the screen
- To input courses:
 - Click on the Pencil Icon for the corresponding subject (to the right of each subject)
 - Click the course you were recommended for or select the course you want to take
 - Click Okay
 - Scroll down and click Submit at the bottom of the screen
 - Please try to pair your block and yearlong courses (ex. 6 Block & 2 Yearlong courses)

**Although you are not required to, you're highly encouraged to view and consider the courses you were recommended for by your teachers.*

QUESTIONS?

