

Central Catholic 2024-2025 Freshman Forecasting



Welcome to Central Catholic



Welcome to Forecasting!

- Students choose classes each spring.
- Reflect on your unique plan and interests.
- Master schedule built on requests.
(schedule changes discouraged unless there are extenuating circumstances)



Si tiene alguna pregunta sobre previsiones, póngase en contacto con Edgar Ruiz en eruiz@centralcatholichigh.org, o por teléfono al 503-235-3138 ex: 1274

Freshmen Required Courses

•Theology I	1 credit
•English 1 Writing Seminar (1st semester)	.5 credit
•English I- Lit/Honors English I- Lit (2nd semester)	.5 credit
•World History	1 credit
•Math*	1 credit
•Wellness	1 credit
•Electives	2 credits

**Placements determined by department chair using NWEA scores, current placement & grades, teacher recommendations*



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Mathematics Sequences



Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
Algebra I	Geometry	Algebra II	Statistics or Precalculus
Algebra I	Accelerated Geometry/ Accelerated Algebra II	Precalculus or Honors Precalculus	Calculus or AP Calculus I
Accelerated Algebra I/ Accelerated Geometry	Honors Algebra II	Precalculus or Honors Precalculus	Calculus or AP Calculus I
Geometry	Algebra II	Precalculus or Honors Precalculus	Calculus or AP Calculus I
Accelerated Geometry/ Accelerated Algebra II	Precalculus or Honors Precalculus	Calculus or AP Calculus I	AP Calculus II
Algebra II	Precalculus or Honors Precalculus	Calculus or AP Calculus I	AP Calculus I or AP Calculus II
Honors Algebra II	Honors Precalculus	AP Calculus I	AP Calculus II

English Language Arts

Semester 1: English I Writing Seminar .5 credit

- ★ Summer & independent choice reading
- ★ Writing process (brainstorming, drafting, revising)
- ★ Six trait assessment (including technical skills)
- ★ Modes of discourse (argument, expository, narrative, descriptive)

Semester 2: English I Literature OR

Honors English I Literature .5 credit

- ★ Students in Honors will be selected based on demonstrated subject matter interest first semester and exemplary skill demonstrated on a timed writing task
- ★ All students will focus on literary analysis second semester

Summer Reading



All incoming freshmen will read **TWO** books this summer:

- 1 - *The Lemon Tree (Young Readers' Edition)*
- 2 - Any book of their choice that they haven't read before (any genre)

** If families need assistance acquiring the summer reading book, please contact pmordhorst@centralcatholichigh.org

Elective Options

Visual and Performing Arts

World Language

Science:

Biology

Technology:

Intro to Computer Science

Intro to Media Production

English:

Speech

Journalism

Other:

*Academic Support**

Study Hall

**Placements determined by CCHS department chairs using NWEA scores, current placement, grades & teacher recommendations.*

***Course descriptions found in PowerSchool and Curriculum Guide*

The Fine Arts

Performing Arts

Visual Arts

Music

Concert Band
(repeatable for credit)
Honors Jazz Band
Music Production
Music Fundamentals
Singing & Voice
Electronic Music I, II, III
Drum Line

Theater

Acting I
Acting II
Scene Study
(Repeatable for Credit)
Theater Production
(Repeatable for Credit)

Photography

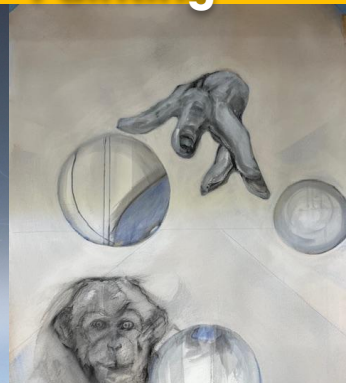
Photography I
Photography II
Photography III
Photography IV
AP 2D Design:
Photography

Ceramics

Ceramics I
Ceramics II
Ceramics III
Ceramics IV
AP 3D
Design:
Ceramics

Art

Art I
Art II
Art III
Art IV
AP 2D Design:
Drawing &
Painting



World Languages

Department Chair: Mariko Tokoyoda

Spanish—*Spanish I, II, III; Spanish IV: Spanish through Short Stories and Film (Dual Credit with PCC); AP Spanish Language; AP Spanish Literature; Spanish for Heritage and Immersion Speakers I, II*

Japanese—*Japanese I, II, III, IV; Japanese for Immersion Students I, II, III, IV (III and IV are honors courses)*

French—*French I, II, III, IV, AP French Language*

American Sign Language—*ASL I, II, III, IV (Dual credit with PCC)*

Math and World Language Placements

- If you are recommended for an accelerated course you can choose Algebra I. Also, if you are recommended to Algebra I, you can choose the accelerated courses.
- If you would like to challenge your Math placement or move beyond World Language level 1



Math and World Language Challenge Opportunities

May 1st, 2nd and 3rd @3:00pm
Sign up [HERE](#)



Placement Questions:

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Student Support Services



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**Students on an Accommodation Plan are assigned to a 4 year Support Coordinator by first letter of last name*

Forecasting in Three Simple Steps!

Step 1: Review reference materials on the website.

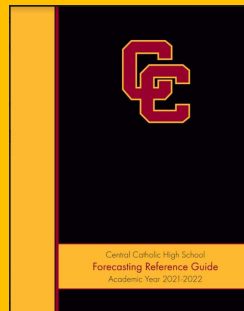
Step 2: Fill out the Forecasting Worksheet utilizing the 4-Year Plan.

Step 3: Submit your choices in PowerSchool and email your forecasting worksheet to your counselor.

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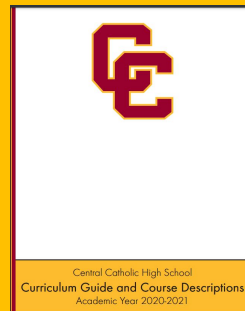
Forecasting Reference Guide

- Forecasting directions
- Advice from counselors
- FAQ
- General college admissions requirements
- Guide for a healthy and balanced student
- Sample 4-year plan
- List of courses



Curriculum Guide and Course Descriptions


- Graduation requirements
- D/NG grade make-up and retrieval policies
- Schedule change policy
- Future Honors and AP considerations
- Christian service details
- Course descriptions with pre-requisites



Step Two: Fill out Freshman Forecasting Sheet

Use this.....

(Keep for your own reference)



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FOUR-YEAR PLAN WORKSHEET


- Using your transcript, fill in the courses you have taken or in which you are currently enrolled. Identify the number of credits you will have earned.
- Fill in the courses you plan to take in the year you plan to take them and identify the number of credits you plan to earn each year.

Graduation Requirements	9 th Grade courses/credits	10 th Grade courses/credits	11 th Grade courses/credits	12 th Grade courses/credits	Summer/Evening courses/credits
Theology 4 credits					
English* 4 credits					
Social Science 3 credits					
Math 3 credits					
Lab Science ** 3 credits					
World Language 2 credits					
Fine Arts*** 1 credit					
Wellness 1 credit					
Physical Education 1 credit					
Technology**** .5 credit					
Electives 3.5 credits					
26 Credit total					

* Students must complete a thesis paper to graduate (junior year).
 ** Requirement is satisfied by courses listed in the Fine Arts section.
 *** Students must complete a course in Biology, Physics, and Chemistry to graduate.
 **** Technology credit requires students to pass the Introduction to Computer Science or AP Computer Science Principles course by graduation.

...to fill out this!

(Email to counselor)



CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
2022-2023 Forecasting Worksheet

Student Name: _____ Counselor: _____

Forecast	Semester One Course	Semester Two Course
0		
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		

Alternate Course Options (list in priority order)

Semester One Course	Semester Two Course

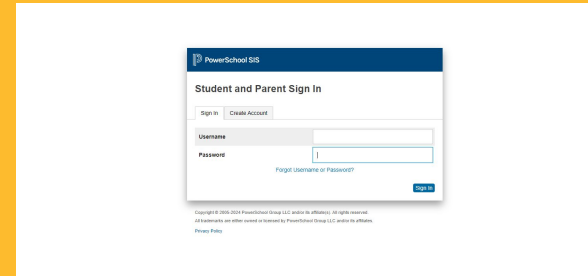
Notes: (summer school plans, courses to replace D or F grades)

Summer School Plans	D or F Recovery Plans

I have reviewed the curriculum guide and am committed to these course selections.
 Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature: _____

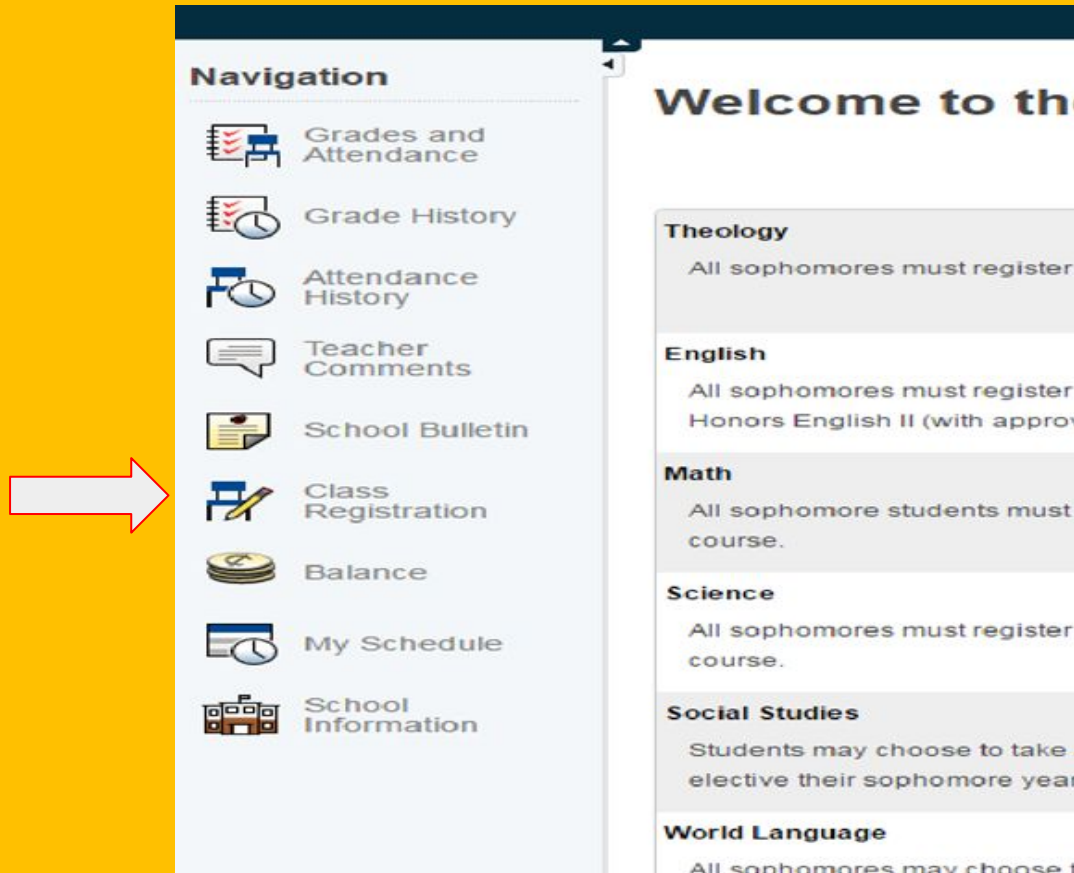
Step Three: Submitting your Choices

- Complete your forecasting worksheet to help you submit your choices on line AND turn into the counseling center.
- Log into PowerSchool to submit your choices. (Forgot your password? Ask for help from main office or Mr. Ruiz in the counseling center)
 - CCHS Website- Student Life -PowerSchool
 - Portal Opens **April 23rd**



YOU MUST SUBMIT YOUR CHOICES IN PowerSchool BY May 1st at 4:00 P.M.

Click on Class Registration on the left menu



The image shows a screenshot of a school website's navigation menu. The menu is titled "Navigation" and lists several options, each with an icon. A red arrow points to the "Class Registration" option. The main content area of the website is partially visible on the right, showing a "Welcome to the" header and several subject categories: Theology, English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and World Language. Each category has a brief description of requirements for sophomores.

Navigation

- Grades and Attendance
- Grade History
- Attendance History
- Teacher Comments
- School Bulletin
- Class Registration**
- Balance
- My Schedule
- School Information

Welcome to the

Theology
All sophomores must register

English
All sophomores must register
Honors English II (with approv

Math
All sophomore students must
course.

Science
All sophomores must register
course.

Social Studies
Students may choose to take
elective their sophomore year

World Language
All sophomores may choose t

Starting with Theology, click the pencil button

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Welcome to the Central Catholic High School Class Registration System for 2017-2018

[View course requests](#)

Theology All sophomores must register for Theology II	<div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 2px;">Theology II CR:20 - 1 credit The first semester is</div>	 
English All sophomores must register for English II or Honors English II (with approval)	Click the edit button to request a course =>	 
Math All sophomore students must register for one math course.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	 
Science All sophomores must register for one science course.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	 
Social Studies Students may choose to take a social studies elective the first or second year.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	 
World Language All sophomores may choose to register for one World Language Course. Two years (2.0 credits) required for graduation.	Click the edit button to request a course =>	 



Repeat this step for each of the courses

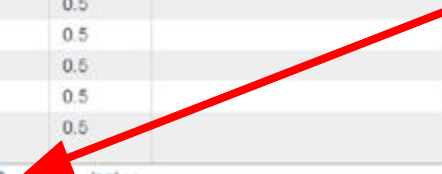
Technology/Business x

All sophomores may choose to register for one Technology/Business elective (5 credit of Intro to Computer Science is required for graduation).

<input type="checkbox"/>	Course Name	Number	Course Description	Credits	Prerequisite Note	Alerts
<input type="checkbox"/>	Accounting I	C8237		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	AP Computer Science	C8615		1		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Computer Aided Drafting I	C8525		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Computer Aided Drafting II	C8526		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Entrepreneurship	C8300		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Financing your Future	C8710		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Graphic Design	C8521		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Int. Computer App.	C8606		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Intro to Engineering	C8550		0.5		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Introduction to Computer Science	C8610		0.5		

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✓ You may select up to 2 courses. You have selected 0 courses.



** Some course groups may have multiple pages, if the course you would like is not visible, go to the next page.

Final Details

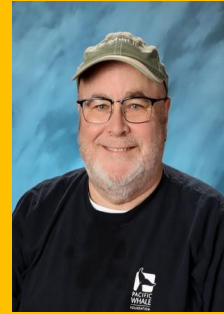
- Make sure that the courses you submit in PowerSchool match the courses listed on your Forecasting Worksheet.
- Submit course requests in PowerSchool and submit Forecasting Worksheet to your assigned counselor no later than 4pm May 1st.
- PowerSchool login questions, contact Counseling Assistant, Edgar Ruiz eruiz@centralcatholichigh.org.
- General questions, contact your assigned Counselor.
- Failure to complete your forecasting on time may impact your ability to get your first choice of elective courses.

Counseling



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