



Student First Name / Last Name _____

2022-2023 Freshman Course Selection Sheet Directions:

- 1) Refer to the BRHS website to view the 2022-2023 Course Catalog.
- 1) **ALL** freshmen must take English, Math, Health/Get Focused Stay Focused, and PE, which are graduation requirements.
- 2) Select the appropriate level English and math course:
 - a) All students should choose English 1 unless recommended for English 1X which requires an A in 8th grade English and teacher recommendation.
 - b) All students should choose Integrated Math 1 unless recommended otherwise by teacher. To take Integrated Math II a student must have taken and earned an A in Integrated Math I or Algebra 1 in 8th grade.
- 3) Select 4 additional courses. You need a total of 8 courses for the year.
- 4) List 6 alternates. These will only be used for the following reason(s): A course you chose is full, there is a schedule conflict, or course was cancelled.

Courses marked with an asterisk (*) have additional requirements. Refer to catalog for requirements.

Please select your courses carefully as these are considered permanent

STEP 1: Choose an English and Math course

ENGLISH <input type="checkbox"/> English 1 With teacher approval only: <input type="checkbox"/> English 1X*	MATHEMATICS <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated Math 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated Math II <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated Math II	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health/Get Focused Stay Focused <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Physical Education
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STEP 2: Select 4 more additional elective courses for a total of 8 courses. [BRHS Course Catalog](#)

SCIENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Biology (LAB) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics (LAB) <input type="checkbox"/> Earth and Space Science <input type="checkbox"/> NGSS Environmental Science <input type="checkbox"/> Forestry and Natural Resources <input type="checkbox"/> Life Science <input type="checkbox"/> Species of the Sierra Nevada AGRICULTURE SCIENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Science 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Ag. Biology & Sustainable Agriculture (LAB)	DIGITAL MEDIA ARTS <input type="checkbox"/> Online MultiMedia 1 (Journalism) <input type="checkbox"/> Publication Design 1 (Yearbook) <input type="checkbox"/> Publication Design 1 (Literary Magazine) <input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Graphic Design I <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Video)	PERFORMING ARTS <input type="checkbox"/> Beginning Guitar <input type="checkbox"/> BR Voices (Choir) <input type="checkbox"/> Concert Band (Beginning) <input type="checkbox"/> Symphonic Band* <input type="checkbox"/> Jazz Band* <input type="checkbox"/> Show "Pop" Ensemble* "Starlite" <input type="checkbox"/> Theater Arts (Drama) <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Live) <input type="checkbox"/> Dance 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance 2* (Audition req'd) <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance 3* (Audition req'd) <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance Performance Ensemble* (Audition req'd)
AGRICULTURE/INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY (CTE) <input type="checkbox"/> Ag. Mechanics I	VISUAL ARTS <input type="checkbox"/> Drawing/Painting Workshop A/B	READING SUPPORT <input type="checkbox"/> Academic Literacy*
COMPUTER SCIENCE PATHWAY (CTE) <input type="checkbox"/> Exploring Computer Science	WORLD LANGUAGE <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish 1* Advisory: B average in Math and English.	ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES <input type="checkbox"/> Film as a Visual Literature <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> Student Leadership*

Step 3: Select 6 alternates. You do not need to choose alternates for English, Math, PE, Health/GFSF

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FRESHMAN

SAMPLE REGULAR SCHEDULE

*English 1 *Math (Integrated Math 1 or Higher) *Frosh PE *Health/Get Focused Stay Focused Science recommended Elective Elective Elective

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SAMPLE UC/CSU TRACK SCHEDULE

*English 1 or English 1X *Integrated Math I (or higher) *Frosh PE *Health/Get Focused Stay Focused Science strongly recommended Spanish 1/Elective Elective Elective

BEAR RIVER HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

4 Years English (1 or 1X, 2 or 2H, 3 or AP Language, ERWC or AP Literature)	40
3 Years Mathematics (must include Integrated Math 1 or Algebra 1)	30
3 Years Social Science (World History, US History, Government/Economics; or AP World, AP US, AP Gov.)	30
2 Years Science (1 year life science and 1 year physical science)	20
2 Years Physical Education [1 year Frosh PE and 1 year of the following: ULA, Dance, Adv/Weights, Basketball PE (or play 2 seasons of a school sport which is equivalent to 1 year of PE)]	20
1 Year Visual or Performing Art or World Language or CTE (ex. any art, music, or theatrical dance class; any Spanish class; any Agriculture, Computer Science, Digital Media, or Tech Theater class)	10
1 Year Health/Get Focused Stay Focused	10
Electives	100
TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED	260

8th Grade Teacher Recommendations

Please have your student's teacher(s) sign off on the appropriate placement level.

1. English Placement Guidelines:

Teacher Signatures

****All students will be placed in English 1 unless recommended for English 1X.*

Academic Literacy (in addition to English 1):

By recommendation only. Class is designed to enhance and improve the reading achievement of students in English 1. The course involves the application of active reading strategies, vocabulary and grammar instruction, the reinforcement of basic essay writing and time for sustained silent reading. Individualized reading and writing remediation will be taught by means of Read 180, a district mandated reading incentive and support program. **Student's reading level is below grade 6.5**

English 1X* (Teacher recommendation/signature required):

This is an accelerated course. The curriculum includes additional works of greater difficulty. Students are expected to achieve an advanced level of coherence, unity and critical thinking in their work. **Requires an A in 8th grade English.**

2. Math Placement Guidelines:

Integrated Math I:

Algebra I with an introduction to geometry

Integrated Math II:

Pass 8th grade Algebra or Integrated Math I w/ an A or B

Integrated Math III:

Pass 8th grade Geometry or Integrated Math II with an A or B

3. Lab Science Placement Guidelines:

Recommended lab sciences for 9th graders are Ag. Biology or Physics. Note that all lab sciences are rigorous and require strong English and Math skills. These courses fulfill UC/CSU lab science requirements.

Ag. Biology:

A demanding lab science course. Students must have strong 8th grade math skills.

Physics:

A demanding lab science course. Students must have strong 8th grade math skills.

Additional comments by teachers and/or parents:

Parent

Signature: _____ Date: _____