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CLASS OF 2020 & 2021

DUNWOODY HIGH
SCHOOL
Parent Information
Night

Wednesday 11/14/2018 6:30 pm Dunwoody High School Auditorium

## **ADMINISTRATION TEAM**



Ms. Karen Williams Asst. Principal, Discipline-10th & 11th, Testing



MR. ANDREW JAMESON Asst. PRINCIPAL, CURRICULUM



MR. STACEY BLAKE
Asst. PRINCIPAL,
Discipline-9th & 12th, Athletic Dir.



Ms. Maria Jiram Asst. PRINCIPAL, ATTENDANCE



Ms. Priscilla Cole PRINCIPAL



Ms. LARRYSA HARRIS
Asst. PRINCIPAL,
Assessment &
Accountability

# Counseling Department



Ms. deRoux Counselor A-D



Ms. Carr Counselor E-I



Ms. Love Head Counselor T-Z



Ms. Harris Administrative Asst.



Mr. Hughes Counselor J-M



Mr. Ingram Counselor N-S



Ms. Jackson Data Clerk



Ms. Holloway Registrar

## **Welcome Parents!**

## **Meeting Goals**:

To help parents understand the New Process for Course
 Requests for the 2019-2020 School Year. In addition,
 information will be shared regarding graduation requirements,
 GAFutures.org (formerly GAcollege411.org), and the Georgia
 Milestones Assessment.

## Keeping up with School News/Activities

• DHS News – The most up to date source of information from the school is deliverable to your e-mail. Please visit

the following link to sign up:

http://www.dunwoodyhs.dekalb.kl2.ga.us/protected/ArticleView.aspx?iid=4P230&dasi=3GYB

• The PTSO Calendar is a great tool to utilize. It is online at the DHS website. In addition, information is shared every

day with the students during the morning announcements. Daily announcements are posted on the school website.

# Dekalb Mobile App



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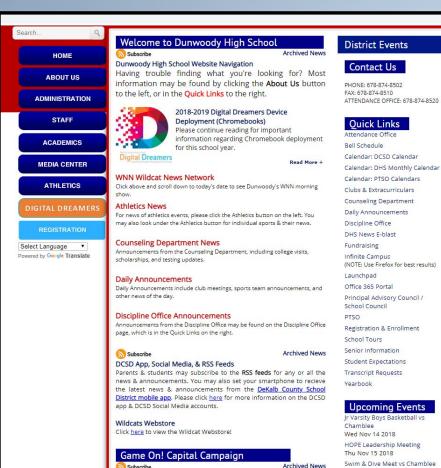
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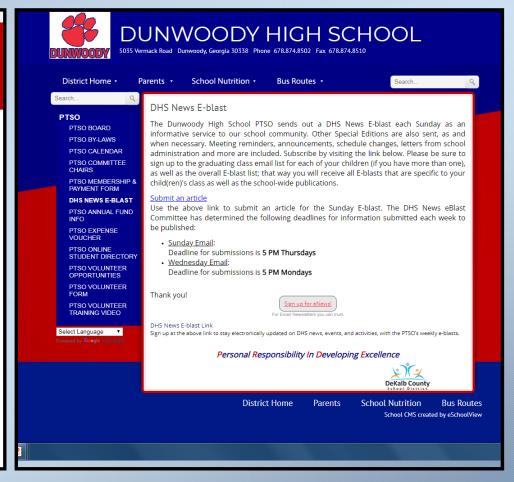




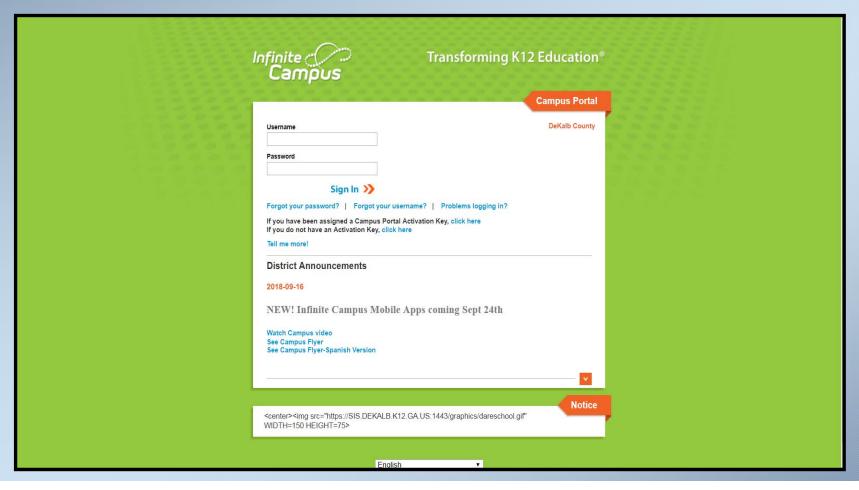


# PTSO E-Blast





# Infinite Campus Student and Parent Account



## Academy of Finance

# Mr. Fortenberry



## **Mass Communication**

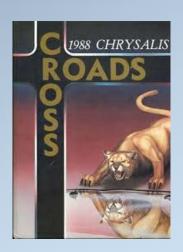
Tammy Wichman





## Academy of Journalism/Yearbook

# Mr. Paul Siegel











# DEKALB HIGH SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY-NORTH @ CKHS



Ms. Daniel, Assistant Principal, CTAE Department Dr. Huggins, CTAE Counselor

**A1** Author, 9/18/2018

## Georgia State University Dual Enrollment



# College and Career Readiness with GCIS



Speak with your counselor or teacher to learn about your school district's specific milestones to be completed.

#### 9TH GRADE

Save three (3) Occupations Review the "Individual Graduation Plan" (Course Planner) Review "Dual Enrollment" Opportunities (previously MOWR)

#### 10TH GRADE

Complete the Interest Profiler™ (180 Questions)
Take an Aptitude Assessment
Review the "Individual Graduation Plan" (Course Planner)
Review "Dual Enrollment" Opportunities (previously MOWR)

#### 11TH GRADE

- Save three (3) Postsecondary Schools
- Review the "Individual Graduation Plan" (Course Planner)
- Learn about State or Local Workforce Development Initiatives
- Review "Dual Enrollment" Opportunities (previously MOWR)

#### 12TH GRADE

Complete "My Next Step"

#### OTHER RESOURCES IN GCIS

- · Learn about Financial Aid and Scholarships
- · Learn about the Military
- · Plan for Life after High School

### Get Started

#### STEP ONE

Only one username and password. Log into your personal student portal provided by your school district.

#### STEP TWO

Click the SLDS Portal on your dashboard. (NOTE: The link name may vary depending on your student portal.)

#### STEP THREE

Click the My Career Plan image. [This button will take you to the Georgia Career Information System (GCIS)].

#### GET IT DONE

Complete, save, track, and report ALL of your college and career-readiness milestones in one spot!



# Graduation Requirements

All students must earn 24 credits to graduate.

They will have the opportunity to earn 32 on the block schedule.

Most classes meet each day for 18 weeks.

Classes meeting for 18 weeks are worth 1 credit.

Classes meeting for 9 weeks are worth .5 credit.

## **DIPLOMA CHOICES**

## Career Technology Seal

1 Unit of a World Language 3 Units in one Career Pathway 1 General Elective

## College Prep Seal

2 Units in the <u>same</u> World Language 3 Units in one Career Pathway or in the Humanities 1 General Elective

## Honors & Distinction Seal

3 Units of the same World Language

3 General Electives

3.5 Cumulative Grade Point Average

3.0 Core Grade Point Average

Class of 2012 and subsequent years

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STUDENT:			EAM/HOMEROOI		Date:	
CAREER INTEREST:				Contact Numb	er:	
DIPLOMA SEAL: Select type	of diploma sea			THE PERSON NAMED IN		Transition
		Ge	neral Educal Diploma (Check One)			Diploma
Courses	Students with Disabilities (SWD) Georgia High School Graduation Test (GHSGT) Required	Students with Disabilities (SWD) Georgia Alternative Assessment (GAA) Required	College Preparatory Seal	Career Technology Seal	Honors /Distinction Seal	Required course work determined by Individualized Educational Program (IEP)
English*	4	4 Access Courses	4	4	4	
Math *	as determined by the IEP	4 Access Courses	4	4	4	
Science*	4 4 <sup>th</sup> science can meet science or elective requirement	4 Access Courses	4 4 <sup>th</sup> science can meet science or elective requirement	4 4th science can meet science or elective requirement	4th science can meet science or elective requirement	
Social Studies* Rq'd .5 Am. Govt. 5 World Geography 1 World History 1 U.S. History ^ 1 Economics	4	Access Gourses	4	4	4	
Health/Physical Education .5 Health .5 PE 1 **	2	2 Access Courses	2	2	2	
Electives *** Humanities *** World Languages* Career Technology***	6 2 units of math support classes required "No Foreign Language as determined by IEP General Electives determined by IEP	6 Access Courses	6 "2 Units of the same World Language required" "3 Units of Career Tech in the same pathway required or 3 Units of Humanities 1 General	6 "I Unit of a World Language required "3 Units of Career Tech in the same pathway required 2 General	6 "3 Units of the same World Language required 3 General Electives	
Totals			Elective	Electives 24	24	
	24	24	24	24	24	
†Requires 3.5 Cumulative G **Core Courses **One unit may be exempt it ***Students are required to area of Career Technology the following areas: BUS El Visual Arts, Performing Arts, **All identified ELL students and/or WIDA Stundards. Lan Guide. **Arransfer students who ha another 0.5 CU social studie **Transfer Students who ha **Transfer Stud	rade Point Avera rough validated to select elective occur or CS, TE, T&I c ELA and Social: must be enrolled guage Proficience ve earned 0.5 C selective to mee- ve not successful	ge (CUGPA) and uill-year participat uurses based on i hree (3) units with or JROTC. Huma Studies. In an ESOL cour y Level. For app U for Economics t local graduation lly completed 0.5	ion in school spon the area of conce in the area of Hun inities include the rise. Course level proved ESOL delik have met state requirements.	Point Average (Co sored athletics, mentration with a manities. Career following areas: V placement must by proper models, please requirements; the	arching band, dan inlinimum of three Technology units Vorld Languages, pe made per resu se refer to GaDO erefore, transfer s	(3) units within the must be in one of +ESOL, Fine Arts its of the ACCESS E ESOL Resource tudents must take
elective to meet local gradua arent's/Guardian's Signatu		s.			Date:	
ounselor's Signature:					Date:	
tudent's Signature:					Date:	

## PE EXEMPTIONS



#### Approved Exemptions for Second Unit of PE

Course/Activity Exemption Recommendations\* (may be used to exempt the second physical education course requirement)

#### Non-State Funded Activities

Flag Squad\* Marching Band Soccer Wrestling Baseball Football Softhall Baskethall Step Team Golf Cheerleading **Gymnastics** Swimming Cross Country Majorettes Tennis Dance Teams\* Pep Squad\* Track Drill Teams\* Volleyball

#### Represents local school activities

State Funded Courses JR ROTC

#### Eligibility Recommendations to Exempt One Unit of Physical Education

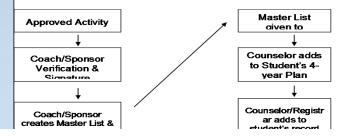
- The county will provide a verification form to all principals to give to coaches and sponsors at the beginning of each semester.
- Coaches or sponsors will verify student's participation by signing the PE Exemption Student Log.
- The coach/sponsor will compile a master list of all students who should receive exemptions. This master list will be submitted to the principal for approval.
- Verification forms must be submitted to counselors at the end of each semester in order to have them posted on the students' transcripts (see chart).

#### Criteria to Exempt One Unit of Physical Education:

- Verified units will be granted using the following criteria:
  135 practice or activity hours will be required to exempt 1 Carnegie unit of PE
- 65 practice or activity hours will be required to exempt 1/2 Carnegie of PE
- Activity hours will only be accepted for DeKalb County School System sponsored activities
- One unit may be exempted through validated full-year participation in school sponsored athletics, marching band, dance and/or JROTC, etc. A student who validates full-year participation in these school-sponsored activities may substitute one unit of credit in any other elective area for the second unit of Physical Education (Board Policy)
- Non state-funded courses/activities must have approved documentation
- Team Sports do not earn Carnegie Units and shall not be included in student's schedule

#### Procedure for Approval of Additional Activities to Exempt One Unit of Physical Education

Schools must submit a request in writing to Jennifer J. Powell, Health and Physical Education Coordinator, for approval for any additional activities.



#### **DeKalb County** P.E. Exemption Student Verification Log



	umber of Hours	Verifying Signature
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## **Promotion Policy**

9th to 10th 6 credits - 3 core credits and 3 electives

10th − 11th 12 credits − 6 core credits and 6 electives

11th – 12th 18 credits – 9 core credits and 9 electives

## **Making Up Failed Classes**

- Flex Academy/GA Virtual School
  - Summer School (online)
    - Retake the class

## DHS STUDENT BRAG SHEET



### DHS Brag Sheet

(Letter of Recommendation & Resume Worksheet)

- Please Print Neatly
- · This information can be typed on a separate sheet of paper

B			# of AP Classe	s Taken:		
If available) SAT	Reading	Math	w	riting	Total	
ACT	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite	
. Extra-Curr	cular Activities/ C	Offices held (no a	acronyms):			
. Work Expe	rience:					
. What three	words best descri	oes you and why	do you think	they are good	descriptors?	
. What has b	een your greatest	challenge or obs	tacle as a stude	ent?		
					unity?	
5. In what way		an impact on yo	ur school and/	or local comm	unity?	
6. In what way	s have you made	an impact on yo	ur school and/	or local comm	unity?	

# Assessment

1. **PSAT** - 10th graders are given the PSAT in October at no charge. 9th and 11th graders pay for the test (approximately \$16). It is given during the school day.

2. Georgia Milestones End of Course Assessment - (20% of Grade)

**9th Grade:** Literature/Composition, CCGPS Coordinate Algebra or Accel CCGPS Coordinate Algebra/Geometry and Biology

Algebra/ deofficitly and biology

10th Grade: CCGPCS Analytic Geometry or Accel CCGPS Analytic Geometry

11th Grade: American Literature and United States History

**12th Grade:** Economics

Create an Account

Sign In







and fill it out!



Federal Aid & Scholarships













https://www.gafutures.org/

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3tt6TsK9kh

# Course Catalog

Mr. Jameson Assistant Principal of Instruction

# Courses and Optional Programs

We have 4 levels in most core classes:

- College Prep
- Accelerated/Gifted
- AP/Advanced Placement
  - Dual Enrollment

# Course Request Forms

## Dunwoody High School 2019-2020 Rising 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Request Form All Forms are Due to the Front Office By: December 14, 2018

Parents: Please complete the top of this form. Student Name ID Number	
	-
Parent Signature Date	student.
American Literature: College PrepAccelerated/Gifted Co-Taught	[]
Or Advanced Placement Language	HIGH SCHOOL LEVELS
2. Required Math: (GSE – Georgia Standards of Excellence)	
GSE Advanced Algebra	COLLEGE PREP
College PrepCo-Taught	All classes at DHS are taught at a college
GSE Accelerated/Gifted Pre-Calculus	preparatory level.
Or Accelerated/Gifted	This is for students who want a more
Advanced Placement Calculus:Calculus ABCalculus BC (Prerequisite AP Calculus AB)	rigorous class and are extremely
3. Required Science:	strong in the subject area.
Physics 1: College PrepAccelerated/Gifted Co-Taught Or	CO-TAUGHT
Advanced Placement Physics 1 Advanced Placement Physics 2 (Prerequisite AP Physics 1)  Chemistry: College Prep Accelerated/Gifted Co-Taught	This is for students who have an IEP.
(For students who took Biology in 10th Grade)	ADVANCED PLACEMENT
Required Social Studies:     United States History: College Prep Accelerated/Gifted Co-Taught     Or     Advanced Placement US History	The curriculum is college level and developed by College Board.
Advanced Placement Course Expectations Acknowledgement:  Student and Parent initials below indicate understanding and agreement with the following:  / AP course cannot be dropped once it has been placed on the student's	
schedule.	d ee.

#### Academic Levels:

College Prep

Accelerated/Gifted

Co-Taught

**ESOL** 

\*Complete Form Each Year

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nt Signature eachers: Please initial on the line in fro	Date ont of each course that you recommend for this s	tudent.
	in application to Georgia State Perimeter College	
Required English:		,
British Literature: College Prep _	Accelerated/Gifted Co-Taught	HIGH SCHOOL LEVELS
	Dual Enrollment English	
Required Math: (GSE – Georgia Standa	ards of Excellence)	COLLEGE PREP
GSE Pre-Calculus	GSE Pre-Calculus Co-Taught	All classes at DHS
Advanced Decision Making	Advanced Decision Making Co-Taught	are taught at a college
Calculus	Advanced Placement Statistics	preparatory level.  ACCELERATED/GIFTED
Dual Enrollment Math	Advanced Placement Calculus AB	This is for students
Advanced Placement Calculus E Multivariable Calculus	3C (Prerequisite AP Calculus AB)	who want a more rigorous class and are extremely strong in the
Required Science: (only one class req	uired)	subject area.
Oceanography	Oceanography Co-Taught	CO-TAUGHT
AP Environmental Science	Physics	This is for students who have an IEP.
AP Computer Science	Human Anatomy/Physiology	ADVANCED PLACEMENT
Dual Enrollment Science Required Social Studies:	AP Biology	The curriculum is
Economics: College Prep	Co-Taught	college level and developed by College Board.
OrAdvanced Placement Macroeco	nomics Dual Enrollment	
Advanced Placement Course Expecta	tions Acknowledgement:	1
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## World Languages and Pathway Courses

Elective Courses:		
Spanish I	_	Spanish I (Co-Taught)
Native Speaki		Spanish for Native Spanish Speakers
Spanish II	Spanish II (Co-Taught)	Spanish III
Spanish IV	Spanish V	Spanish VI
AP Spanish L		AP Spanish Literature
Latin I		Latin III
Latin IV	AP Latin	
French I		French III French IV
French V	AP French	
German II	German III	German IV
German V	AP German	
Band	Chorus	Orchestra
Drama	Visual Arts	AP Music Theory
AP Human G	eography	AP Government and Politics
AP European	History	AP Psychology
AP Statistics	 	AP Biology
AP Compara	tive Government	AP Environmental Science
Constitution		SAT PREP
Writer's Wo		Study Skills (IEP Required)
Physical Edu	cation I	Physical Conditioning
Exercise Wei	ight Control (Yoga)	
Air Force JRC		Digital Technology Pathway
Early Childho	ood Eduction Pathway	Food & Nutrition Pathway
Engineering	Pathway (one course per year allowed	d)Interior Design Pathway
Work-Based	Learning (Check if interested)	Cross Keys (Check if interested
Fernbank Sc	ience Center	
(Application:	s available via fernbank.edu)	
Academy Of Finance	listed below require an applicat ce (One Finance Academy Course my Courses & AP Macroeconomo ortenberry	e Required Junior Year/
	Communication ** Please see M	rs. Wichman
Academy of Journa	alism (Includes Yearbook/Newspa	aper)** Please see Mr. Siegel se select 2 additional elective courses
		se select 2 additional elective courses
pending acceptance	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	FOR OFFICE L	JSE ONLY:

Please number your request in order - 1st choice, 2nd choice, 3rd choice, 4th choice, 5th choice,

Elective Courses:					
	Spanish I	Spanish I (Co-Taught)			
	Native Speaking Spanish I	Spanish for Native Spanish Speakers I			
		Spanish III			
	Spanish IVSpanish V	Spanish VI			
	AP Spanish Language	AP Spanish Literature			
	Latin II	Latin III			
	Latin IV AP Latin				
	French II	French III French IV			
	French V AP French				
	German II German III	German IV German V			
	AP German				
	Band Chorus	Orchestra			
	Drama Visual Arts	AP Music Theory			
	AP Human Geography	AP Government and Politics			
	AP European History	AP Psychology			
	AP Statistics	AP Biology			
	AP Comparative Government	AP Environmental Science SAT PREP			
	Constitutional Theory				
	Writer's Workshop	Study Skills (IEP Required)			
	Physical Education I	Physical Conditioning			
	Exercise Weight Control (Yoga)				
	Air Force JROTC Pathway	Digital Technology Pathway			
	Teaching as a Profession Pathway	Nutrition Wellness Pathway			
	Engineering Pathway (one course per year allow				
	Work-Based Learning (Check if interested)	Cross Keys (Check if interested)			
	Fernbank Science Center	Cross Reys (check if interested)			
	(Applications available via fernbank.edu)				
	Academy Of Finance** (Three Finance Academy Courses are required and cannot be dropped. AP Macroeconomics is also Required Senior Year.) Please see Mr. Fortenberry				
	Academy of Mass Communication** Please see Mrs. Wichman				
	Academy of Journalism (Includes Yearbook/Newspaper)** Please see Mr. Siegel				
	** These programs listed above require an application.				
	FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:				
	Gifted Services Special Education Services ESOL Services				

# One Final Thought

Parents: Please remind your student that life is not a competition. Each of us is on our own journey. Choose classes and make choices according to their own abilities, values, principles.



## WE ARE ONE!!!



Have A Safe & Restful Evening