

REGISTRATION

2020-21 School Year

Parent Information Night

February 18, 2020

WELCOME!

Graduation Requirements

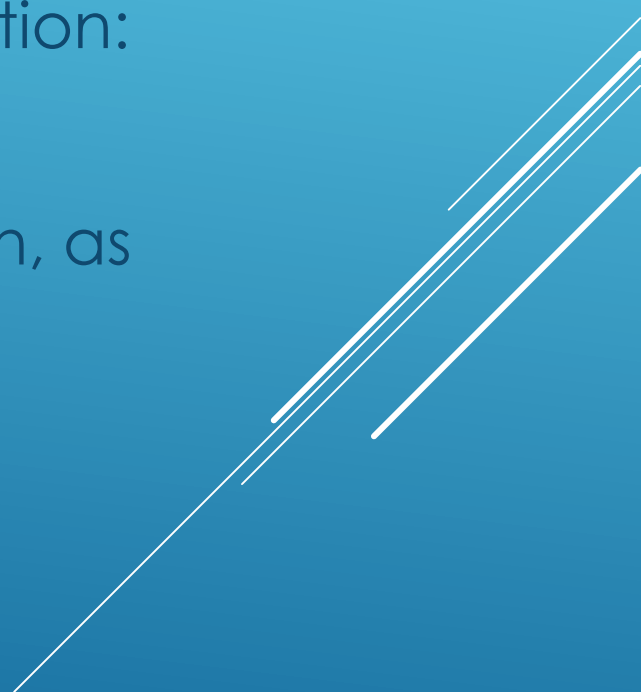
Programs Available

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Graduation Requirements

- ▶ Requirements are now the same for all grade levels.
 - ▶ There are 3 areas students need to satisfy for graduation:
 1. Earn 24 credits in required areas.
 2. Meet a Graduation Pathway in ELA & Math, as determined by Washington State
 3. Complete a High School and Beyond Plan.
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1. CREDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

English	4 credits
Math (Algebra, Geometry, Algebra 3-4)	3 credits
Science	3 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
.5 Health & 1.5 Physical Ed	2 credits
Art * 1 credit can be personal pathway credit	2 credits
Occupational (Must include .5 Financial Lit)	1 credit
Foreign Language *or 2 Personal Pathway	2 credits
Electives	4 credits
TOTAL = 24 credits	

2. MEET A WASHINGTON STATE “PATHWAY” REQUIREMENT

1. Satisfy a WA State English Language Arts Pathway
 2. Satisfy a WA State Math pathway
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WAYS TO MEET THE GRADUATION 'PATHWAYS' REQUIREMENT

1. Pass the WA state SBA testing in Math & ELA
2. Earn a “passing” score on the ACT w/ Writing or SAT w/ writing (score set by WA state)
3. Take and pass a college level English &/or college level Math class
4. Take and pass an AP English or AP Math class
5. Take and pass the ASVAB, if your career path is the military
6. Earn a 3 + score on an English &/or Math AP test (Also IB or Cambridge International)
7. Earn 2 credits in an approved CTE course sequence that is aligned with your HSBP.

Career and Technical Education (CTE) Pathways

In order for a student to meet the requirements of the CTE Graduation Pathway, students must complete a sequence of CTE courses which align with the student's High School and Beyond Plan.

To meet this pathway students:

Complete a 2-credit sequence of courses that meet the following minimum criteria:

- ▶ Leads to a state or nationally recognized industry certificate or credential or allow students to earn dual credit through CTE Dual Credit, Advanced Placement, or other agreement or program.
- ▶ Be comprised of a sequence of multiple courses that are technically intensive and rigorous.
- ▶ Lead to workforce entry, a state or nationally approved apprenticeship, or postsecondary education in a related field.
- ▶ The sequence of courses may be in a single CTE program area or in more than one program area (more than one program areas sequences must be approved by local school board, or CTE advisory and OSPI).

Career and Technical Education Pathways CONT'D..

Pasco School District's Local CTE Advisory Board has approved several CTE course sequences in the following areas:

- **Computer Applications**
- **Family and Consumer Science**
- **Skilled and Technical (Welding, Construction)**
- **Business and Marketing**
- **Agriculture**

PSD approved CTE course sequences will be posted on-line ASAP.

3. COMPLETE A HIGH SCHOOL AND BEYOND PLAN

- ▶ PSD will be using WOIS to track and complete student's HSBP
- ▶ Students already have a link to WOIS on their PSD laptop
- ▶ Activities students will need to complete on WOIS for their HSBP will include: a career interest survey, identify educational goals, identify career goals, complete a current resume, complete a high school course taking plan, review information about the FAFSA & a parent signature. (A complete list of required HSBP activities will be set by PSD soon.)
- ▶ Many of these activities will be completed during our Advisory times that are built into our school year schedule.

PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES TO CONSIDER

1. STEM/MESA All Grades Pg. 54 Guidebook
2. AVID All Grades Pg. 53 Guidebook
3. Pasco High School CTE Courses (Woods, Metals, Auto, Construction Trades)
10th – 12th Grades Pg. 34 Guidebook
4. Tri Tech 11th & 12 Grades See TriTech Web site.
5. College in the High School Pg. 4 Guidebook, Information Night March 2
6. Running Start 11th & 12 Grades Information Night March 2
7. IPal Online Courses All grades Pg. 59 Guidebook

INTERESTED IN APPLYING TO TRI TECH?

- ▶ Go to Tri Tech's web page to read about the programs they offer; tritech.ksd.org – there is a link on the CHS Counselor page.
- ▶ 10th and 11th grade students need to apply now! Apply on-line, the link is on the TriTech web page.
CHS has a limited number of spots.
- ▶ Students need to have room in their schedule for Tri Tech. Tri Tech takes up 3 class hours every trimester & students only earn 3 credits per year at tri tech – 6 credits vs 7.5 @ CHS
- ▶ Every student who successfully completes a year long Tri Tech program will have met their graduation “pathway” requirement for both English and Math.

EARNING COLLEGE CREDIT WHILE STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL

- ▶ Advanced placement classes

Passing a subject AP test with a score of 3, 4 or 5. Classes with AP in the title are designed to prepare students for the spring AP testing.

- ▶ College In the high school through CWU

Students enrolling in College in the High School courses may have the opportunity to earn college credits by qualifying for the CWU class. Students who pass the Accuplacer or ALEKS test have the opportunity to be dual enrolled in a CWU class and a CHS class. Information night March 2.

- ▶ Running Start


Students who qualify for the Running Start Program are able to enroll in college courses held at CBC or WSU. There will be an info. meeting March 2 for interested students.

- ▶ Tech prep

Students earning at least an 85% in certain Chiawana CTE courses may be eligible for college credit through CBC.

PLANNING ON GOING DIRECTLY TO A 4-YEAR UNIVERSITY AFTER HIGH SCHOOL?

To apply to a 4-year university students need to meet these College Academic Distribution Requirements (CADRs) while in high school (the minimum):

- ▶ English 4 credits
 - ▶ Math (Alg 1-2, Geo 1-2, Alg 3-4) 3 credits
 - ▶ Sr. Year Quantitative Math 1 credit
 - ▶ Science 2-3 credits
 - ▶ Social studies 3 credits
 - ▶ World languages 2 credits
 - ▶ Art 1-2 credits
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NCAA CLEARINGHOUSE

- ▶ For students who may play a sport in college, you will need to register with the NCAA clearinghouse during your Junior Year.
- ▶ NCAA requires 16 core credits be taken during high school (English, Math, Social Studies, Science, and Foreign Language) NOT all our CHS classes count for NCAA.
- ▶ Take the SAT or ACT
- ▶ For more information you can go to ncaaclearinghouse.org (link on our CHS counselor page)

REGISTRATION PROCESS

1. Students will complete a credit check in advisory.
2. Consider program options students may want to enroll in.
3. Look through PSD course guidebook, it is available online – link on counselor web page.
4. Students are asked to fill out a registration “worksheet” prior to meeting with counselors. Worksheets are available on-line- link on counselor’s web page.
5. Counselors will meet with students and walk them through the on-line registration process:
 - 11th Grade - US History classes Feb. 24-28 & March 16-20
 - 10th Grade - Students will receive an invitation to meet with counselors in
Library week of March 16-20
 - 9th Grade - Counselors will go to 9th Grade math classes Feb 24-28.
6. All student course requests are due by March 20.
7. Adjustments made later for those students who qualify for Running Start or get a TriTech spot.

RESOURCES

OSPI <https://www.k12.wa.us/student-success/graduation/graduation-requirements>

Counselor's Web Page <https://www.psd1.org/domain/1500>

PSD Course Guidebook

Student Registration Worksheets

SAT/ACT Sign Up Link

FAFSA Link

NCAA Clearinghouse Web Page

Tri Tech Web Page <https://tritech.ksd.org/>