



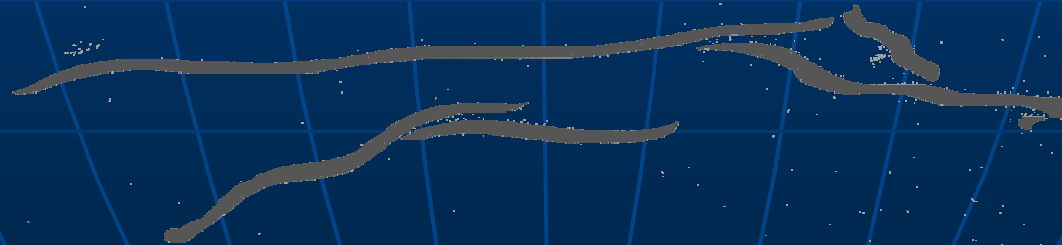
Welcome Parents!

02/23/10



High School Schedule

- Change from Five Period Trimester to Six Period Semester based schedule
- Fall of 2010-11 school year
- No impact on general calendar
- No impact on length of day





High School Schedule

Rationale for Change

- Greater continuity and consistency
- Eliminate learning gaps
- Build stronger relationships
- Greater focus on core instructional time
- Pacing allows for greater depth and mastery of content
- More efficient



High School Schedule

Rationale for Change

Year 1				Year 2			
Hour	Trimester 1	Trimester 2	Trimester 3	Hour	Trimester 1	Trimester 2	Trimester 3
1	Social Studies	GAP →	Social Studies	1	Social Studies	GAP →	Social Studies
2	French II A	French II B	GAP →		2	French III A	French III B
3				3			
4				4			
5				5			

Instructional Time = 8,640 minutes or 144 hours



High School Schedule

Rationale for Change

Year 1			Year 2		
Hour	Semester 1	Semester 2	Hour	Semester 1	Semester 2
1	Social Studies	Social Studies	1	Social Studies	Social Studies
2	French II A	French II B	2	French III A	French III B
3			3		
4			4		
5			5		
6			6		

No Gaps!

Instructional Time = 10,800 minutes or 180 hours (25% more)



High School Schedule

Rationale for Change

- Redesign electives to promote choices and exploration
- Expand online learning
- Expand zero and seventh hour options
- Maintain seminar
- Greater support for Advanced Placement



High School Schedule

Sample Schedule: Hybrid

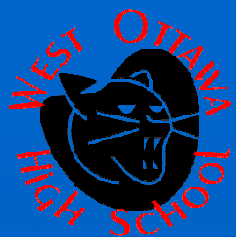
Hour	Semester 1		Semester 2	
1	English A		English B	
2	Math A		Math B	
3	Science A		Science B	
4	Social Studies A		Social Studies B	
5	Elective	Elective	Elective	
6	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective



High School Schedule

Sample Schedule: Hybrid

	Fall	Winter	
1	Geometry A	Geometry B	
2	English 2A	English 2B	
3	Chemistry A	Chemistry B	
4	World History A	World History B	
5	Music	Music	
6	Elective A	Elective B	Elective C



High School Schedule

Sample Schedule: Hybrid with Acceleration

Hour	Semester 1		Semester 2	
1	English A		English B	
2	Math A		Math B	
3	Accelerated Science A- B	Accelerated Science A- B	Accelerated Science A- B	Elective
4	Elective	Accelerated Social Studies A-B	Accelerated Social Studies A-B	Accelerated Social Studies A-B
5	Elective	Elective	Elective	
6	Elective		Elective	Elective



High School Schedule

Sample Schedule: Hybrid

Elective Choices Increase Each Year

Hour	Semester 1		Semester 2	
1	Elective English A		Elective English B	
2	Math A		Math B	
3	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective
4	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective
5	Elective	Elective	Elective	
6	Elective		Elective	Elective



Science	Full Year Courses (A and B Sections)	Semester Courses (18 weeks)	Quarter Courses (9 weeks)
	biology	astronomy	
	chemistry	botony	
	conceptual physics	geology	
	physics	zoology	
	IB biology HL (3 semesters over 2 years)	anatomy and physiology I	
	IB chemistry HL (3 semesters over 2 years)	anatomy and physiology II	
	IB physics SL		
	IB environmental systems		
	AP biology		
	AP chemistry		
	AP physics		
		AP Environmental Science	

Art

Full Year Courses (A and B Sections)

AP Studio Art: General Portfolio/Drawing Portfolio/2-D Design/3-D Design

AP Studio Art: Art History

IB Studio Art HL

IB Studio Art SL

AP Art History

Semester Courses (18 weeks)

Intro to Art (A & B)

Ceramics (I:handbuilding & II:wheel throwing)

Sculpture: II

Sculpture: III

Quarter Courses (9 weeks)

Ceramics: III Independent Study

Digital Photography & Computer Graphics: I

Digital Photography & Computer Graphics: II

Digital Photography & Computer Graphics: III

Digital Video Projects: I

Digital Video Projects: II

Digital Video Projects: III

Drawing & Painting: I

Drawing & Painting: II

Drawing & Painting: III

Intro to Art (A)

Intro to Art (B)

Jewelry/Small Metal Design & Fiber Design: I

Jewelry/Small Metal Design & Fiber Design: II

Jewelry/Small Metal Design & Fiber Design: III

Product Design: I

Product Design: II

Product Design: III

Printmaking: I

Printmaking: II

Printmaking: III

Sculpture: I





Music

Full Year Courses (A and B Sections)	Semester Courses (18 weeks)	Quarter Courses (9 weeks)
Vocals	Music Theory	Music Appreciation A
Select Women's Ensemble		Music Appreciation B
Concert Choir		
Bella Voce		
Bel Canto		
High School Band		
Advanced Percussion Class		
Jazz Band		
Symphony Orchestra		
Concert Orchestra		
9th Grade Orchestra		
IB Music SL		



To Do List:

- **Reprint Course Description Guide and post on the website.**
- **Recalculate credits needed for graduation.**
- **Examine test out procedures for acceleration.**
- **Develop online opportunities for acceleration and credit recovery.**
- **?**



Questions?



Parent Meetings

Wednesday, February 24, 2010

7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

High School North Cafeteria

Friday, February 26, 2010

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

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