**Manitou Springs High School**

**2022-2023 Course Request Form**

**12th Grade-Class of 2023**

Course **requests** are due via PowerSchool**–3/7/22 (online portal will close)**

Think about your post-secondary plans and keep these in mind when selecting your classes- Colleges/Universities want to see you to continue to challenge yourself even if you have met your MSHS graduation requirements. See your Counselor if you have any questions. \*\*Courses chosen are requests- your schedule will be built around your requests- this does not guarantee placement.

All students planning on attending a 2 or 4 yr. college, should plan on taking math and science their Senior Year. All courses are **1 year in length and cannot be changed at semester** unless under recommendation of Intervention team (See handbook for info related to “SCHEDULE PLANNING” for deadlines for Withdraw/Withdraw Fail and CTE policies).

**1. Core Classes**

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| Academic ContentArea | Place an **(X)** next to the course you want to take. Select ONE course from each subject.\*All students planning on attending a two or four year college, should plan on taking math and science their Senior Year.  |
| English(Select one) | \_\_\_\_ AP Literature and Composition. \_\_\_\_PPCC: Theater 105\*\*\_\_\_\_Mythology \_\_\_\_\_Poetry\_\_\_\_Creative Writing \_\_\_\_\_Philosophy, Rhetoric, and Discourse\_\_\_\_ Multicultural American Literature \_\_\_\_Survivalist Literature\_\_\_\_Film, Media, and Propaganda |
| Math*\*\*Students interested in also being Math Student/Peer Tutor can select that option on the Electives Pg 2\*\** | \_\_\_\_\_Geometry \_\_\_\_\_Career and Consumer Math^^ (*instructor approval required*- pre-req: 4 HS math credits)\_\_\_\_\_Algebra II \_\_\_\_Algebra II Honors  \_\_\_\_AP Statistics \_\_\_\_\_UCCS Pre-Calculus 1050 \*\* \_\_\_\_AP Calculus A/B \_\_\_\_\_AP Calc B/C (pre req: AP Calc A/B)Concurrent Enrollment Options – Check course pre-requisites\_\_\_\_PPCC Math 120 – Math for Liberal Arts \*\*(Pre Req: Alg II)\_\_\_\_I’ve already met my math requirements for MSHS and will not be registering (be aware 4-year college admissions recommends 4 years of math). |
| Science*\*If you have not obtained at least 6 science credits please register for your final science credit* | \_\_\_\_Chemistry \_\_\_\_\_Chemistry Honors\_\_\_\_Environmental Science ^^ \_\_\_\_\_ Earth and Space Science^^The following courses are Science electives and can be found on the elective page: AP Biology, Human Anatomy & Physiology, AP Physics \_\_\_\_I’ve already met my math requirements for MSHS and will not be registering (be aware 4-year college admissions recommends 4 years of science). |
| Social Studies *\* Required if you have not already taken/passed 9-11th grade* | \_\_\_\_ American Government (1 semester) \_\_\_\_Economics (1 semester) |

**^^** May not meet four-year college admission requirements- call your intended institution directly for specific information \*\* Concurrent Enrollment Course via PPCC or UCCS on MSHS Campus

**3. Health/P.E. Requirement-**

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| Health/P.E. | \_\_\_\_ Health/Rec. P.E.  **You must register for Health if you have not already taken it.** |

**4. Electives: (**See Curriculum Handbook online, for course descriptions and pre-requisites.) Select at least **6 electives** from the list below. On the line provided below, also write in ***1 alternate choice***. If you’re planning to take multiple years of a World Language, you must take them back-to-back.

☐ Student Tutor (Math Dept- Pre req: Alg II or higher 3.0 GPA- by application only- see Mr. Talbott)

☐ Spanish 1

☐ Spanish 2

☐ Spanish 3

☐ Spanish 4 Honors

☐ AP Spanish (Must have taken Spanish III)

☐ French 1

☐ French 2

☐ French 3

☐ French 4 Honors

☐ Cabinet Making & Woodworking

☐ Construction I (Must have taken Beginning

Cabinet Making)

☐ Construction II (Must have taken Const. I)

☐ Capstone Construction (must have taken or be

CE in Construction II- must provide own

transportation)

☐ Intro to Programming Video Game Design

 (Pre-req. passed Algebra I in 8th grade)

☐ AP Computer Science Principles (pre req. Programming)

☐ AP Computer Science A (pre req. AP CSP)

☐ WBL Capstone: Computer Science

(Must be concurrently enrolled on AP Comp. Science A and must provide own transportation)

☐ Foundations of Art

☐ Painting (pre req. Foundations of Art)

☐ Drawing (pre req. Foundations of Art)

☐ Drawing II (Pre-Req Drawing)

☐ Intermediate Art (Pre-Req Drawing and/or painting)

☐ Ceramic Sculpture/Mixed Media (Pre-Req Foundations of Art)

☐ Digital Photo (pre req. Foundations of Art)

☐ Printmaking (pre req. Foundations of Art)

☐ Metalsmithing (pre req. Foundations of Art)

☐ Art Capstone (Must have taken at least 2 advanced art courses & must provide own transportation)

☐ Intro to Sports Medicine/Athletic Training (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Advanced Sports Medicine (pre-req Intro to Sports Medicine)

☐ Sports Medicine WBL Experience

Course Request Alternative (Write in one): 1)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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(Must have taken Advanced Sports medicine and must provideown transportation)

☐ Athletic Conditioning (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Dance (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Team Sports (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Yoga (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Advanced Yoga (Pre-req= Yoga)

☐Recreational P.E. (pre-req Health/PE)

☐ Theater Arts (cannot be concurrently enrolled in Tech Theater)

☐ Technical Theater (cannot be concurrently enrolled in Theater Arts)

☐PPCC Theater 105 – Theatre Appreciation (must have taken and passed English I & II)

☐ WBL Capstone: Production/Managerial Arts

(must have taken and passed Technical Theater & instructor approval & instructor approval)

☐Introduction to Journalism

☐Advanced Journalism \*\* (Newspaper)- (Pre req. Intro to Journalism)

☐ Yearbook \*\*

☐ Student Council (application, see Mrs. Stoneback)

☐AP Chemistry (Must have passed Chemistry & Alg II)

☐AP Biology (pre/co-req Chemistry

☐AP Physics (pre/co-req Chemistry

☐Anatomy & Physiology (pre/co-req Chemistry)

☐ AP Psychology

☐Sociology

☐ Symphonic Band

☐ Jazz Band (must have taken Symphonic or be Concurrently enrolled)

☐Music Theory- (must be concurrently enrolled in another music class)

☐ Orchestra

☐ Advanced Orchestra (By Audition-see Mr. Williams)

☐ Mixed Choir

☐ Chamber Choir (By Audition-see Ms. Steen)

☐ Study Hall – Only one block, A or B day, cannot choose the block or the day, attendance required, non-graded P/F for zero credit.

***Options below are for on-track seniors w/o behavior/attendance concerns—MAY ONLY CHOOSE 1 (will be on either A days or B days-not both)***

☐Early Dismissal (Application required with Admin approval)

☐Late Arrival (Application required with Admin approval)

\*\*Advanced Journalism/Yearbook: Enrollment is dependent upon successful completion of Introduction to Journalism, as a prerequisite, or teacher recommendation. See Kerrigan for an application

**MSHS Graduation Requirements**

English – 8 credits

Math – 6 credits

Science – 6 credits

Social Studies – 8 credits

P.E. – 3 credits

Health – 1 credit

Fine Arts/Practical Arts – 6 credits

Electives – 16 credits

Total Credits Needed to Graduate: 54

**Higher Education Admission Recommendations**

(Entry requirements for students planning to attend any of Colorado’s public four-year colleges or universities. These are just guidelines.

***Check with individual institutions for specific requirements.)***

**Academic Area 2010+ Graduates**

English 4 years

Mathematics 4 years

Natural/Physical Sciences (two units must be lab-based)\* 3 years

Social Sciences (at least one unit of U.S. or world history) 3 years

World/Foreign Language (check college for specific req.) 1 year (2 yrs. recommended)

Academic Electives 2 years