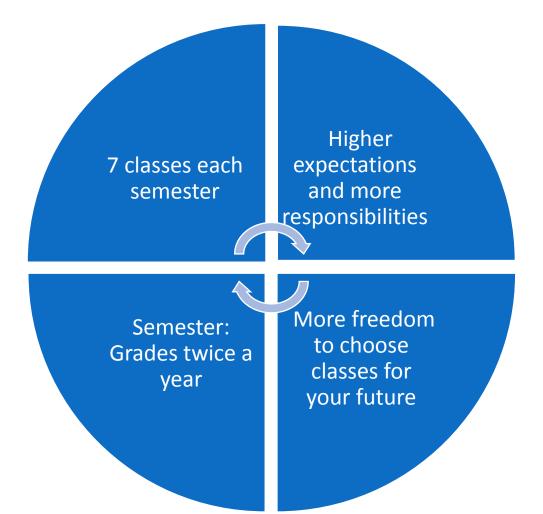


# WELCOME Class of 2026!!

**Liberty High School** 

# What's Different About High School?



#### HIGH SCHOOL CREDITS TAKEN DURING MIDDLE SCHOOL

- AUTOMATICALLY ADDED TO HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT these are the beginning of your high school GPA!
- If choose to remove, cannot be added back onto the transcript later.
- A transcript is the official document that is sent to colleges. It lists each high school level class you have taken and the final grade you received for each class.
- Your final grade in each class is calculated to formulate your GPA (grade point average).

### **Graduation Requirements Class of 2026**

Complete 24 total credits, including specific credit requirements

Washington State History (third trimester of 7<sup>th</sup> grade Social Studies)

Complete Graduation Pathway\* (state SBAC tests, SAT/ACT, ASVAB, CTE/CHS/RS college courses, AP exams, CTE sequence)

#### High School and Beyond Plan

\* Counselors discuss pathway requirement with students individually during Junior year.

## LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS CLASS OF 2026

	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION PLAN	<b>4-YEAR COLLEGE PLAN (CADR's)</b> * These are the minimum requirements, please visit college websites for specific requirements!
ENGLISH	4.0	4.0
SOCIAL STUDIES	3.0	3.0
MATH	3.0, in grades 9 – 12	4.0 preferred, thru ALG 2
SCIENCE	3.0, inc. 2.0 Lab Science	3.0 or more, inc. CHEM OR PHYS
PE	1.5	1.5
FINE ART	1.0	1.0
HEALTH	0.5	0.5
СТЕ	1.0	1.0
WORLD LANGUAGE	0	2.0
ELECTIVES	7	4

**TOTAL CREDITS NEEDED TO MEET GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: 24** 

## **Required Courses for Freshman Year:**

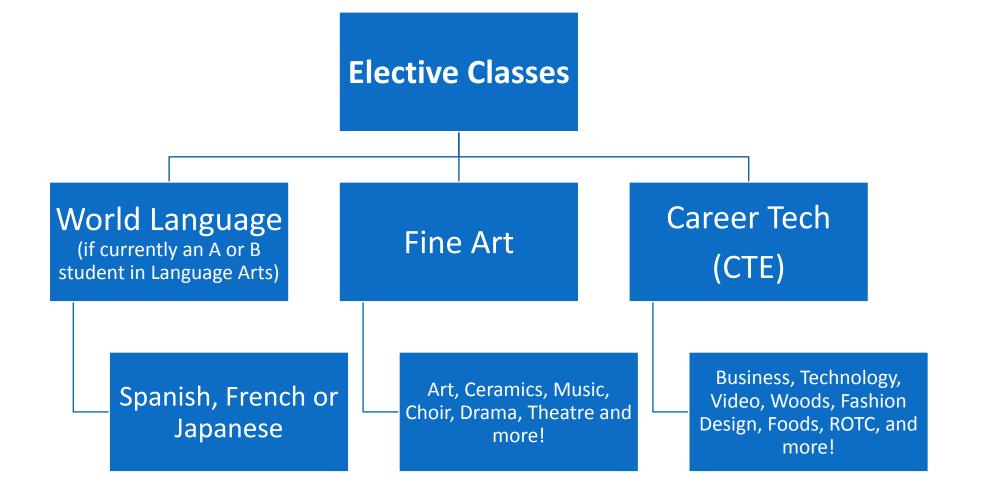
COURSE	ON-LEVEL	ADVANCED
ENGLISH	Literature Analysis & Composition 1	Honors Literature Analysis & Composition 1
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History 1 <u>AND</u> World History 2	AP Human Geography
MATH	Algebra 1 **All students MUST take Algebra 1 and Geometry to graduate!**	Geometry <u>OR</u> Algebra 2 <u>Geometry-</u> If currently enrolled in Algebra 1 <u>Algebra 2 –</u> If currently enrolled in Geometry
SCIENCE	Biology	Chem Lab Method/Phys Lab Method <u>OR</u> Chemistry ( <u>ONLY</u> if currently enrolled in Bio and Geo)
PE/ROTC	PE 9 – 1 <sup>ST</sup> & 2 <sup>ND</sup> Semester <u>OR</u> Naval Science 1 (ROTC)	PE 9 – 1 <sup>ST</sup> & 2 <sup>ND</sup> Semester <u>OR</u> Naval Science 1 (ROTC)

## NEED SOME EXTRA SUPPORT? WE HAVE THAT COVERED!

PLEASE EMAIL YOUR COUNSELOR WITH QUESTIONS OR TO ADD THESE CLASSES TO YOUR SCHEDULE. NOT ALL ARE AVAILABLE TO CHOOSE DURING THE COURSE SELECTION PROCESS.

- Math Labs Labs offered in Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra 2 that pair with student's Math course to provide extra support in a smaller group setting.
- ILS ILS (Improving Literacy Skills) is offered to students in grades 9, 10, and 11. The ILS course pairs with the student's English course to provide extra support in a smaller group setting.
- Guided Study Guided Study classes offer study and homework time during a class period in the student's schedule.

#### **Additional Recommended Courses for Freshman Year**



#### **RECOMMENDATIONS WHEN CHOOSING COURSES**

- Balance is key!
- Review the information available on the LHS Counseling website: <u>https://sites.google.com/view/lhs-counseling</u>
- Ask for teacher recommendations when choosing core classes
- Choose Honors or AP courses in subjects you enjoy
- Think about other responsibilities such as sports, clubs, activities, family obligations, etc.
- Choose courses needed to complete graduation requirements
- Read the online Course Guide for information about each course and any additional requirements

# **COURSE REQUEST PROCESS**

Must request courses from Student Access, not Family Access!

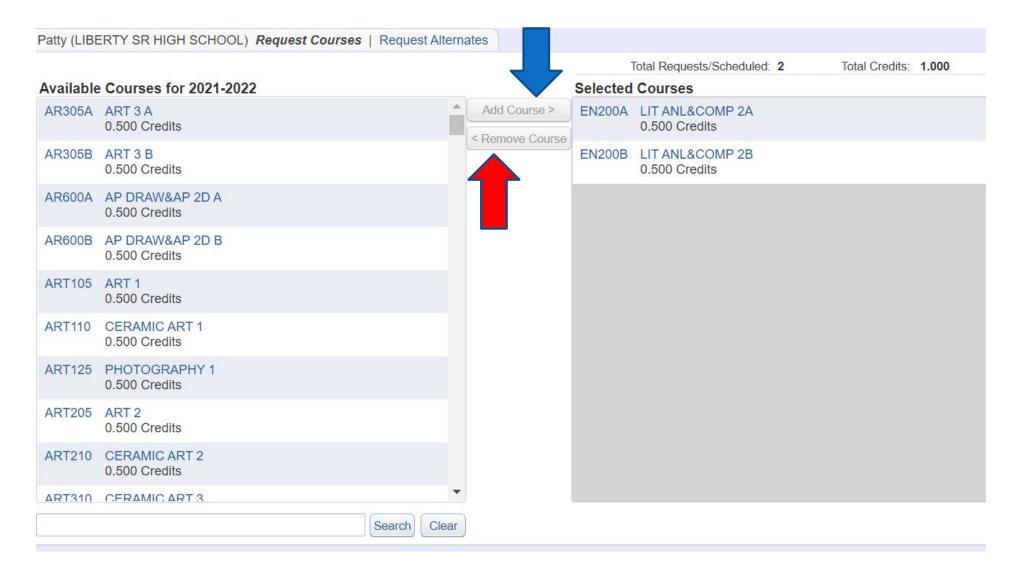


2. From the schedule screen, click on Requests Courses for 2021-2022.

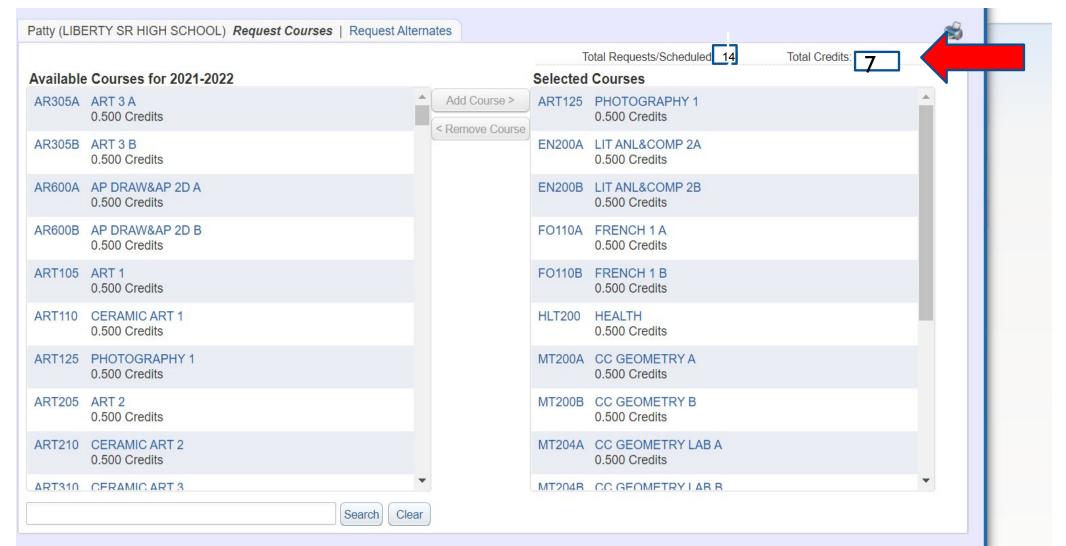


\*Please remember these are REQUESTS, and while counselors try very hard to give each student their preferred courses, it is not always possible due to scheduling conflicts. Be sure to choose 2 credits of alternates! ©

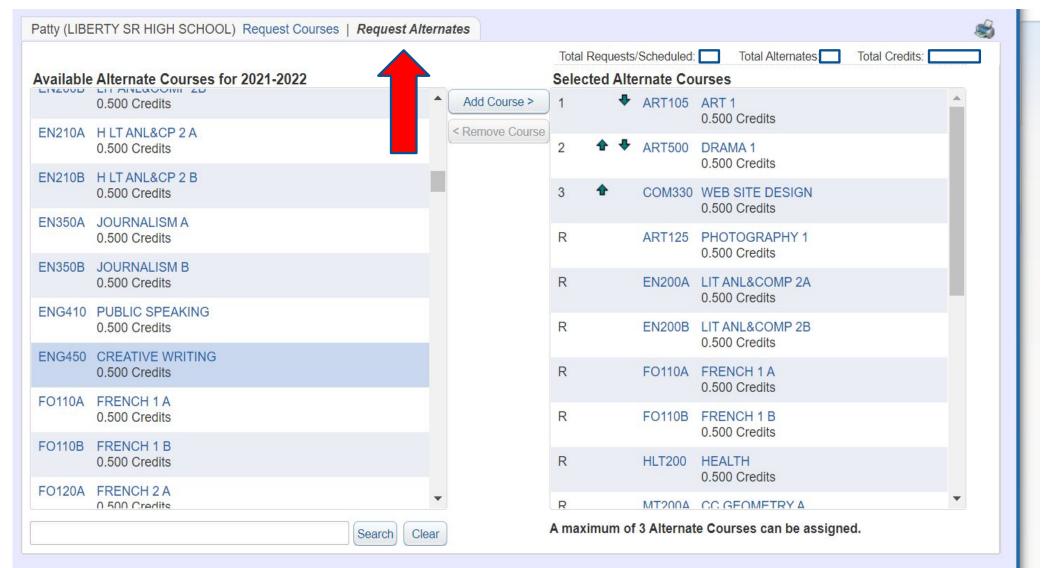
### **CHOOSING YOUR COURSES IN STUDENT ACCESS**



#### Be sure to choose 7 total credits!



#### **Choosing your Alternates is Important!**



### LIBERTY COUNSELOR VISITS TO MIDDLE SCHOOLS FOR Q & A

### COUGAR MOUNTAIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

# FRIDAY, MARCH II DURING LUNCHES

TUESDAY, MARCH 15 DURING LUNCHES

**MAYWOOD MIDDLE** 

SCHOOL



#### Online Course Request Process Dates:

## Course Request Process is Open for Students: March 9th @ 7 am – March 23rd @ 4 pm

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During the busy time of course selection, please know that it will take longer for emails to be answered.