

Welcome Parents to Scheduling Night 2012



DAVENPORT
UNIVERSITY



Administration

(hpsk12.net, schools)

- Brian Templin, Principal
- Ann Coe, Asst. Principal, Student Services
- Chris Billingslea, Asst. Principal, Attd. Discipline
- Nick Johnson, 9th Grade Principal
- Rick Schmidt, Athletic Director
- Bob Bower, Counselor, A-G (10-12)
- John Conner, Counselor, H-O (10-12)
- Rebecca Fedrigo, Counselor, P-Z (10-12)
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Communication

Student Handbook

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- Economy/jobs/education
- College Admissions
- College Requirements
- Michigan Merit Core Curriculum,
Common Core Curriculum
- Semester Model of Instruction
- Holt High School Requirements
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- **Our students face both national and international competition**
- **Research shows many students are not prepared to succeed in college or workplace**
- **Courses like Algebra II are new gateway to higher paying jobs**
- **Michigan's economic success is tied to a well-educated workforce** *“Mike Flanagan”*

- Adleman (1999) reports that the most reliable predictor of college success is the quality and intensity of the high school curriculum. Students who take a complete college-preparatory sequence of courses not only do better on college admissions, but are more likely to succeed once they are admitted.

- Of 1 million first-time, full-time students who enter four-year colleges, fewer than 4 in 10 will graduate in 4 years, and 6 in 10 will graduate in 6 years. (Berkner, He, & Cataldi, 2002)

College-ready is Work-ready

“...we know that the skills expected for college are also the skills needed to enter today’s workforce. So whether students plan further education or work after high school graduation, they need to graduate college-ready.”

On Course for Success

ACT

Earning Potential

- High School Graduates \$25,900
- Non- high school \$18,900
- College Graduate \$ 45,400
- Masters \$54,500
- Doctorate \$81,400
- Professional degree (M.D., J.D., etc.) \$99,300

(U.S. Census Bureau)

Admissions at Michigan Colleges

Freshmen Fall 11

	<u>GPA</u>	<u>ACT</u>
■ Grand Valley	3.4	24.0
■ CMU	3.28	21-24
■ MSU	3.6	22-27
■ U of M	3.8	26-30

Admissions Grand Valley

- Four years of English, (composition)
- Three years of CP math (2 years Algebra)
- Three years of science
- Three years of social sciences
- Two years of a single foreign language
- Seven units of electives (math, computer, fine arts, etc.)

SB 1427, 2006 PA 623

- To ensure Michigan's students have the skills and knowledge needed for the jobs of the 21st Century global economy, on April 20, 2006, Governor Jennifer M. Granholm signed into law a rigorous new set of statewide graduation requirements that are among the best in the nation.

Michigan State Requirements:

- English 4 years
- Math 4 years
- Science 3 years
- Social Studies 3 years
- P.E./Health 1 year
- Fine Arts 1/2 year
- Online experience – one experience
- World Language (starting with class of 2016)
2 years

Common Core Standards

- WASHINGTON—The National Governors Association Center for Best Practices (NGA Center) and the Council of Chief State School Officers (CCSSO) today released the first official public draft of the K-12 standards as part of the Common Core State Standards Initiative, a process being led by governors and chief state school officers in 51 states, territories, and the District of Columbia. These draft standards, developed together with teachers, school administrators and experts, seek to provide a clear and consistent framework to prepare our children for college and the workforce.

Common Core Adoption

- June 15, 2010
- LANSING - The State Board of Education unanimously adopted today the Common Core Standards - a set of rigorous, college and career-ready K-12 curriculum standards that states across the nation are considering adopting to bring consistency in education across the states. (Common Core Assessment 2014-15).

Fall of 2012

- Holt Public Schools grades 7 -12 will be moving from a 3 x 6 Trimester System, to a 2 x 6 Semester System starting August of 2012. The school day will consist of 6 classes of 60 minutes, with the school year divided into two semesters.

Why Semesters?

- As a district, in this time of reduced funding, we are looking for efficiencies so we may continue to offer a comprehensive experience for students at grades 7 -12.



Trimester to Semester

3 x 6					

2 x 6					

Holt High School Requirements

- Math 07 semesters 3.5 credits
- English 07 semesters 3.5 credits
- Science 06 semesters 3.0 credit
- Soc Std. 06 semesters 3.0 credits
- Health 1 semester 0.5 credit
- Phys. Ed 1 semester 0.5 credit
- Fine Arts 1 semester 0.5 credit
- Computers 1 semester 0.5 credit

Planning for Four Years

Freshman

<u>Semesters</u>	<u>Subject</u>
■ 2	Geometry
■ 2	English
■ 2	U.S. History
■ 2	Earth Science
■ 4	Electives

Sophomore

Semesters

Subject

■ 2

Algebra

■ 2

English

■ 2

World History

■ 2

Biology

■ 4

Electives

Junior

<u>Semesters</u>	<u>Subject</u>
■ 2	Algebra II
■ 2	English
■ 1	Government
■ 2	Chemistry or Physics*
5	Electives

Senior

<u>Semesters</u>	<u>Subject</u>
■ 1	Math Related
■ 1	English
■ 1	Economics
■ 2	Chemistry or Physics*
■ 7	Electives

Michigan Merit Exam

1. HPS Graduation Requirement
2. MME/ACT , College Entrance
3. Work keys, Job Application Endorsement
4. Other Merit Scholarships (score)
5. Future reinstatement of the MMS?
(michigan.gov/highschool)

Graduation Requirement

- *Holt Public Schools students must complete all components of the Michigan Merit Exam (MME) during their 11th grade year. In the event that a student does not take the MME or took the exam and did not receive valid scores, the student is required to retake the entire MME (reading, writing, mathematics, science, and social studies) in their senior year, unless excused by the High School Administration.*

New Cut Scores MEAP, MME

<http://www.mistreamnet.com/vidflv.php?who=resa121611>

Commencement “Walk” Policy

- GRADUATION ACTIVITIES
- Holt Board of Education Policy A 6056
- Adopted April 2011

- Beginning with students in the class of 2012 and beyond – only students who meet the full graduation requirements will be allowed to participate in Commencement Exercises.

Teamwork makes the dream work.
(students, parents, teachers)



Scheduling Meetings

- Next School Year (2011/12)

- 9th Library

- 10th – 12th Theater