



DANA HILLS HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2030 Course Offerings

ACADEMIC COURSE OFFERINGS

All CUSD freshmen are pre-enrolled in English, Mathematics, Science and PE 9 based on District criteria. Your courses will be listed in the Student Portal under “Classes” – “Course Request Entry”. If your student has been pre-enrolled in Honors English or Honors Biology, and you wish to change this selection, alternative course numbers are provided below.

COURSE	COURSE
EN1 English 1	*Math determined by 8th grade math placement
EN1H Honors English1	U2911 Health
BIO Biology	U9042 College & Career Planning
BIOH Honors Biology	

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETICS

All 9th graders will be placed into a PE Activities 9. Sports count toward your 4-semester requirement; however, you must participate in try-outs and make the team. **The sports listed below do not require try-outs.** All other athletic teams will hold try-outs after the fall semester begins. You will be placed into PE Activities 9 until the coach informs Guidance that you have been selected for the team. At that time, your schedule will be changed to reflect the sport, which may affect your academic schedule. *Please note: SOCSA Dra/Mu/PE (an afterschool option) can only be selected if you choose another SOCSA course concurrently. *

COURSE	COURSE
PE9 PE Activities 9	DNCSO SOCSA Dance Ensemble
3351 Athletic Wrestling – Boys	DMSOPE SOCSA Dra/Mu/PE
3350 Athletic Wrestling – Girls	SURF Surf Class
7002 Athletic Lacrosse - Girls	YOGA Yoga
3211 Athletic Football	SUPPE Stand up Paddle
3251 Athletic Basketball - Girls	STREX Strength / Exercise
5801 SOCSA Marching Band (earns PE credit)	

ELECTIVE CHOICES

Students have the option of selecting one (1) elective from the categories below:

WORLD LANGUAGES

College bound students will be required to take a minimum of two years in the same language (three years are recommended for the University of California and impacted campuses in the California State University system).

COURSE	COURSE
SP1 Spanish 1	SPKR1 Spanish Speakers 1
SP2 Spanish 2	SPKR2H Honors Spanish Speakers 2 *for Dual-Immersion students

WORLD HISTORY

Students interested in AP World History or Honors World History should have at least an A- in English 8. Additional requirements may be used to determine student placement.

COURSE	COURSE
WHAP AP World History	WHH Honors World History *No level down
TWIWHH Honors World History TWI *for Dual-Immersion students only	

OTHER ELECTIVE COURSE OFFERINGS

COURSE	COURSE
ASB ASU (application required)	AVID9 AVID 9 (application required)
0122 HMO - Health & Medical Occupation (application required)	

VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

College bound students will be required to take a minimum of 1 year of Visual and Performing Arts (yearlong course). The VAPA requirement does not need to be completed in your 9th grade year, but must be completed prior to graduation. You will have more VAPA options beginning in the 10th grade. Courses that meet the UC/CSU VAPA requirement are indicated by (P) – college prep. * Please note: It is unnecessary to apply and interview for the SOCSA program to complete your VAPA requirement. *

COURSE	COURSE
5801 SOCSA Marching Band (earns PE credit)	DH109Y SOCSA Digital Photography
SBDSO SOCSA Concert Band	DH110Y SOCSA Multimedia Design
SO614F SOCSA String Orchestra	DRPTSO SOCSA Drawing/Painting
COMU SOCSA Commercial Music	DH004Y CCA Digital Video Production Basics
CCHSO SOCSA Concert/Show Choir	D297Y CCA Digital Media Arts
MADSO SOCSA Madrigals/Mixed Choir	DH201Y CCA Sound Engineering
DU105Y SOCSA Drama	DH113Y CCA Fashion Design
BGUIISO Beginning Guitar	DH016Y Publishing & Design 1 / Newspaper
DU302Y SOCSA Stagecraft Basics	DH216Y Publishing & Design 1 / Yearbook

SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL OF THE ARTS (SOCSA)

Application and Audition are required - available on website

The mission of SOCSA is to provide an educational opportunity to those students who have chosen the arts as their occupational objective, plan to major in the visual or performing arts in college, or simply wish to enhance their arts education as much as possible during their high school years. The SOCSA information is available at: www.socsadhhs.org.

AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination)

Application is required - available on website

AVID places students in a rigorous, college preparatory curriculum while providing academic and emotional support and creating a team of students in which to practice the soft skills needed in the university setting. The AVID elective course emphasizes time-management and goal-setting skills, and builds effective habits via binder checks, academic Cornell notes, peer tutorial, and test preparation. Students commit to keeping a 3.0 GPA, 30 hours of community service, involvement in extracurricular activities, and taking all college entrance exams. Current AVID Middle School students must still fill out the AVID Application on the DHHS AVID website, and new AVID students must also schedule an entrance interview. For more information, refer to the Dana Hills website: danahills.capousd.org, Academics, drop down menu AVID.

HEALTH AND MEDICAL OCCUPATIONS ACADEMY (HMO)

Application and Interview are required - available on website

Students enrolled in HMO fulfill all the requirements of a high school diploma as well as college prep curriculum. English, science, math and lab components have been developed to provide a relevant application to the medical and health care professions. HMO students do NOT take Health. (In HMO, you will be required to take a year-long health science class in 10th grade.) Once students are admitted, HMO courses will be added to the schedule. The application and additional information can be found on the DHHS website listed under Academies.