

BLANCHET CATHOLIC SCHOOL

9th Grade Forecasting Sheet

Due: May 10

Forecasting Notes & Information

Electives:

Freshmen may select 1.0 credit of a foreign language elective. Students should make their choices carefully as they will be held to their choices when school begins. Once we have finished forecasting and assigned teachers to certain classes, it is very difficult to make schedule changes. Students are choosing courses for the entire year.

Students selecting American Sign Language, French or Spanish as an elective will be placed in the appropriate level based on teacher recommendation.

Blanchet is anticipating offering the elective courses listed. **If an insufficient number of students forecast for an elective course, the course will be dropped.** In this case, or when classes are full, we will look to the alternate courses on the forecasting sheet to complete a student's schedule. Students must list alternative choices to help ensure that they receive the best possible schedule.

Religion:

All high school students take a year long religion class each year.

English:

Students who wish to apply to Honors & AP English courses will ask for the application from their current English teacher.

Math & Science:

Students are required to have 3 credits of Math and Science for graduation. Teacher recommendation and a student's performance in eighth grade Math and Science will determine class placement.

PE:

Students who have earned a varsity sports letter may apply for a credit waiver of this 0.5 PE credit. PE I is still a required course.

Graduation Requirements:

It is important that parents and students check the graduation requirements when choosing high school courses. The Course Catalog and information regarding graduation requirements are available online at www.blanchetcatholicschool.com.

Deadlines:

Starting May 3, students will be given the forecasting sheets.

Forecasting forms must be signed and turned in to the main office no later than **May 10**. Unsigned forms or forms turned in late may jeopardize a student's ability to get their first choice course selections.

If you have questions about forecasting, please email Mr. Wise at carltonwise@blanchetcatholicschool.com.

Required courses:

Religion 9
World History
PE/Health I
Science*
English*
Math*

**English, Math & Science teachers will provide recommendations on class placement to administration.*

<u>Semester Courses</u>	<u>Credit</u>	<u>Full-Year Courses</u>	<u>Credit</u>
Art I, II	0.5	American Sign Lang. I, II	1.0
Digital Photo Imaging I, II	0.5	French I	1.0
Drama HS	0.5	Musical Theatre Choir	1.0
Drama Tech	0.5	Spanish I, II	1.0
Leadership	0.5		
Marketing I, II	0.5	<u>Non Credit Courses</u>	
Personal Fitness (fills PE credit)	0.5	Study Hall	0.0
Pottery I, II	0.5		
Programming I, II	0.5	<u>Early Bird Courses 7:45—8:30 a.m.</u>	
Robotics I, II	0.5	Band	1.0
Speech & Presentation	0.5	Choir	1.0
Weight Training (fills PE credit)	0.5	Digital Media Production	0.5
		Orchestra	1.0

Name: _____

Elective Choices:

Please list electives in order of preference.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. Science Option: Physical Science Biology
(Please circle your request.)

Early Bird Course: (7:45—8:30 a.m.)

----- I would like to take **Band, Choir, Digital Media Production, Orchestra** during Early Bird. (Please circle your request.)

----- I would like to take one of my required courses during Early Bird.
(Sign up for an elective in addition to Foreign Language.)

----- I do not want to take an Early Bird class.

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