AHHS counselors have entered all course requests received prior to the March 12<sup>th</sup> due date. We would like to now encourage students and parents view course selection entries in FOCUS to ensure accuracy.

While logged in to FOCUS, select "Course Requests" on the left-hand side. Click, "Switch to 2021-2022" to view next year's requested courses to be scheduled. Be sure the school referenced in the upper right corner is Arlington Heights High School. The information contained in this message only pertains to AHHS.

**NOT SURE WHAT THE LISTED COURSE IS?** Scroll all the way down below my signature in this message to view common freshman-level courses that may not be easily recognized by their abbreviations.

If you are happy with the requests, there is no need to do anything!



Be sure to join the Class of 2025 Remind if you have not already done so! All future communication will occur there.

#### **NEED TO MAKE CHANGES?**

- If course requests were submitted and changes are needed, please email your assigned freshman counselor (see below) and explain the desired change(s).
- If course requests were not submitted, course selections were made on behalf of the student. If the courses that we selected are not satisfactory, please DO NOT send an email requesting changes. Instead, please visit <a href="https://ahhs-fwisd.wixsite.com/ahhs-counseling/2021-2022-course-selections">https://ahhs-fwisd.wixsite.com/ahhs-counseling/2021-2022-course-selections</a> and click "2021-2022 Course Requests Incoming Freshmen" to complete our course request form. We will need your input for 2021-2022 scheduling as well as future reference for progression planning. You will be contacted confirming the course changes sometime after your requests are submitted as requested.

If we do not hear from you, we assume you are satisfied, and no adjustments are needed.

# IMPORTANT NOTE TO STUDENTS WHO REQUESTED CHEMISTRY AND/OR ALGEBRA 2:

The following revisions to our advanced academics course offerings were made after the course selection form was published:

- Honors Chemistry will not be offered. All requests for Honors Chemistry were moved to OnRamps Chemistry. Learn more about UT's Dual Credit OnRamps Chemistry course <a href="HERE">HERE</a>. If you would prefer a less rigorous course, please email your assigned counselor to request a change to on-level Chemistry.
- We will now offer both Honors Algebra 2 and OnRamps Algebra 2. The OnRamps option was not included in the course request form. All requests for Honors Algebra 2 were moved to OnRamps Algebra 2 to ensure tha every student received the OnRamps opportunity. Learn more about UT's Dual Credit OnRamps Algebra 2 HERE. If you would prefer a change back to Honors Algebra 2, please email your assigned counselor.

### **Click Below to Contact Your Assigned Freshman Counselor**

## **Jean Rustin**

LAST NAMES A-K



### Salvador Loera

LAST NAMES L - Z



As always, you are welcome to contact me with any additional questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Charlotte Parker

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сомм	10NLY UNRECOGNIZED FRESHMAN COURSE ABBREVIATIONS
APHISART	AP Art History
TACS 1	Computer Science
PRAPPENG	Engineering Essentials
MUSSMT	Music Theory
MUSTH	Musical Theater
BUSIM	Business Information Management
IPHYCHEM	Integrated Physics and Chemistry (Intro Level Science)
MUS1CHOR	Choir
MUS1INEN	Double-blocked portion of Band and/or Orchestra classes
MUS1ORCH	Orchestra
PE EQ SWM	Swimming
PE EQ BWR or GWR	Wrestling
PE EQ BSC or GSC	Soccer

PE EQ BTK or GTK	Track
PE EQ GSB	Softball
PE EQ BBKB or GBKB	Basketball
PE EQ BSB	Baseball
PE EQ BTS or GTS	Tennis
PE EQ CCRC	Cross Country
PE EQ FTB	Football
PE EQ GLF	Golf
PE EQ GVB	Volleyball
PE AOA, PE IS, PE AA	Physical Education (Traditional PE)
PRINAAVTC	Principles of Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
PRINAFNR	Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources (Intro for Vet Med & Welding)
PRINEDTR	Principles of Education & Training
PROFCOMM	Professional Communications (Speech Graduation Requirement)
SSSPAN 1-4	Spanish for Native Spanish-Speakers
SUB DT	Stingerettes Dance Team
SUBJ	JROTC 1 for PE credit
TECH1TH	Technical Theater
SUB MB	Bonus, "zero hour" ½ credit of PE for Marching Band participation