



# HHS Parent Scheduling Meeting



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# Introduction of the Counselor

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# Graduation Requirements

4 Credits Language Arts

4 Credits Social Studies

3 Credits Science (9th, Biology & Chemistry/Physics)

3 Credits Math (Algebra 2 Minimum)

1 Credit P.E. / 0.5 Credits Health

1 Credit Art

Elective Credits:

- Class of 2025 - 11.5 Credits
- Class of 2026 and up - 12.5 Credits

## HOLDINGFORD HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

### Grades 9 - 12

Course work in grades 9-12 is used in determining class rank and in meeting graduation requirements. Students must complete 26-29 credits for graduation dependent on their graduation year. A semester class is equal to one credit and a quarter class is equal to a half credit. Minimum required credits are in the following areas.

#### Language Arts (Four Credits)

Language Arts 9	One Credit
Language Arts 10	One Credit
Language Arts 11	One Credit
Language Arts 12	One Credit

#### Social Studies (Four Credits)

Ninth Grade Social	One Credit
Tenth Grade Social	One Credit
Eleventh Grade Social	One Credit
Twelfth Grade Social	One Credit

#### Science (Three Credits)

Science 9	One Credit
Biology 10	One Credit
General Chemistry or Chemistry in Society or Physics	One Credit

#### Math (Three Credits)

Math	One Credit
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#### Physical Education & Health (One and One-half Credits)

Physical Education 9	Half Credit
Physical Education 10	Half Credit
Health 10	Half Credit

#### Arts (One Credit)

Band, Choir, Photo 1, Digital Photo, Photo 2, Art	One Credit
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<u>Class of 2024 - Electives 9.5 Credits</u>	<u>26 Total Credits</u>
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<u>Class of 2025 - Electives 11.5</u>	<u>28 Total Credits</u>
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<u>Class of 2026 and on - Electives 12.5</u>	<u>29 Total Credits</u>
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Students who have failed a class prior to the start of the 2023 - 2024 school year will be held harmless if it results in being short credits.

# Class of 2028 and on

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- Personal Finance Credit - will drop elective requirements from 12.5 to 12/11.5

# Daily Class Schedule

## **New Proposed Schedule**

**Block 1 (85):** 8:10 am - 9:35 am

**Block 2 (85):** 9:40 am - 11:05 am

**Block 3 (85):** 11:10 am - 1:01 pm

**Harvest (30):** 1:05 pm - 1:35 pm

**Block 4 (85):** 1:40 pm - 3:05 pm

### ***Lunch Blocks:***

A: 11:10-11:36

B: 11:55-12:21

C: 12:35-1:01

85 Minute Blocks

26 Minute Lunch

30 Minute Universal Study Hall

# Schedule Change Policy

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1. Courses can be dropped before the first day of the quarter as long as there are 15 or more students enrolled in that course
2. With a Doctor's Note
3. To eliminate a Study Hall (Will become obsolete next year)
4. Due to a scheduling error
5. Due to a rigorous college course load
6. To reschedule a failed class

# Course Descriptions

## **Business Education Electives**

### **Intro to Accounting**

Elective

Money! It's the bottom line in any business. Accounting is the foundation for all other areas of business. This is an essential class for anyone planning a career in business or business ownership. Simulations will give you a realistic view of business dealings. If you plan to major in business, this course will help you!

#### **General Information:**

Grade Level: 10,11,12

Course Length: Quarter

Level of Difficulty: Intermediate/  
Advanced

#### **Students will:**

- 1) become familiar with accounting careers.
- 2) define accounting and explain the purpose of the accounting system.
- 3) understand the fundamental accounting equation
- 4) define assets, liabilities, owner's equity.
- 5) learn the purposes of revenue, expense, and drawing accounts and how transactions have an effect on the accounting equation.
- 6) understand double-entry system, journals and ledgers, trial balance, adjusting entries
- 7) Preview financial statements.
- 8) All of this for Proprietorships.

#### **Evaluation:**

Theory tests

Projects

Computer simulation

Daily Assignments

All course descriptions are listed in the course catalog with information on what the course is, what you will learn, any requirements, and grade levels that can take them.

# Scheduling Process

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February - In class registration

End of February to Mid March - Creation of the Master Teacher Grid

End of March to End of April - Arena Scheduling Begins

- Class of 2025 Schedules First
- Goes down from there
- 7th and 8th grade only get a music option



# Changes for the 2024/2025 School Year

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- Longer Homeroom Time - Universal study hall
- No study halls
- Lunches changing from 30 minutes to 26 minutes
- Student service will be application based
- Alternating Quarters

Future:

- Personal Finance Requirement

# Questions

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# College in the Schools

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- College level courses that are taught at HHS by our teachers
- Receive college credit through Fon Du Lac Community College - MNSCU School
- What is a MNSCU School?
- Will the credits transfer?
- How does my child get into these classes?

# College in the Schools

**The following is the list of FDLTCC courses taught at Holdingford High School.**

Principles of Economics: Macroeconomics- 3 credits

American Government- 3 credits

History of the United States I- 4 credits

History of the United States II- 4 credits

Trigonometry- 2 credits

Introduction to Statistics- 3 credits

College Algebra- 3 credits

College Calculus: Short Course- 3 credits

College Calculus- 5 credits

College Biology 1 1101- 4 credits

College Biology 2 1102- 4 credits

College Chemistry 1 1010- 5 Credits

College Chemistry 2 1011- 5 Credits

Advanced College Composition- 3 credits

College Composition- 3 credits

Introduction to Literature- 3 credits

Anatomy and Physiology - 3 Credits

Medical Terminology - 1 Credit

**Hoping to add for 2024/2025**

Weight Training - 3 Credits

**Plans for the Future**

Anatomy and Physiology 2 - 3 credits

# PSEO Information

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- College courses that students can take through eligible institutions in Minnesota either online or in person at that college campus
- They are still considered a Holdingford Student, but are not taking classes at Holdingford High School
  - Full-Time or Part-Time
  - Online or In Person
- Role of the School Counselor
- Process of Enrolling in PSEO
- Transferring Credits

# Questions

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