CMIT-SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION NIGHT 2018-2019

High School Graduation Requirements

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS - Coursework

Minimum of 21 credits including the following:

- English: 4 credits
- Mathematics: 3 credits, 4 Years of High School Math (Algebra 1 → Geometry → 1 other math credit → 1 other math credit)
- Social Studies: 3 credits (US History, Government, and World History)
- Science: 3 credits (Biology→Biogeochemical Systems/Honors Chem→ 3rd science)
- Fine Arts: 1 credit
- Technology Credit: (FOT or Intro to InfoTech DE for ITEC): 1 credit
- Personal Fitness: ½ credit
- Health: ½ credit
- 2 years of a foreign language
 - •If you took Spanish 1 in MS, you will take Spanish 2 in 9th grade
 - •If you did not take Spanish 1 in MS, you will take Spanish 1 in 9th grade
- Electives: Minimum 3.0 credits

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| 9th Grade | English 9/ | Algebra 1 | Biology | U.S History | Spanish 1/2 | Foundation of Technology | Elective |
| 10th Grade | English 10/ English 10 H | Geometry | Biogeochemical Syst | Local, State, and National Government | Spanish 2 | Elective | Elective |
| 11th Grade | English 11 English 11 H AP Language | Algebra 2 | Environmental Science Chemistry | World History | PE/ Health | Elective | Elective |
| 12th Grade | English 12 English 12 H AP Language AP Litrerature | Pre Calculus Probability/Statistics | Physics Physics Honors AP Biology AP Environmental Science | AP World History AP US History AP Psychology AP Human Geography | | | |

Student Service Learning

- •Service-learning is a teaching method that combines meaningful service to the community with curriculumbased learning
- •Students improve their academic skills by applying what they learn in school to the real world; they then reflect on their experience to reinforce the link between their service and their learning.

Student Service Learning

- •Prince George's County Public Schools students must engage in a minimum of **75 student service-learning (SSL) hours** in order to successfully meet the service-learning graduation requirement. To ensure that students are able to meet this requirement, service-learning has been infused into the science and social studies curricula for grades 5-10 for a total of 51 hours. Social Studies courses provide a total of 28 curriculum-infused hours and Science courses provide a total of 23 curriculum-infused hours.
- Additionally, students must complete <u>24 independent</u> hours of service learning in order to meet the full 75 required hours.
- •For more information, visit

http://www.pgcps.org/ssl/index.aspx?id=16510

Student Service Learning

- On the PGCPS site, there are some pre-approved organizations and sites. If your student would like to volunteer with an organization <u>not</u> listed on the PGCPS site, a Pre-Approval Site form must be completed and submitted to Ms. Amos or Mr. Pitter <u>prior</u> to completing the volunteer opportunity.
- In order for SSL hours to count, a Student Service Learning Verification Form must be fully completed and submitted to Ms. Amos or Mr. Pitter by...
 - October 15 for independent hours earned between July 1 and August 30
 - January 31 for independent hours earned between September 1 and January 31
 - **July 15** for independent hours earned between February 1 and June 30
- All SSL forms can be found on the PGCPS site as well as at Ms. Amos/Mr. Pitter's office. Forms must be submitted as hard copies. They can be given directly to Ms. Amos/Mr. Pitter.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS Assessments*

Rising 9th Grade students must take and pass

- PARCC Algebra I (725)
- PARCC English 10 (725)
- MISA (Science)--after 2 years of HS science
- HSA Government (394)

^{*}assessments are ever-changing

ACADEMICS

The more we know...

SOUTH

HONORS COURSES

- •H English 9
- •H English 10
- •H English 11
- •H English 12

- •H US History
- •H Government
- •H World History

- •H Biology
- •H Chemistry
- •H Physics

ITEC PROGRAM

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EARLY COLLEGE)

Provides early exposure to college curriculum to increase the likelihood that students will have better outcomes in college

- Earn high school diploma + AA in Information Technology
- Entry permitted only for incoming 9th graders

ITEC PROGRAM

(INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EARLY COLLEGE)

- Enrollment Process Begins in Spring
- Minimum Requirements:
 - Accuplacer Reading Comprehension Score of 79
 - Interest in IT
 - Willingness to sacrifice
- No more than 24 students per cohort
- Years 1 & 2 @ CMIT-South; Years 3 & 4 @ PGCC

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Prince George's Community College, University of Maryland, Bowie State University, Anne Arundel Community College, College of Southern Maryland

Requirements:

- Must be enrolled in the 11th or 12th grade
- 2.5 cumulative GPA or higher
- Meet college requirement on the Accuplacer/SAT/ACT
- Provide transportation to and from the college campus
- Minimum admissions requirements vary by college
- Visit http://www.pgcps.org/dualenrollment/ for more information.



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