

# Western Boone Jr/Sr High

Planning for Graduation  
Class of 2019, 2020, & 2021

## CORE 40 Diploma

- **English: 8 credits**
- **Math: 6 credits (Alg 1, Alg 2, Geom)**
  - **Must earn 6 Math credits during HS**
  - **Must also be enrolled in Math or Quantitative Reasoning every year**
- **Science: 6 credits (Bio, ICP/Chem/Physics)**
- **Social Studies: 6 credits (Geog/World, US Hist, Govt, Econ)**
- **PE: 2 credits**
- **Health: 1 credit (or FACS sequence)**
- **Preparing for College and Careers: 1 credit**
- **Total: 42**

## Academic Honors Diploma

- English: 8 credits
- Math: 8 credits (Alg 1, Alg 2, Geom)
  - Must earn 6 Math credits **during HS**
  - Must also be **enrolled** in Math or Quantitative Reasoning every year
- Science: 6 credits (Bio, ICP/Chem/Physics)
- Social Studies: 6 credits (Geog/World, US Hist, Govt, Econ)
- PE: 2 credits
- Health: 1 credit (or FACS sequence)
- Fine Arts: 2 credits
- World Language: 6 credits in one language or 4 credits in each of two
- Preparing for College and Careers: 1 credit
- Total: 47

## Additional Academic Honors Diploma Requirements

- C- or higher in courses that count toward diploma
- Overall GPA 3.0 or higher
- Complete 1 of the following:
  - Complete AP courses (4 credits) and exams
  - Complete Dual Credit courses from “Priority Course List” (6 transcribed college credits)
  - Complete 1 AP course (2 credits) with exam AND Dual Credit course(s) from “Priority Course List” (3 transcribed college credits)
  - SAT Score 1250 or higher (with minimum 560 on math and 590 on evidence based reading and writing)
  - ACT composite 26 or higher (must include writing)

## Technical Honors Diploma

- English: 8 credits
- Math: 6 credits (Alg 1, Alg 2, Geom)
  - Must earn 6 Math credits **during HS**
  - Must also be **enrolled** in Math or Quantitative Reasoning every year
- Science: 6 credits (Bio, ICP/Chem/Physics)
- Social Studies: 6 credits (Geog/World, US Hist, Govt, Econ)
- PE: 2 credits
- Health: 1 credit (or FACS sequence)
- College & Career Pathway (6 credits)
- Preparing for College and Careers: 1 credit
- Total: 47

## Additional Technical Honors Diploma Requirements

- C- or higher in courses that count toward diploma
- Overall GPA 3.0 or higher
- Complete 1 of the following:
  - “Pathway designated” industry-based certification
  - “Pathway designated” dual credits (6 transcribed college credits from “priority course list”)
- Complete 1 of the following:
  - WorkKeys (minimum scores TBA)
  - Accuplacer minimum scores (Writing: 80; Reading: 90; Math: 75)
  - Compass minimum scores (Algebra: 66; Writing: 70; Reading: 80)
  - Complete AP courses (4 credits) and exams
  - Complete Dual Credit courses from “Priority Course List” (6 transcribed college credits)
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## AP/Dual Credit

- Advanced Placement (AP)
  - Earn HS credit
  - AP Exam score CAN qualify you for college credit
    - Currently IN pays for math, science, English, and free/reduced
    - \$94 exam fee for all others
  - English Lit, English Lang, Biology, World History, US History, Microeconomics, Studio Art
- Dual Credit
  - Earn HS and College credit (university transcript)
  - Vincennes
    - Radio/TV (free)
  - Ivy Tech (free)
    - Calculus, PreCalc/Trig, Anatomy/Physiology, Spanish 3H & 4, Intro to Eng. Design, Principles of Engineering, Digital Electronics, Intro to Manufacturing, most Ag, some Vocational

## CTE (Vocational) Options

- Available Junior and/or Senior Year
- Off-site 3-4 periods
- Must provide own transportation
- Must be on track with graduation requirements
- J. Everett Light (North Central HS—Indpls)
  - Cosmetology (Freestyle in Lebanon)
  - Vet Assisting
  - Health Careers (Med Asst, Dental, Nursing)
  - Criminal Justice
  - Other
- West Central (Crawfordsville/Southmont)
  - TriVo Auto
  - Criminal Justice
  - Fire & Rescue
  - NEW Precision Machining (21 credits toward Assoc. Degree)
  - NEW Business Administration (Tech Certificate)
  - Other

## Other Considerations

- Consider your major/career path
- NCAA/NAIA Requirements
- Requirements vary from college to college
  - Some common admission requirements for all majors include:
    - Minimum 2 years world language
    - 4<sup>th</sup> year of math (Trig/PreCalc)

## **WEBO Scheduling Requirements Entering Grade 10 (Class of 2021)**

- English (year)                      Honors=Application required
- Math (year)                         Honors=Application required
- Science (year)                     Note Pre-requisites
- Health (sem)                        (or begin FACS sequence)
- Preparing for College & Careers (sem)

## **WEBO Elective Options Entering Grade 10 (Class of 2021)**

- World Language    3 years Required for Acad. Honors Diploma
- Fine Arts            1 year Required for Acad. Honors Diploma
- Career Pathway courses
- See Curriculum Guide for additional elective options

## **WEBO Scheduling Requirements Entering Grade 11 (Class of 2020)**

- English (year)                      AP=Application required
- Math (year)                         Honors=Application required
- Social Studies (year)              US History/AP US History

### **WEBO Elective Options Entering Grade 11 (Class of 2020)**

- Science (3<sup>rd</sup> year)    Note Pre-requisites
- World Language    3 years Required for Acad. Honors Diploma
- AP/Dual Credit      as needed for Honors Diplomas
- CTE (Vocational)/Computer Tech Support
- See Curriculum Guide for additional elective options

## **WEBO Scheduling Requirements Entering Grade 12 (Class of 2019)**

- English (year)                      AP=Application required
- Math or Quant. Reas.
- Science (3<sup>rd</sup> year)                  Note Pre-requisites
- SS: US Government (sem)
- SS: Economics (sem)              AP Microeconomics (year) fulfills requirement

### **WEBO Elective Options Entering Grade 12 (Class of 2019)**

- AP/Dual Credit      as needed for Honors Diplomas
- CTE (Vocational)/ICE/Computer Tech Support
- See Curriculum Guide for additional elective options

## New Courses 18-19

- English 11/12
  - American Lit, Creative Writing, Dramatic Lit, English Lit, Film Lit, Novels, Poetry, Speech
  - MUST include Composition
- Social Studies
  - Indiana Studies
  - Ethnic Studies
- CTE/Multidisciplinary
  - Intro to Business
  - Community Service
  - Precision Machining
  - Business Admin

## Additional Information

- Lifeguarding—Students who are certified lifeguards can be employed by Western Boone to provide lifeguarding services during PE classes
- Computer Tech Support—work at WEBO Help Desk
- Early Graduation—see your counselor
- Online Classes
  - Summer courses include Health, US Govt, and Economics

## Important Dates

- **January 19, 2018**
  - Schedule Request Forms Due to School Counseling Office
  - Honors Applications due to English/Math teachers
- **February 2018**
  - Individual Advising Meetings
- **March 22, 2018**
  - Schedules released to students
- **March 23-April 13, 2018**
  - Drop/Add Requests in writing
  - Schedule Changes cannot be honored after 4/13

## Using Your Curriculum Guide

- **Courses by Department Chart– Pages 9-10**
  - Indicates Grade Level
  - Pre-requisites
  - Dual Credit availability (AP is different)
  - Quantitative Reasoning Courses
- **Course Descriptions**
  - Detailed information about course, pre-requisites, and dual credit options
- **Graduation Requirements Chart—Back Cover**

## Other Announcements

- Grade 10 CTE Field Trips NEXT WEEK
- PSAT Results were received electronically—will cover at school 1/17
- Grade 11—SAT Prep Class registrations due 2/16

## Monitoring your Child's Progress

- Canvas
  - Parent Account Available
  - Directions sheet in back
- Harmony—be sure your email is current
  - Grades Posted
  - Progress Reports and Report Cards

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