CCS Program of Studies 2022-2023



December 2, 2021

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- School specific changes
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Purpose of the Program of Studies



- Planning of a sequence of academic, career and technical, or other elective courses that incorporate secondary education
- In addition to required courses, this Program of Studies publication contains a complete list of electives that may be offered within Charlottesville City Schools' 6-12 program
- Each school's elective offerings are based on student interest and staffing ability

Walker Upper Elementary School



Elective Courses

- Art and Spanish
 - Revised course description to reflect updated course content and pacing
 - Course description adjusted to reflect classroom-based differentiation for prior coursework experience

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Elective Courses

- Band and Orchestra
 - Course descriptions adjusted to reflect classroom-based differentiation and grouping for prior coursework experience
 - Students may begin these courses in 5th or 6th grade

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Elective Courses

- Introduction to Engineering
 - Course name adjusted from Pre-Engineering
 - Course description adjusted to reflect classroom-based differentiation for prior coursework experience

Buford Middle School



Fine Arts

- Revised course descriptions to reflect updated course content, pacing, and prerequisites in Art, Band, Chorus, and Orchestra
- Adds Theatre Arts exploratory and full-year course



- Urban Farming
 - Currently coded as 9093 and 9094
 - Moving to Agricultural Education
 - Urban Farming 1 8022 Agricultural Business Fundamentals
 - Urban Farming 2 8024 Agricultural Business Operations
 - Buford already has Urban Farming (8022) established this school year



- Sports Medicine
 - Proposing Sports Medicine be moved to CTE
 - New condensed 140 hour version available to teach
 - Creates a new career cluster and new pathways available for students to explore

Pathway	Occupations
Diagnostics Services	Radiologic Technologist, Radiographer
Therapeutic Services	Athletic Trainer
	Exercise Physiologist
	Massage Therapist
	Occupational Therapist
	Occupational Therapist Aide
	Physical Therapist
	Physical Therapist Assistant



- Spanish for Fluent Speakers I
 - Designed for fluent speakers of Spanish and provides an opportunity to strengthen skills in their native language
 - Students will develop a deeper awareness and understanding of Hispanic cultures, customs, language variations, geography, history, and current events



Digital Art II

- Expansion of Digital Art/Illustration course
- This course differs from Digital Art I by including the use of computers as a form of art-making. Students will use creative software, such as Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator to explore digital illustration techniques, graphic arts, animation, commercial advertising, and the fine arts.

Lugo-McGinness Academy



- Leadership Development & Leaders for Tomorrow
 - Currently coded as CTE courses at CHS
 - Adding as Non- CTE Credit for Locally Award Elective Credits at LMA for Social Emotional Learning grades 11 and 12

Charlottesville Albemarle Technical Education Center (CATEC)



- Culinary Specialization
 - Recommending removal from the Program of Studies
 - Course offered for 3 years without enrollment
- Salon Assistant
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Next Steps



- Questions / Comments
- Board review
- Board approval of changes at the January School Board meeting

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