Junior Course Selection

CLASS OF 2022

BADGER

Prepared
on time & ready

Respect
appreciate & accept everyone

Pride
be honest, sincere & kind

Dedication
graduate in 4 years

Excellence
do your best at all times

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What can I help you with?

- Scholarships and Financial Aid
- College Visits
- Career Planning
- ASVAB
- Fee Waivers
- So Much More!

What if I don’t qualify for FAFSA?
If you don’t have a Social Security Number, you cannot apply for FAFSA, but you can still go to college and apply for scholarships! Check out: www.scholarshipsaz.org/students/
"Why would I follow you?"
• For the resources!
• Learn about programs, find scholarships, share with friends
• Help us get more followers than StuCo ;)
Graduation Requirements

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Arizona University Requirements

English = 4
Math = 4 (Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II, College Algebra or Pre-Calculus or higher)
Lab Science = 3 (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
Fine Art/CTE = 1
Social Studies = 2 (World History, American History, American Government, Economics)
World Language = 2 (of the same language)

Looking for great experiences and participation in schools
   – Clubs, sports, hobbies, volunteer hours

Look now at the requirements for your dream school !!!!
GPA: Grade Point Average

Average grades in classes that you take in high school based on the type of grade/class. Un-weighted based on a 4-point scale.

- **Sports Eligibility**: NCAA D1 sports requires a 2.3 minimum
- **Scholarship Eligibility**: Many scholarships require at least a 3.0
- **Class Rank**: Top 25% assured admission to in state universities
- **Military**: Certain branches and certain jobs
Obama Scholars: Covers Tuition, Room & Board, Meal Plan

*Unfortunately, these scholarships are only for US citizens. If you are not a US citizen, but graduate from high school in AZ, you receive 150% tuition. For help navigating college talk with your school counselor and visit www.scholarshipsaz.org
Your Future After High School

- 4 Year University
- 2 Year Community College
- Vocational/ Trade
  - Real-estate
  - Cosmetology
  - Etc.
- Military
- Work

School Counselors will support YOUR definition of success!

Median weekly earnings and unemployment rate by educational attainment, 2018

- Doctoral degree
- Professional degree
- Master’s degree
- Bachelor’s degree
- Associate degree
- Some college, no degree
- High school diploma, no college
- Less than a high school diploma

Graph showing median usual weekly earnings and unemployment rate for different educational attainment levels.
CHECK YOUR CREDITS

- Log on to StudentVue
- Click on “Course History”
- You can see your GPA and all classes you’ve taken
- Look at “Graduation Status” on the to, Make sure Detail is “ON”
- Look for Grey bars- this is what you need!
- Scroll down for a chart- look at “Remaining” column

You should have AT LEAST: 15 credits as a Junior

If you are behind, reach out to your counselor to make a plan!
Choosing Courses

You need:
- English 12
- Math 4
- Gov/Econ
- Science
- 3 electives and 3 alternates

Reduced Schedule Petition
- Must be on track to graduate
- Can reduce to 5 or 6 classes
- Parent approval required
What are my options for Credit Recovery?

- **Scheduled Course**: Take the class again as a regular class in your schedule.
- **General Credit Recovery**: Period in your schedule. Self-paced, online APEX program.
- **COLE**: In addition to your scheduled classes. Self-paced, online APEX program.
- **Fall/Spring Break Academy**: English. Senior Math Semester A. Algebra II Semester B.
ALE- Advanced Learning Experiences

- Lots of options for advanced courses
  - Faster paced
  - More challenging
  - College Prep
- Honors and GATE
  - No weight for GPA
  - Good prep for AP or Dual Enrollment classes
- AP- Advanced Placement
  - Weighted GPA
  - Option test (with fee) for College Credit
- Dual Enrollment
  - Weighted GPA
  - Start your College Transcript- grade and credit
Get College credit while you’re still in High School- for FREE!

Offered with Pima Community College and taught by Tucson High teachers

Weighted Grade for your GPA

- Writing 101 - English for 11th or 12th grade
- BIO 160 - Anatomy & Physiology
- HIS 101 - Western Civ (World History)
- HIS 102 - Western Civ II/ AP Euro (World History)
- HIS 141 - American History
- HUM 131 - Mythology (Elective Credit)
Advanced Placement

- English Language (11th Grade)
- English Literature (12th Grade)
- World History
- European History
- US History
- Government
- MacroEconomics
- Human Geography
- Statistics
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Environmental Science
- Physics (Algebra based)
- Physics (with Calculus)
- Spanish Literature
- Spanish Language
- Psychology
- Art History
- Music Theory
- Art- Studio Draw
- Computer Science
Culturally Relevant Courses

- Offered in 11th and 12th grade
- English and Social Studies
- Learn from a specific cultural perspective
- Includes readings from Authors and Historians of Color
- Expand your worldview and understand different perspectives
- Build critical thinking skills
Course Selection Form

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=4FBwvMxLCUiSRcLZQhlZWYN2gXphu1Hv17iT_c1dr1UM1VEQVU5WDlyT1MzSjdOT0lHSFRINUU0O54u
Senior Science Options

- Anatomy/Physiology
- BIO 160IN Anatomy/Physiology (Pima CC Dual Enrollment)
- Biology, Forensics
- Biology, Marine
- Biology/Plant Science Honors
- AP Biology
- Biotechnology 1, 2 or 3, 4 (Recommended Pre-Req: Biology or Pre-Req: Biotechnology 1,2)
- Chemistry (Recommended Pre-Req: Biology and Algebra II)
- Chemistry Honors (Recommended Pre-Req: Algebra II or higher)
- AP Chemistry (Recommended Pre-Req: Biology and Algebra II or higher)
- Earth and Space Science
- Geology
- AP Environmental Science
- Physics
- Physics, Honors
- Physics / Mechanics AP (with Calculus) (Co-Req: Calculus)
- AP Physics 1: Algebra-Based
- Planetary Science Honors (.5)
- Astronomy Observation Honors (.5)
- Research Methods
- Research Methods, Advanced
Senior English Options

- English 12
- Women's Literature
- English 12, Honors
- English 12, WRT 101 (Pima CC Dual Enrollment) or WRT 102
- English 12 Culturally Relevant African-American Viewpoint
- English 12 Culturally Relevant Native-American Viewpoint
- English 12 Culturally Relevant Mexican-American Viewpoint
- AP English Literature
Senior Social Studies Options

Choose one Government & one Economics

- American Government (.5)
- American Gov-Culturally Relevant African-American Viewpoint (.5)
- American Gov Culturally Relevant Mexican-American Viewpoint (.5)
- American Gov-Culturally Relevant Native-American Viewpoint (.5)
- Economics (.5)
- AP Macroeconomics [Economics (.5) Semester 2 only]
# Senior Math Options

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Have you taken **PE and Health**?

Have you taken at least 1 credit of **Fine Art or CTE**?

Have you taken a **language**?
- 4-year Universities require 2+ years of a World Language.

What are your **college and career goals**?
- Consider taking additional Science classes
- Math is important! Plan to take math every year

**JTED Programs**
CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Elective Options

- CTE
- PE
- Social Studies
- Visual and Performing Arts
- World Languages
- General Electives

Sports Medicine (Training & Lab)  
learn about athletic injuries, anatomy of the human body

Entrepreneurship  
explore the process of starting, owning and managing a business

Graphic Web Design*  
design websites, learn Adobe Photoshop, create digital art

Digital Photography*  
learn Adobe Photoshop, techniques, portfolio development

Digital Printing  
Learn Adobe Photoshop, logo design, layout design

Film & TV  
Learn video production, editing, audio recording, create a YouTube channel

Digital Communications  
Yearbook, learn layout, advertising, media industry

*Pima Community College credit available
Or Certification with higher level completion.
INDUSTRIAL & VOCATIONAL

Auto Collision*
Auto Technology*
Welding*
Precision Machining*
Electronics
Stage Management

*Pima Community College credit available
Or Certification with higher level completion.
SOCIAL STUDIES Electives

- Psychology 1, 2
- AP Psychology

Learn about motivation and emotion; personality; psychopathology; psychotherapy; stress and health; and social cognition and behavior, etc.

- HIS 101: Western Civilizations (Early Humans to 1450)
- HIS 102: Western Civilizations (1450 to present)
- HUM 131: Mythology

Learn about myths, legends, and folktales of the Greeks and Romans. Includes basic concepts of myths, major Greek and Roman divinities, stories about the major divinities, etc.
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

PE
- Yoga
- Body Conditioning
- Co-Ed PE
- Certain Dance

Health
0.5

These are the only semester long classes available!!!
Visual Arts

- Clay and Ceramics 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6
- Drawing/Painting: Beg, Interm, Adv
- AP Studio Art: Drawing
- AP Art History
- 3D Art Sculpture

Intermediate and Advanced courses require audition for placement.
Performing Arts

**Band:** Inter, Advance
Percussion Master Class

**Dance:** Ballet
**Dance:** Folklórico
**Dance:** Jazz Dance
**Dance:** Modern

**Guitar**

**Jazz Band** Ensemble 3, 4 (Jazz Lab)

**Mariachi**

**Musical Theatre** *NEW*

**Orchestra:** Intermediate
**Orchestra:** Chamber
**Orchestra:** Advanced (Symphony Orchestra)

**Color Guard**

**Piano and Theory**
AP Music Theory

**Steel Drums**

**Theater Arts:** Beg, Inter, Adv
**Theater Arts:** Film Acting

**Vocal Techniques,** Intro
**Vocal Music:** Beginning Girls (Premier Girls)
**Vocal Music:** Advanced Girls (Allesto)
**Vocal Music:** Advanced Mixed (Concert Choir)
**Vocal Music:** Ensemble (Troubadors)

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WORLD LANGUAGES

- American Sign Language 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6 or 7, 8
- French 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6
- Chinese 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6
- Spanish 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6 or 7, 8
- Spanish Heritage Learners 1, 2 or 3, 4
- Spanish Lang [AP Spanish Language] 1, 2
- Spanish Lit [AP Spanish Literature] 1, 2
AVID 7, 8 (Seniors: College Readiness)
- Pre-requisite of AVID 1, 2 or 3, 4 or 5, 6
- Must enroll in Honors, GATE, AP or Dual Enrollment classes
- 2.0 GPA or higher
- Writing resumes, personal statements, test prep, college application timeline, study skills practice

Library Practice (Permission from Librarian required)

Student Government
Check out the Program Guide here: https://indd.adobe.com/view/4596b5f2-bdc5-4da6-91c8-9eac832dce58

Registration opens on January 19th

Go to www.PimaJTED.org to enroll

If you do not have a Social Security Number, you can still do JTED, but you may not be able to be state accredited. Ask your counselor for support.
Course Selection Office Hours

- 2/1 9-10am  [https://tusd1.zoom.us/j/89150646433](https://tusd1.zoom.us/j/89150646433)
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Make Up Course Selection
Friday, February 5th at 1:30 pm

If you missed the course selection presentation, please attend so you understand how to choose your courses for next year. You will be given information and the course selection link.

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