

WELCOME TO EAST BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL



Rising 10th Grade Parent Night
January 30, 2024
Class of 2027

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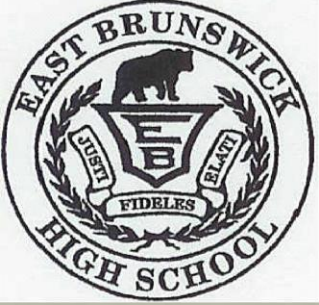
Welcome from Dr. Vinella



*Excellence in Academics,
Athletics, and the Arts*



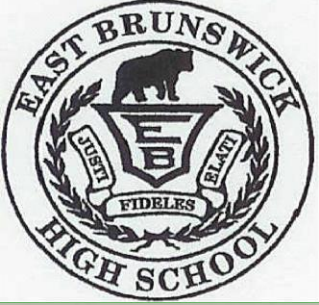
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Our Mission



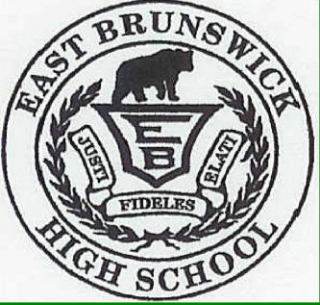
To empower the growth of compassionate, honest, and adaptable members of a diverse global community by ensuring extensive learning opportunities that spark students' curiosity and challenge them in academics, athletics and the arts.



Tonight's Purpose



- Transition from 9th grade to 10th grade
- Communication & Summer Mailing
- Sophomore Orientation - August
- EBHS/MCC Program
- Scheduling Process/10th grade student schedule
- Curriculum and Course Sequence
- Answering questions with content area supervisors - Cafeteria



Mr. Pazinko

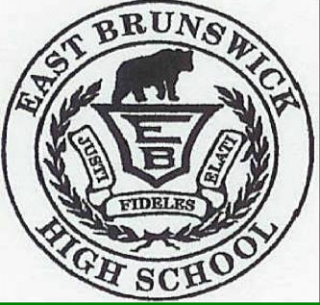


Grade Level Administrator

Main Office

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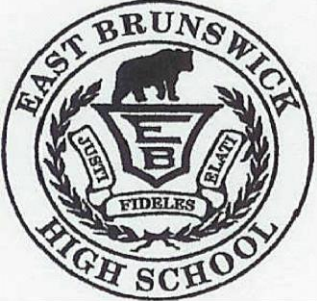
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Mr. Pazinko



- . **Grade Level Administrator 3 years**
 - . Meet at Sophomore Orientation
 - . Parent Access, Back to School Night, Parent Conferences, Teacher Communication
 - . EBHS/Churchill are aligned
- . **Student Activities**
 - . Encourage your child to get involved
- . **Graduation**



Fall Practices/Tryouts Begin August 12/19



Please follow all Physical Deadlines!

Fall 5/19-7/7

Winter 9/25-10/20

Spring 1/2-2/9

Football

Wrestling*

Track*

Cheerleading

Cheerleading

Lacrosse*

Cross Country*

Winter Track*

Boys' Volleyball

Field Hockey

Basketball*

Baseball

Girls' Tennis

Bowling*

Softball

Gymnastics

Swimming*

Boys' Tennis

Girls' Volleyball

Ice Hockey*

Golf*

Soccer*

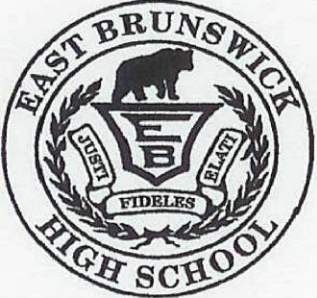
* Indicates Boys' and Girls' Teams #Subject to Change!

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Welcome to School Counseling



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Counseling Department



East Brunswick High School Counseling Department

12 School Counselors & 3 Student Assistance Specialists

Services:

- Individual Counseling
 - Social/Emotional Support*
 - Post-secondary planning*
 - Academic Support*
 - Scheduling*
- Naviance Classroom Lessons
- Group Counseling
- Homeroom

Events:

- Grade Level Parent Nights
- College & Career Fair - April
- Career & Trade Fair
- College Application Boot Camp
- Senior Awards
- Middlesex College Instant Decision Day

*For more information visit the HS webpage and click on the “**Counseling**” tab





Scheduling 2024-2025



- HS Counselor Scheduling Presentation – December 19, 2023
- Scheduling: 3-step Process
 - **Step 1:** Review course offerings, placement criteria and course descriptions within the online Course Guide: www.ebnet.org/courseguide

2023-2024 COURSE GUIDE

2023-2024 Course Guide
Introduction

+ Hammarskjold Upper Elementary School

+ Churchill Junior High School

▼ East Brunswick High School

Four Year Academic Planner

Course Selection Procedures and Guidelines

Course Levels

Course Grading

Graduation Requirements

+ East Brunswick High School Course Catalog

+ Alternative Programs

East Brunswick High School
Course Guide

The main purpose of the high school program is to fully prepare all students to be successful beyond their high school experience. The testament and proof of this mission can be witnessed by the fact that 92% of the graduates from the Class of 2022 are attending higher educational institutions. Other graduates have moved forward into an array of rewarding careers. Many of those who opt initially not to pursue higher education directly out of high school make the choice to continue to further their education within three years. Therefore, the program of studies is designed to prepare all students to maximize their options.

Students will be furnished with the opportunity to enroll in courses at East Brunswick High School where they can earn up to 40 college credits through [The College Pathways Program](#). For those students who have specific careers in mind, the program of studies offers introductory options, Work Study Programs and Career Internship opportunities.

Process for Course Selection

The process for course selection will start with the EBHS school counselors visiting Churchill Junior High School to conduct pre-scheduling presentations for the rising 10th grade class. The counselors will provide students with a presentation highlighting the course selection process, required courses, the elective program as well as additional pertinent information to assist students in a smooth and successful transition into East Brunswick High School.

For more information visit the HS webpage and click on “**Scheduling**” under the “**Counseling**” tab



Scheduling 2024-2025

- **Step 2:** Utilize Course Request Worksheet (found on Canvas & website) to plan Course Requests & submit via Canvas by January 31st

4	SUBJECT AREA	COURSE SELECTION -use dropdown arrow to select	COURSE SELECTION -use dropdown arrow to select	COMMENTS
5	ENGLISH			
6	MATH	English 10 English 10 H English 11 English 11 H AP English Language College Writing H (DCC) AP English Literature AP Research		
7	HISTORY			
8	SCIENCE			
9	PHYS ED/DANCE			
10	HEALTH			
11	WORLD LANGUAGE			
13	ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTION Select your top 12 course electives in priority order			
14	FULL YEAR = 5 credits SEMESTER = 2.5 credits	Select 12 Year/Semester Electives in Priority Order -use dropdown arrow to select		
15	1st Choice			
16	2nd Choice	*** PRACTICAL ARTS *** Accounting I -2.5 cr. Accounting II -2.5 cr. Accounting 101 H (DCC) -5.0 cr. Business and Consumer Law -2.5 cr. Financial Literacy -2.5 cr. Financial Literacy ONLINE -2.5 cr. Entrepreneurship -2.5 cr.		
17	3rd Choice			
18	4th Choice			
19	5th Choice			
20	6th Choice			

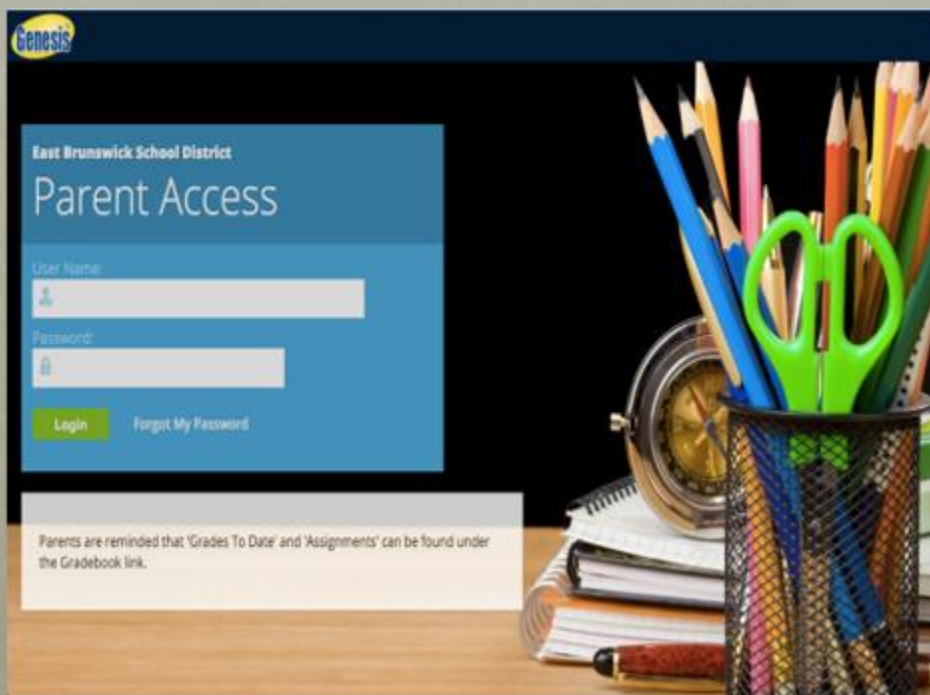
**A DROPDOWN MENU
WILL DISPLAY
FOR EVERY
COURSE OFFERED
UNDER EACH
SUBJECT AREA AND
ELECTIVE**



Scheduling 2024-2025



- **Step 3**: Submit scheduling requests via Parent Access by February 21st



***Students must meet all
pre-requisites and
co-requisites in order to be
placed in requested courses***

***May 13, 2024 – Deadline to make
elective changes for 2024-2025***

- Individual Meeting with EBHS School Counselor in March at CJHS
- For more information visit the HS webpage and click on “Scheduling” under the “Counseling” tab



EBHS College Pathway



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College Pathways Program

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Two Pathways to Earn College Credit

MC Dual Enrollment and High School Scholar Program

Pathway 1: Dual Enrollment

The **Dual Enrollment** Program is for students to earn college credit for High School courses that they take at East Brunswick High School. Students **earn both college and High School credit** for these courses.

Overview:

- Students must be enrolled in an eligible course.
- There is no limit on the number of credits a student can take.
- Cost is \$135 per course.
- Students must have a “C” or better in course for credit.

Pathway 2: High School Scholar Program

The **High School Scholars** Program is for students to earn college credit for a course in which they meet the prerequisite. Students **cannot earn High School credit** for a course taken through this pathway.

Overview:

- Students must be 15 years of age or older.
- Cost is \$135 per course.
- Application is Required.

The application process and requirements can be found on our website.

Contact Information

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- Phone: 732-613-6987
- Website: <https://www.ebnet.org/Page/13484>

Main College Pathways
Website



Planning Section



Application Process, Transcript
and Syllabus Request



Welcome to the East Brunswick Public Schools English Department



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Our Goals



Effective Communicators

- ❖ Effective writers
- ❖ Engaged collaborators
- ❖ Appreciators of language and style

Critical Thinkers

- ❖ Critical readers
- ❖ Researchers
- ❖ Thoughtful consumers of media



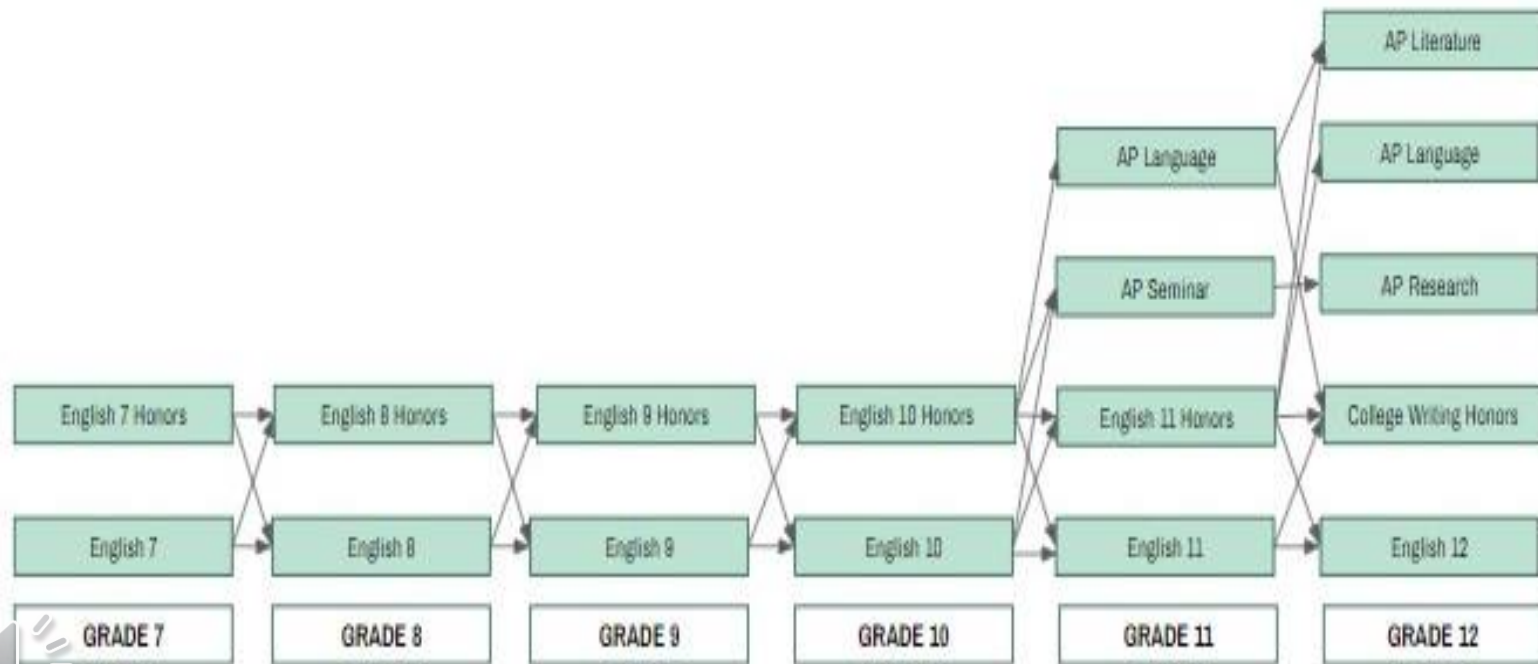
College and Career Ready



Course Sequence

English Core Courses

Grades 7-12



Required English Courses at EBHS

10th Grade

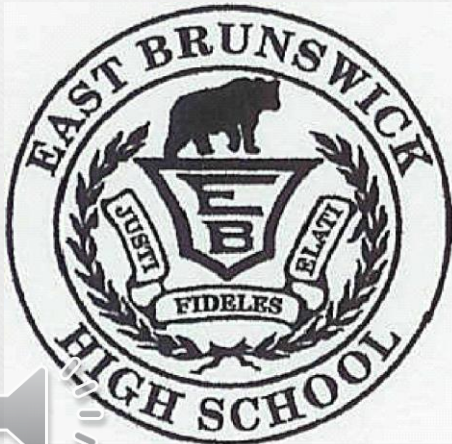
- ❖ English 10
- ❖ English 10 H

11th Grade

- ❖ English 11
- ❖ English 11 H
- ❖ AP Language
- ❖ AP Seminar

12th Grade

- ❖ English 12
- ❖ College Writing H
- ❖ AP Language
- ❖ AP Literature
- ❖ AP Research



Dual Enrollment Courses

- ❖ English 12 (MCC ENG121)
- ❖ College Writing Honors (RU ENG101 & MCC ENG121/122)



English Course Placement



❖ Honors → Honors

❖ Students must maintain at least a 70% (C)

❖ Academic → Honors

❖ Students must maintain at least a 90% (A)

❖ Honors → AP

❖ Students must maintain at least an 86% (B+)

❖ Please refer to the Placement Criteria in the course guide on enet.org for more details.



English Elective Courses at EBHS

Semester Electives

- ❖ AP Seminar
- ❖ Creative Writing
- ❖ Developing Student Leaders H
- ❖ Exploring Contemporary Issues Through Literature
- ❖ Investigative ILA: Crime and Mystery Through Literature

Semester Electives

- ❖ Philosophy for Teens
- ❖ Public Speaking H
- ❖ SAT Verbal/Math
- ❖ Shakespeare H
- ❖ Sports and Literature

Full Year Electives

- ❖ Publisher's Workshop
- ❖ Publisher's Workshop II H



THANK YOU!

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ENGLISH
DEPARTMENT

- Welcome
- Mission Statement
- Meet the Department
- English Courses
- English Electives
- English Clubs and Activities
- Writing Contests
- Resources
- Good Reads
- Calendar

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Welcome to the English Department Homepage!



Use the toolbar on the lefthand side to navigate through our department site. Here you will find information regarding English courses and electives in Grades 8-12, a list of our English faculty at Churchill and EBHS, writing contests, book recommendations, resources for the classroom, and much more.

For departmental inquiries, please use the contact information below:

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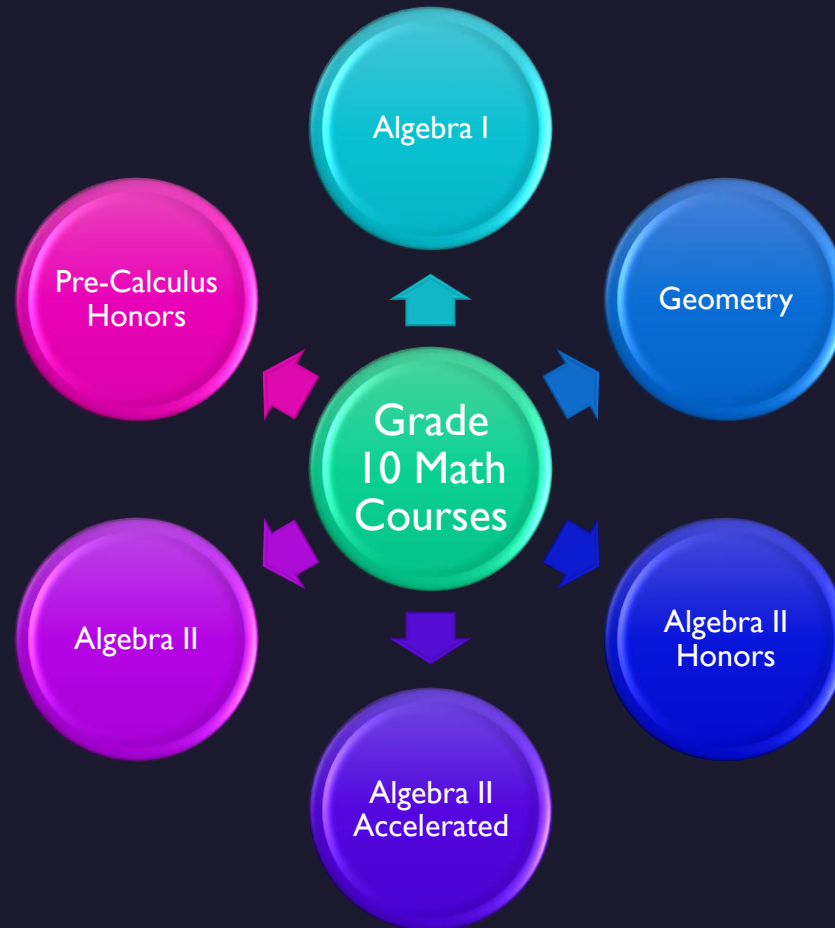
Math Department Grades 7-12

Dr. Manjit K. Sran

Supervisor of Mathematics for Grades 7-12



GRADE 10 MATH COURSES



Placement Criteria

Minimum 90% in the
previous course



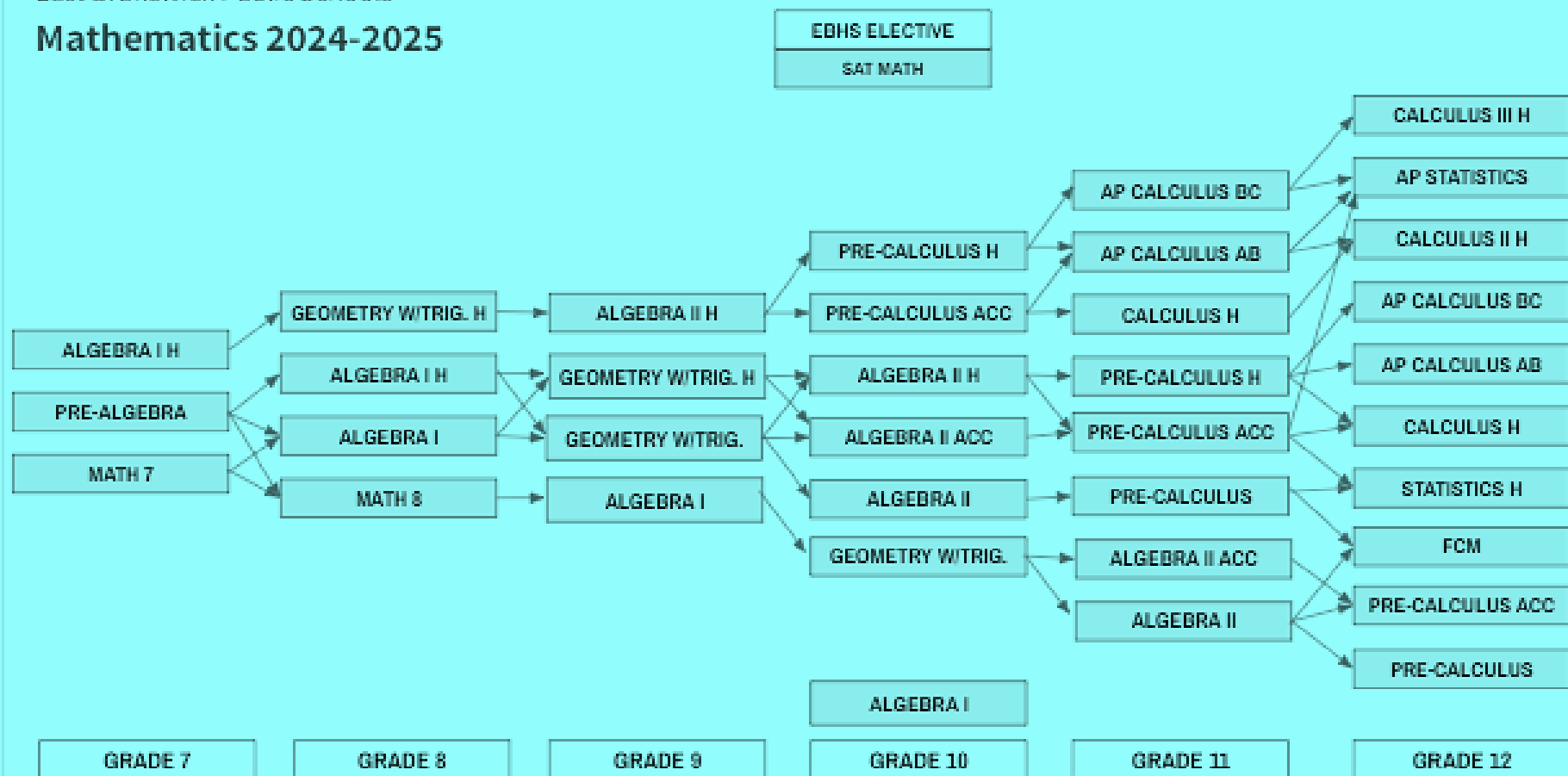
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Minimum 70% in
the previous course

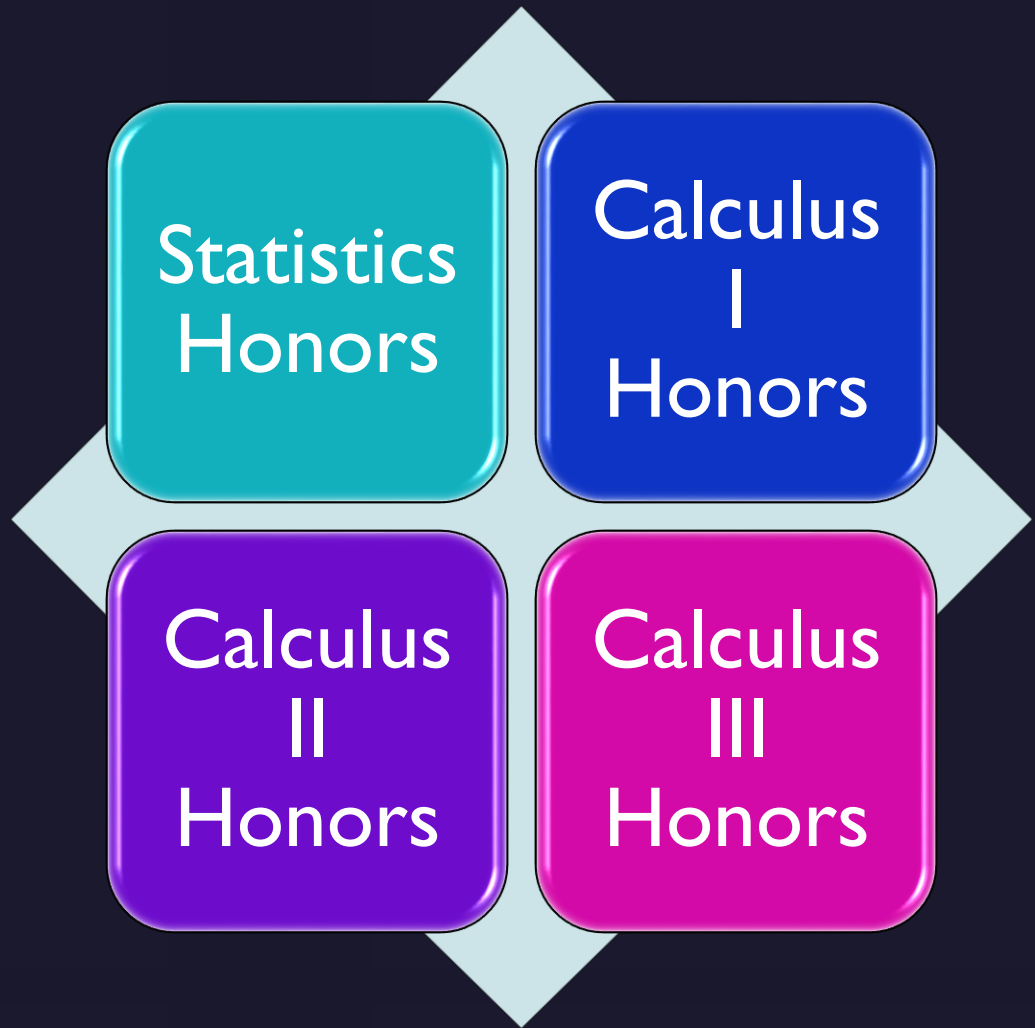


To stay in the same
level

Mathematics 2024-2025



Dual Enrollment Courses in Math



Math Department Goals

COLLEGE & CAREER
Readiness

We strive to create a student-centered environment of collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking, where students are empowered to discover their individual strengths and develop their mathematical skills to the fullest potential.

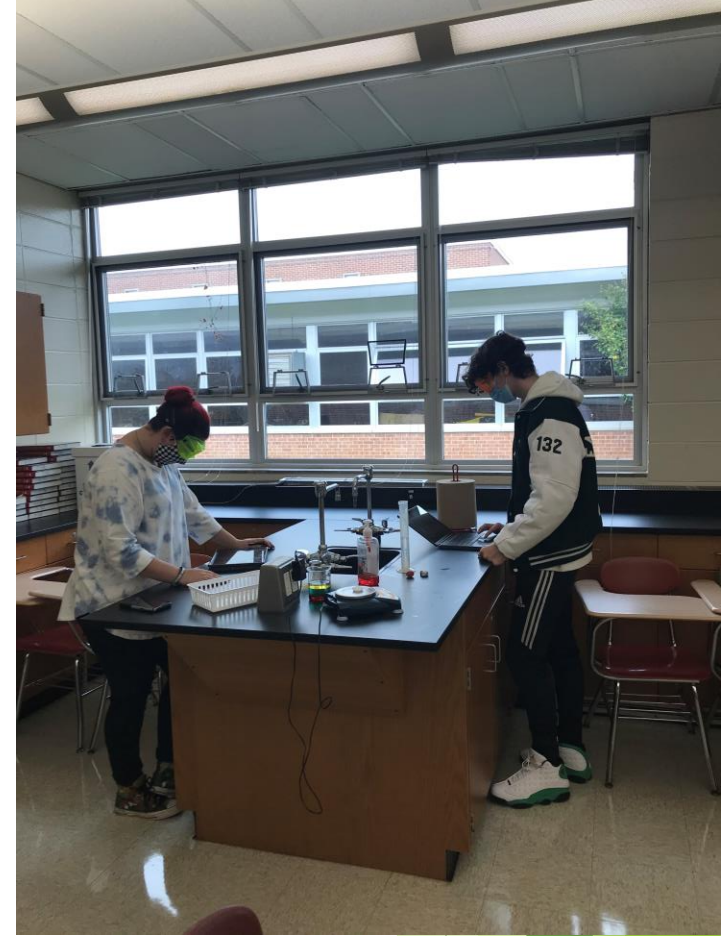
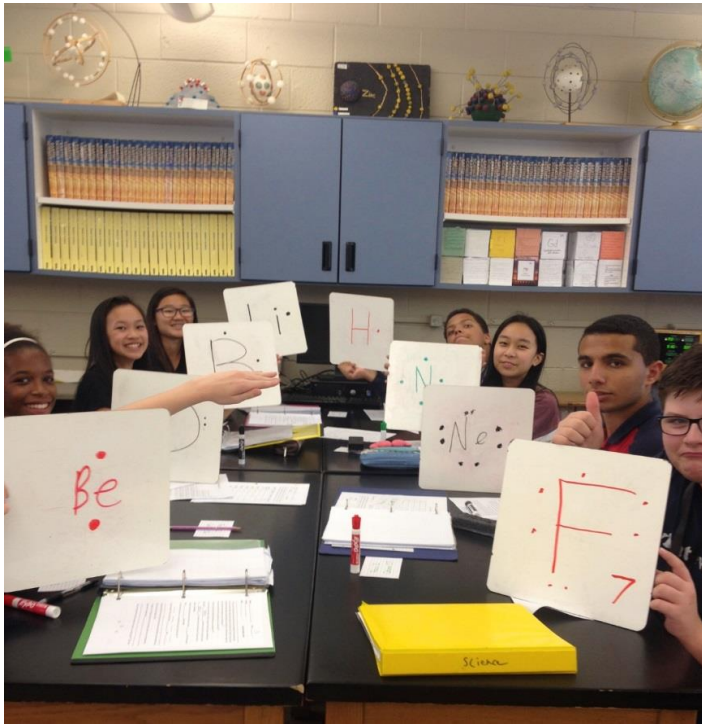
We want our students to take onus of their own learning through active engagement where they do the work rather than watch the teacher do the work.

We want to develop students who are successful problem solvers who think critically about the world around them and persevere in solving problems.

THANK YOU!



Welcome to East Brunswick Public Schools Science Department



Mrs. Jessica DiBenedetti
Supervisor of Science for Grades 7-12



Science Department Goals

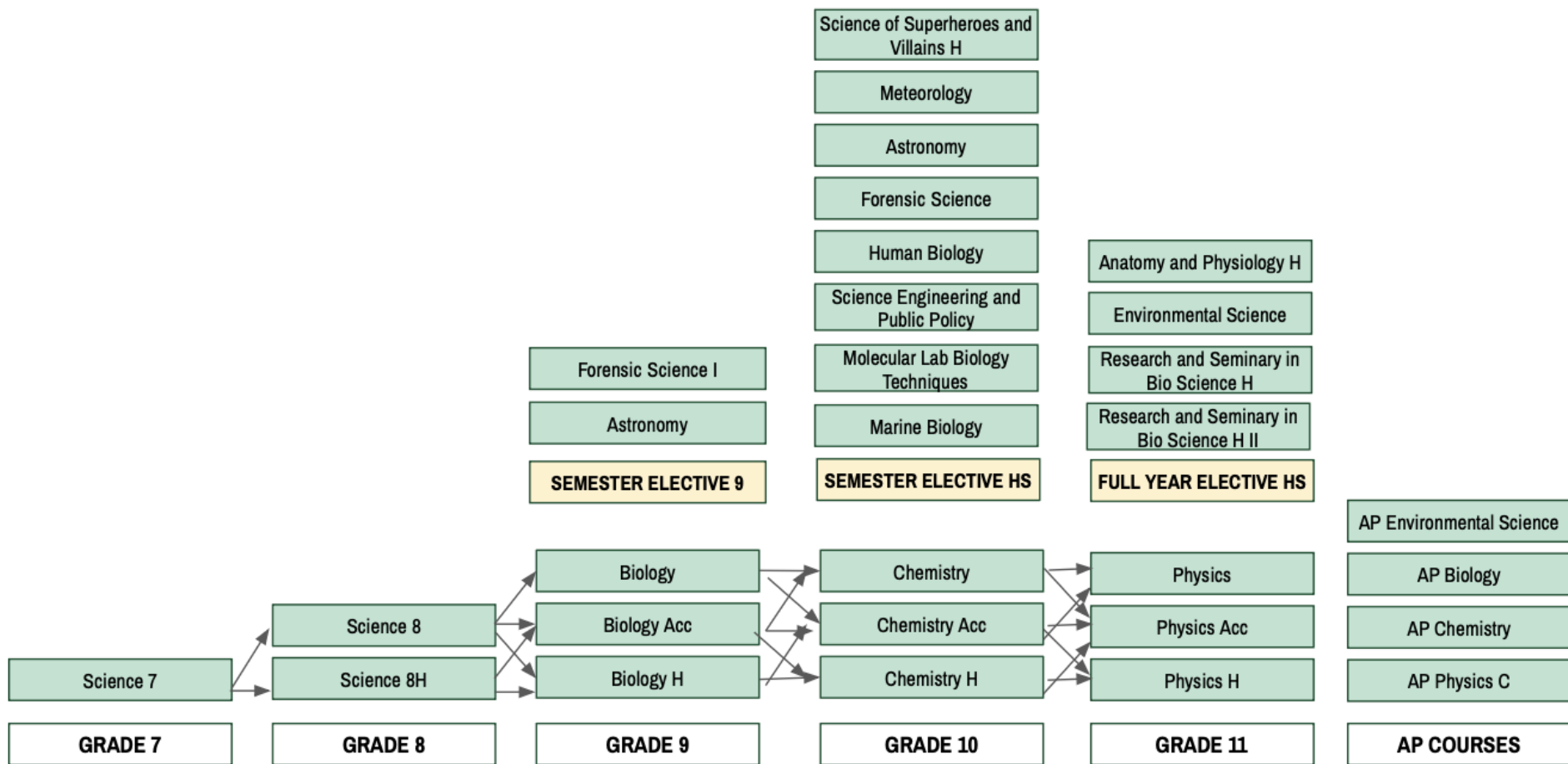
- To provide an educational experience that sparks the curiosity of students through inquiry
- Develop students who are scientifically literate, successful problem solvers who think critically about the world around them
- Promote an interest in STEM careers for students.



Suggested Course Sequence

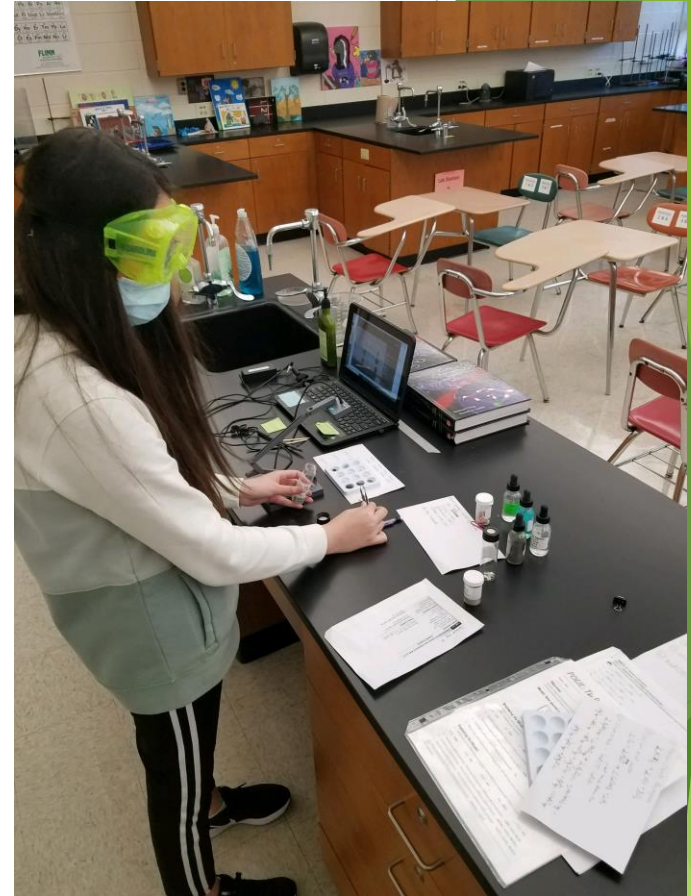
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Science



Science Courses at HS

- 10th grade:
 - Chemistry
 - Chemistry Accelerated
 - Chemistry Honors
- 11th grade:
 - Physics
 - Physics Accelerated
 - Physics Honors
 - Environmental Science



* *Physics is recommended for 11th graders*



Science Electives

- **AP Courses:** Biology, Chemistry, Physics C, Environmental Science
- **Full Year:** Anatomy & Physiology H, Environmental Science, Research & Seminars in Biological Science (Students participate in the Waksman program)
- **Semester Electives:** Astronomy, Meteorology, Marine Biology, Human Biology, Science, Engineering, and Public Policy, Forensic Science, Molecular Biology Lab Techniques, Science of Superheroes and Villains Honors



Science Course Placement

- Science courses have math and science pre-requisites
- Honors → Honors
 - Students must maintain at least a 70
- Accelerated/Academic → Honors
 - Students must maintain at least a 90
- Some advanced courses have pre/co-requisite math course
- Some electives have pre/co-requisite science course
- Please refer to the Placement Criteria in the course guide on ebnet.org



Dual Enrollment Courses with Middlesex County College

- ▶ Chemistry Honors
- ▶ Physics Honors
- ▶ Anatomy and Physiology Honors
- ▶ AP Biology



EBHS World Languages

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World Language



Students must take 2 years of a World Language to satisfy graduation requirements.



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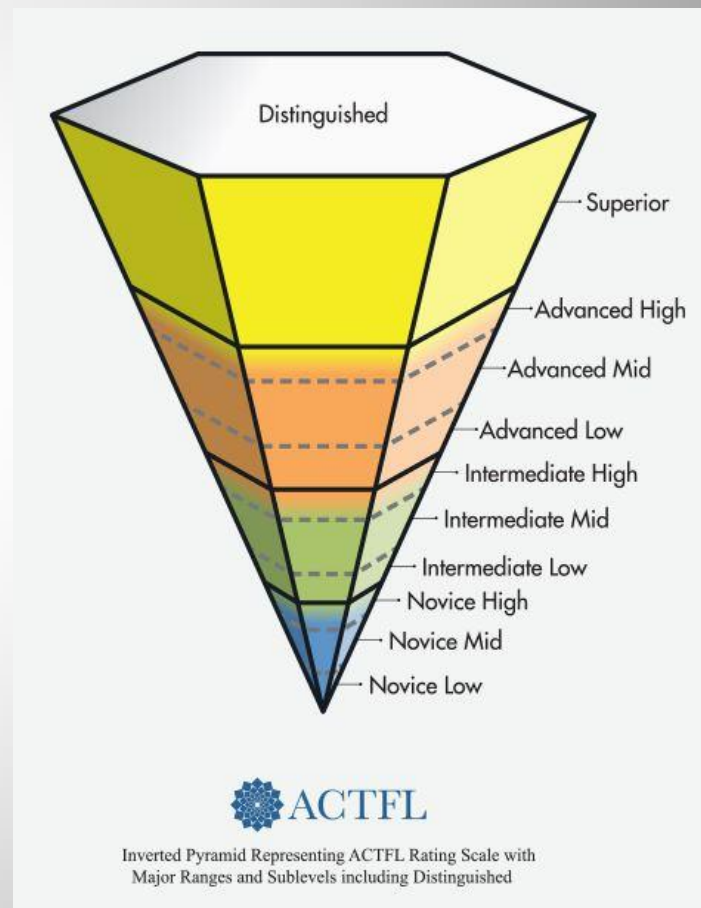
College Entrance



Two years of study of a language allows students to reach the Novice High level of proficiency required by the State of New Jersey of graduating students.

Colleges prefer a long sequence of one language.

Learning a new language gets students college and career ready.



NJ SEAL OF BILITERACY

East Brunswick Public Schools

- Values biliteracy and multilingual skills
- Promotes the development of language and cultural appreciation and understanding
- Certifies students' biliteracy skills in English and other language(s), which can be shared with colleges and or employers.

AWARD COMPONENTS

- Seal Certificate
- Transcript Notation



French



French V

French VI

French for Business H

French V H

AP French Language and Culture

French VI H



German



German I

German II

German III

German IV H

German V H

German VI H

AP German Language & Culture

Germany in the 21st Century H

Contemporary German Issues H





Italian



Italian V H

Italian VI H

AP Italian

**Made in Italy Honors: Food, Fashion and
*STEAM**

*Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts & Math

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Mandarin



Simplified

Mandarin I

Mandarin II

Mandarin III H

Mandarin IV H

AP Chinese Language & Culture



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Spanish



Spanish I

Spanish II

Spanish III

Spanish IV or IV H

Spanish V

Spanish V H

AP Spanish Language and Culture and AP Spanish Literature

Spanish VI H

Spanish VI

Spanish for Medical Professions H

Spanish for Business H



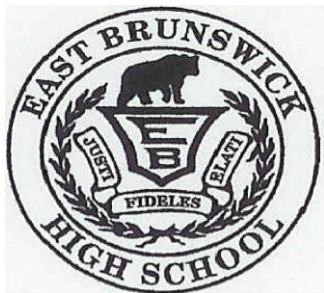


"If you talk to a man in a language he understands, that goes to his head. If you talk to him in his language, that goes to his heart." -Nelson Mandela



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Arts Education



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East Brunswick High School has been designated as a

New Jersey Model School for the Arts

due to the numerous and diverse course offerings available in
Music, Visual Arts, and Theatre Arts



Arts Education



New/Renamed Courses (since the video)

- "Illustrating the Written Word" is now titled "Storytelling Through Visual Illustration"
- "Science Fiction in the Movies!": Semester long course, similar to "Film Appreciation" that dives deeper into the genre of Science Fiction.
- "Partner Art" and "Partner Film/Acting": Mentorship opportunity to work with Special Education students and earn arts credits. Application process for placement in this course. More information can be obtained from the student's counselor.
- "Beginning Guitar": new course for 2024-2025



Arts Education



Audition, Entrance Exam, or Portfolio Reviews

Chamber Orchestra (H)

Wind Ensemble (H)

Bella Voce (H)

Concert Choir (H)

AP Music

Studio Art II (H)

AP Studio Art



Arts Education



More Co- and Extra-Curricular Opportunities

Jazz Choir

Tenor/Bass Choir

Acabellas

Jazz Ensemble

Pit Orchestra

Marching Band

Tri-M Music Honor Society

Art Honor Society

Drama Club



Practical Arts - Business Courses

Accounting I & II

Accounting 101*

Business & Consumer
Law

Entrepreneurship

International Business &
Politics H

Financial Literacy

Introduction to Business

Introduction to Marketing

Sports & Entertainment
Marketing

Marketing Capstone

Computer Keyboarding
Applications

Cooperative Education

Practical Arts - Computer Courses

Introduction to Computer Science

APCS A (CSA)

APCS Principles (CSP)

Principles of Cybersecurity

Game Design

Computer Graphics I & II

Practical Arts - Engineering Courses

Mechanical Engineering I & II

Electronics Engineering I & II

Engineering Capstone Honors

Architecture & Design Technology

Package & Product Development

Practical Arts - Family & Consumer Science

Culinary Arts I, II, & III (H)

Preschool Education Lab

Food Science & Nutrition

Teaching Practicum

Food for Fitness

Human Growth &
Development

Convenient Cuisine

Fashion I, II, & III

Practical Arts - Technology Education

Silk Screen Printing

Logo Design & Branding

Digital Composition &
Illustration

Video Production I & II

Video Production Workshop

Broadcast Media Production

Physical Education

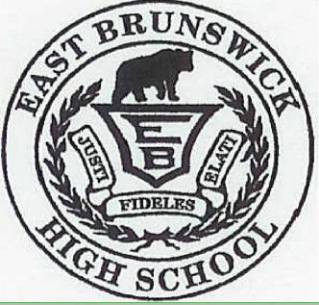


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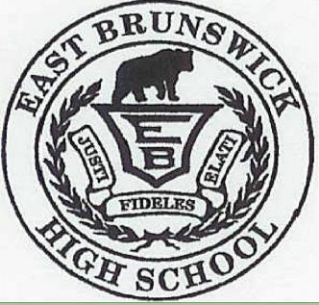
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Physical Education Curriculum Structure



- Grades 10-11-12
- Elective Program
- Must wear athletic attire
 - All students are given a locker
 - Sneakers, sweats, shorts
- Meets every other day on A/B block schedule
- Adaptive- To address Special Needs
- Dance- Full Year



Diversified Program with Emphasis on:



- Lifetime Activities- Tennis, Golf, Badminton
- Team Sports- Ultimate Frisbee, Basketball, Softball, Volleyball
- Physical Fitness- Weights, Fitness Balls, Aerobics, Yoga



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Sample Activities



- Fall: Tennis, Frisbee Games, Touch Football, Yoga, Badminton, Frisbee, Project Adventure



- Winter: Weights, Aerobics, Ping Pong, Folk Dance, Handball, Volleyball, Basketball

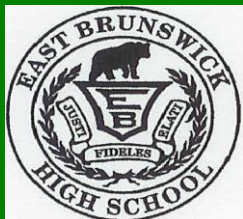


- Spring: Badminton, Frisbee, Handball, Tennis, Softball, Golf, Yoga

Notes- All out of PE notes must come from an MD. Extended absences will receive an alternate assignments. (4+ Weeks)

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Health Courses



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Churchill

Health 8
Required
One Semester

Electives

CPR Certification/Teen
Management Skills
(1.25 Credits)

Health 9
Required
One Semester

EBHS

Health 10
Driver Education
Required
1.25 Credits

Health 3
Required

Health 4
Required

GRADE 10

GRADE 11

GRADE 12



Health Driver's Education



Goal of the Course:

Prepare for Written Exam and Graduated Driver's License Process

Benefits:

- Introduces young drivers to the road gradually
- Fines are \$100 for violations of the GDL program
- Multi-stage licensing system



There Are 3 Types of Permits

1.Special Learners Permit = 16 years old

2.Examination TEEN Permit = 17 years old

3.Examination ADULT Permit = 21+ years old



Just Breathe...

One More Step Toward Independence!





EBHS Social Studies



Graduation Requirements:

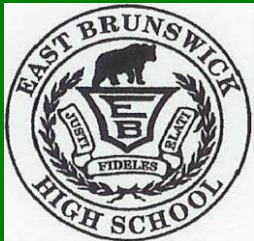
- **US I and US II (or APUSH)**
- **World History (or AP World)**

Electives:

- **Psychology I & II (MCC Dual Enrollment = Psych II)**
- **IPLE I (Honors) (MCC Dual Enrollment)**
- **Genocide in the Modern World (MCC Dual Enrollment)**
- **Nazi Germany and the Holocaust**
- **International Studies (Model United Nations)**
- **Economics**
- **Criminal Justice in America**
- **Law and Society**
- **Sociology I & II**
- **Vietnam**

Advanced Placement Programs Beyond AP US & AP World:

- **AP European History**
- **AP Psychology**
- **AP Macroeconomics**
- **AP IPLE (Institute for Political & Legal Education) / AP Government**



Department of Special Services



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Members of the Child Study Team



- Elizabeth Miller (LDTTC)
- Melissa Caruso (LDTTC)
- Jill Brown (Social Worker)
- Jacquelyn O' Donnell (School Psychologist)
- Andrew Ridgeway (School Psychologist)

Role of the CST

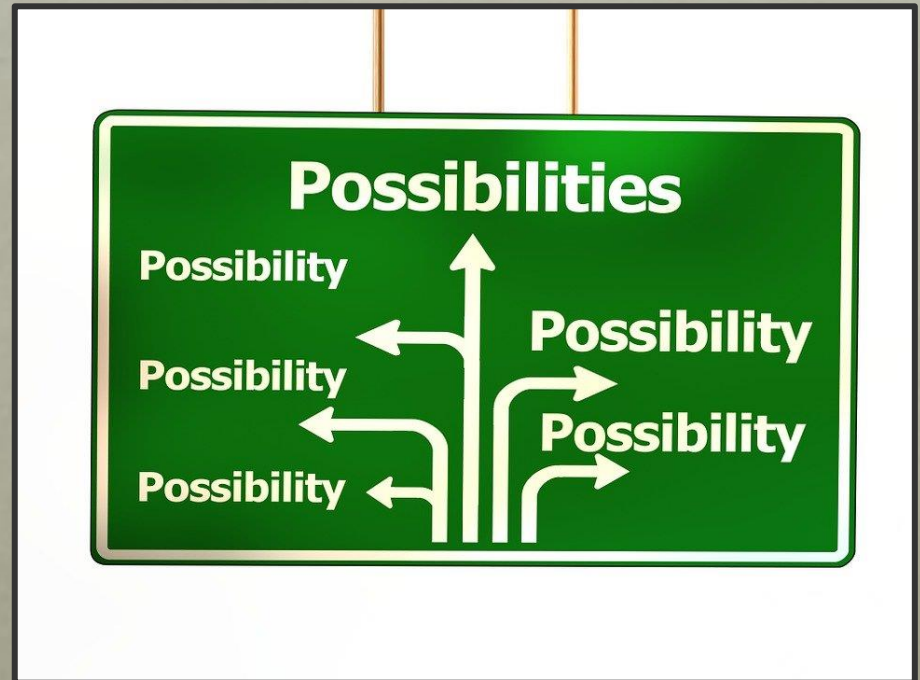
Above and Beyond Case Management...



- Articulation with Churchill Team
- Experienced Resource for Students, Families, and Staff
- Program Development and IEP Implementation
- Transition Planning Services

Placement Options

- Mainstream
- In-Class Resource
- Resource Programs
- Special Class Programs:
 - LLD Program
 - MD Program
 - Autism Program
 - Behavioral Program
- Structured Learning Experience Program
- Vocational Education

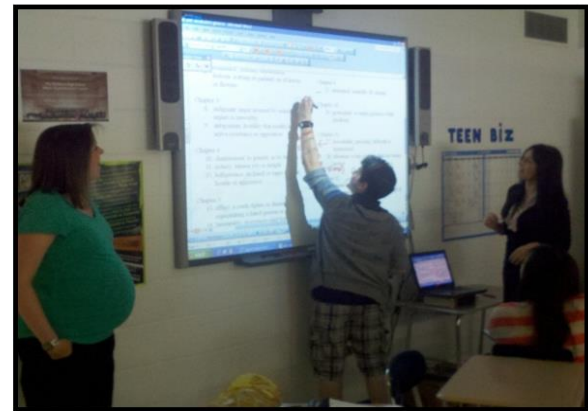


IN-CLASS RESOURCE AND PULL-OUT REPLACEMENT RESOURCE CENTER

Habits of the Mind and other Learning Dispositions
Scaffolding to Independent Performance

In-Class Resource Program

A learning environment wherein our students are supported in general education classes through inclusion and collaborative teaching.

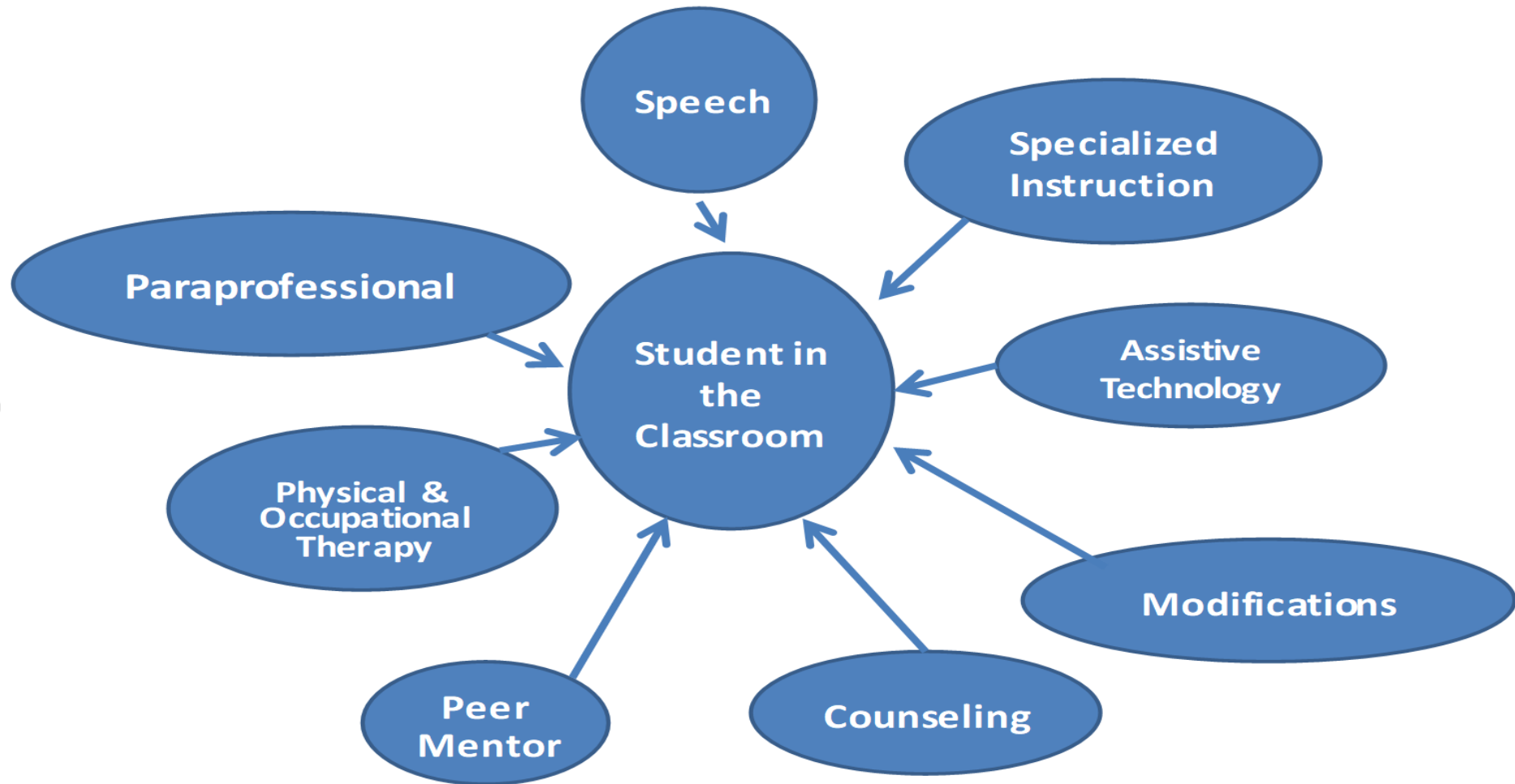


Resource Center Program

A small group learning environment wherein quality instruction is tailored to the specific needs of our students.



Student Support Services



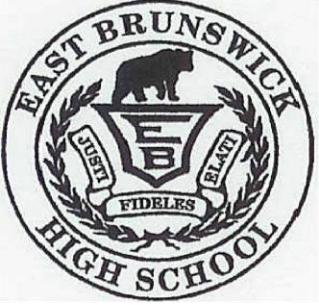


The EBHS Experience is Up to You!



- Get Involved in Activities
- Athletics (32 Varsity Teams)
- Arts and Drama Productions
- Try Elective Classes
- Meet New People
- Join a Club (Over 50)





Any Questions?



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