



2026-2027 Advisement

Veterans High School
Counselor Pre-Registration
January 29-February 3, 2026

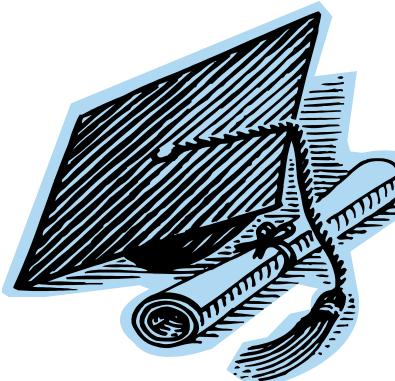


Advisement and Registration Process

- January 29th-February 3rd: Counselors' pre-registration presentations.
- February 4th: Registration forms will be distributed at the beginning of school during brief advisement session. Students will take registration forms to teachers for recommended courses/assistance with course selection. Registration forms will be turned in to 7th period (or last VHS period) teachers, then returned to advisors.

Advisement and Registration Process (continued)

- February 9th-13th: Advisement sessions for underclassmen will be used to update graduation plans, review progress, and select courses for 2026-2027.
- March 2nd-4th: Evening Advisement-Parents will meet with advisors to review course selections and graduation plans.



Graduation Requirements

- 4 Units of English/Language Arts
 - Comp I, Comp II, and American Lit
- 4 Units of Mathematics
- 4 Units of Science
 - Biology AND either Physical Science or Physics, and either Chemistry or Environmental Science required
- 3 Units of Social Studies
 - Civics, Economics, US History, and World History required
- 3 Units of Foreign Language and/or CTAE and/or Fine Arts
- 1 Unit Personal Fitness/Health (or 3 units ROTC)
- 5 Elective units

(Note: Foreign Language required by 4-year colleges/universities)

Sophomore Typical Schedule

- Literature Comp II or Honors Literature Comp II
- Geometry or Honors Algebra II and AP Statistics (approval)
- Biology, Chemistry/Honors Chemistry, or Physical Science
- World History or AP World History (approval)
- Foreign Language and/or elective

Junior Typical Schedule

- American Literature, AP Language (approval)
- Algebra II or AP Pre-Calculus and/or AP Statistics (approval)
- Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, AP Chemistry, AP Physics, AP Biology, AP Environmental Science (approval)
- US History, DE US History, AP US History (approval)
- Foreign Language and/or elective

Senior Typical Course Schedule



- British Literature, English 1101, AP Literature (approval)
- College Readiness Math, DE College Algebra, Advanced Financial Algebra, Pre-Calculus, AP Statistics (approval), AP Calculus (approval)
- Anatomy, Forensic Science, AP Chemistry, AP Biology, AP Physics, AP Environmental Science(approval)
- DE Economics/Sociology or Economics/Sociology



Foreign Language

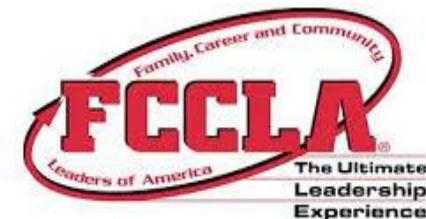
- Foreign Language is not required for graduation.
- You must have 3 units, in some combination, of the following: CTAE, Fine Arts, and/or Foreign Language
- Four-year college and universities do require 2 years of the same foreign language for admission
- VHS offers French and Spanish; HCCA currently offers Latin





- Pathways in the following areas:
 - Agriculture
 - Air Force JROTC
 - Business and Computer Science
 - Family and Consumer Science
 - Graphics
 - Sports Marketing

*If you are currently in a CTAE course, your teacher will recommend the next course in the pathway.





COURSES OFFERED AT THE HOUSTON COLLEGE AND CAREER ACADEMY

The courses listed below are offered at the Houston College & Career Academy for high school credit. Courses are listed in the order in which they will be taken. Courses take up two class periods per semester. Transportation to and from HCCA is provided.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PATHWAY*NEW 26-27*	FINE FURNITURE/CABINEMAKING PATHWAY
11.44300 Foundations of Artificial Intelligence 11.44400 Artificial Intelligence Concepts 11.44500 Artificial Intelligence Applications	46.4540000 Fine Furniture/Cabinet Making I 46.4550000 Fine Furniture/Cabinet Making II 46.4560000 Fine Furniture/Cabinet Making III 46.5500000 Carpentry I
AUDIO/VIDEO TECHNOLOGY & FILM PATHWAY	HEALTHCARE SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY
10.5181000 Audio/Video Tech I 10.5191000 Audio/Video Tech II 10.5201000 Audio/Video Tech III 10.5141000 Broadcast Video Production	25.5210000 Intro to Healthcare Science 25.5400000 Essentials of Healthcare 25.5460000 Sports Medicine 25.5370000 Allied Health
CULINARY ARTS' PATHWAY	EDUCATION AS A PROFESSION PATHWAY
20.5310000 Introduction to Culinary Arts 20.0A02401 Culinary Safety (DE option) 20.5321000 Culinary Arts 1 20.5331010 Culinary Arts 2 20.5331020 Culinary Arts 3	13.5110000 Education as a Profession I 13.5120000 Education as a Profession II 13.5130000 Education as a Profession Practicum 13.7125000 Teaching WBL Internship
LATIN	
61.0410000 Latin I 61.0420000 Latin II	
DUAL ENROLLMENT OFFERED AT THE HOUSTON COLLEGE & CAREER ACADEMY	
*Courses offered through CGTC require acceptance to the college, a GPA of 2.3+ and a signed DE Parent Agreement *Courses offered through MGA require acceptance to the college, a GPA of 3.0+ and a signed DE Parent Agreement	
AIR CONDITIONING/HVAC PATHWAY	FIRE SCIENCE: FIREFIGHTING PATHWAY *NEW 26-27*
47.4140401 Refrigeration Fundamental 47.4150401 Heat, Vent, AC Refrigeration 47.4160401 Low Voltage Electrical 47.0A42401 HVACR Elec. Motors	43.0A674 Hazardous Materials Operations 43.0A564 Basic Firefighter - Emergency Services Fundamentals 43.0A574 Basic Firefighter - MODULE I 43.0A584 Basic Firefighter - MODULE II
AUTO MAINTENANCE & LIGHT REPAIR PATHWAY	GOVERNMENT/PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY
47.5311401 Basic Maintenance/Light Repair 47.5321401 Maintenance & Light Repair 47.4340401 Automotive Brake System 47.0B05401 Auto Suspension & Steering System	43.0A03401 Intro to Criminal Justice 43.4570401 Corrections 43.4550401 Applications of Law 43.4530401 Methods of Criminal Investigations
BARBERING PATHWAY	NURSE AIDE ESSENTIALS PATHWAY
12.5440401 Introduction to Personal Care Services 12.0A02401 Sanitize/Bacteriology	25.5910401 Medical Terminology/Allied Health Science 25.4360401 Patient Care Fundamentals
COSMETOLOGY PATHWAY	INFORMATION SUPPORT & SERVICES PATHWAY
12.0A19401 Introduction to Cosmo Theory 12.4110401 Styling	11.0A07401 Operating Systems & Virtual/Cloud 11.4140401 Information Technology Essentials
EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER PATHWAY	WELDING PATHWAY
25.5910401 Medical Terminology 25.4500401 Emergency Medical Responder	48.5510401 Welding I 48.5810401 Introduction to Metals 48.0A92401 Gas Metal/Arc Welding 48.0A95401 Gas Tungsten/Arc Welding
CYBERSECURITY PATHWAY	AUTOMATION TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY
11.0A01401 Computer Concepts 11.0A15401 Computer Networking Fundamentals	21.0B59401 Industrial Mechanics 21.4630401 Fluid Power & Piping Systems 46.5450401 Industrial Safety 21.4620401 Industrial Motor Control
ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY	AVIATION TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY
21.4250401 Intro. to Engineering Technology 21.0A60401 Circuit Analysis I	*Students must be 16 years of age. Transportation NOT provided to CGTC Aviation Training Center - Macon
COURSES NOT OFFERED ON HCCA CAMPUS	
AVIATION TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY	COMPUTER SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PATHWAY
*Students must be 16 years of age. Transportation NOT provided to CGTC Aviation Training Center - Macon	
47.0D69401 Basic Blueprint Reading 47.4600401 Structural Fundamentals	
<i>Offered through MGA- Transportation Provided to Project Synergy</i>	
11.4710400 Computer Science I 11.0C30400 Computer Science II	



Dual Enrollment

If you wish to take college courses through the dual enrollment program, please mark those courses on your advisement form. Counselors will meet with students beginning **March 2026**, to discuss specific dual enrollment plans. Students must complete the County DE Checklist and have acceptance letter from college before registering.

We currently offer dual enrollment courses both on campus and off campus at a variety of nearby institutions. VHS students have the opportunity to take English 1101 and 1102, College Algebra, US History 101 and 102, Economics, and Sociology on campus; please see your guidance counselor regarding off campus options.

****Note:** Students should remember that by declaring intent to participate in dual enrollment courses for the upcoming school year that your choices may be limited at VHS should your participation plans change.



Fine Arts

- Students that wish to take Band or Chorus will sign up for the general course number, then be placed in the appropriate group by the director.
- First year art students/underclassmen should register for Art Comprehension. Upperclassmen may register for Ceramics. All other classes require teacher approval.
- First year drama students should register for Drama Fundamentals.



Physical Education

- 1 Unit Required in Personal Fitness/Health
(*Personal Fitness requirement can be satisfied through 3 years participation in JROTC)
- Rec Games is a general PE course open to all students
- If you would like to take Weightlifting, be sure to sign up for the correct section (girls/boys)
- Adaptive PE Support (Jr. and Sr. students) requires **approval from Coach Strohmeyer**



Miscellaneous

- Do not forget to include three alternative classes in the spaces provided on the registration form.
- Sign up only for courses in which you have met prerequisites.
- For **Work Based Learning**, you must be a junior or senior and apply for admission to the program with **Mrs. Collier**. Applications are available with Mrs. Collier in **Rm. 1512**.
- For **Journalism**, you must be pre-approved with **Mrs. Mendez**; applications are available in **Rm. 2507**.



**Are you interested in getting a jumpstart on your future?
Houston College & Career Academy Survey 2026-27 School Year
Use the following QR code or link to submit your survey response:**



<https://forms.office.com/r/VN4WAR4bEY>

***Please note:** *2.0 + high school GPA is required for all CGTC **Dual Enrollment** programs.*