



# 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Choice Sheet 2022 - 23

McCallum HS counselors will come to your Middle School and help you fill out this form for the 2022 -23 school year. You can plan your choices ahead of time, but please only submit your courses online after we have met with you.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ AISD ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Middle School \_\_\_\_\_

Count	Class	Level of Rigor (Circle One)
1	English: English I	On-Level or Adv
2	Social Studies: World Geography	On-Level or Adv
3	Science: Circle one – IPC or Biology Advanced	On-Level IPC <i>or</i> Honors IPC <i>or</i> Advanced Biology
4	Math: (If Algebra 1, please also select Strategic learning)	On-Level or Adv
5	<i>Strategic Learning OR 1<sup>st</sup> Course Name:</i>	
6	Course Name	
7	Course Name	
8	Course Name	
Alternate #1		
Alternate #2		

### LEVEL CHANGE POLICY

Students must remain in the advanced course for first six weeks of the semester. Level change request forms will be available in the counseling office and must be submitted by the last day of the grading period.

**On-Level & Advanced English Summer Reading Assignment:** You will be required to complete a summer assignment, which will be due within the first 2 weeks of school. Summer assignments will be graded and will be calculated into a student's nine weeks grade. The summer assignment can be found on the McCallum website ([www.mccallumhs.com](http://www.mccallumhs.com)) or the counselor's website ([www.maccounselors.com](http://www.maccounselors.com)).

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**ENGLISH (REQUIRED - CHOOSE ONE)**

English 1  
English 1 Advanced

**SOCIAL STUDIES (REQUIRED - CHOOSE ONE)**

World Geography  
World Geography Advanced

**SCIENCE (REQUIRED - CHOOSE ONE)**

Integrated Physics & Chemistry (IPC)  
Integrated Physics & Chemistry (IPC) Honors  
Biology Advanced

**MATH (REQUIRED - CHOOSE ONE)**

Note: ALL Algebra I is double-blocked = 2 periods  
Algebra I + Strategic Learning HS Math  
Algebra I Advanced + Strategic Learning HS Math  
Geometry  
Geometry Advanced  
Algebra II  
Algebra II Advanced  
Pre-Calculus  
Pre-Calculus OnRamps

**PE & ATHLETICS** (Graduation requirement – 1yr)

Lifetime Fitness & Wellness  
Lifetime Individual Sports  
Lifetime Fitness & Dance  
Outdoor PE  
Baseball  
Basketball - Boys  
Basketball - Girls  
Cross-Country - Boys Fall semester only (before school)  
Cross-Country - Girls Fall semester only (before school)  
Football  
Golf  
Marching Band - Fall semester only (before school)  
Soccer – Boys or Girls  
Softball  
Swimming (after school - practice times vary)  
Tennis  
Track & Field - Boys Spring semester only (before school)  
Track & Field - Girls Spring semester only (before school)  
Volleyball  
Wrestling (Boys and Girls)  
Drill Team (TRYOUT ONLY)

**WORLD LANGUAGES** (Graduation requirement - 2 yrs)

French I, II, III  
Japanese I, II, III  
Latin I, II, III  
Spanish I, II, III,  
German I, II, III, (Campus share, Anderson)  
Chinese I, II, III, (Campus share, Anderson)

**FINE ARTS** (Graduation requirement – 1yr; open to all)

Art I  
Band I (Double-blocked; 2 periods)  
Cello I  
Choir I - Treble (teacher will assign level)  
Choir I – Tenor/Bass  
Vocal Studies  
Color Guard I  
Double Bass I  
Guitar (teacher will assign level)  
Harp I  
Musical Theatre I  
Orchestra I (ALL 9<sup>th</sup> graders)  
Piano I  
Stage/Jazz Band I (by audition)  
Steel Drums I (by teacher approval)  
Theatre Arts I  
Technical Theatre I  
Viola I  
Violin I  
Dance I or Dance 1 with Experience  
Ballet I

**ADVANCED ART COURSES** *available with HS Art I Credit*

Ceramics I  
Drawing I  
Painting I  
Sculpture I  
Commercial Photography I  
Digital Art & Media I

**CAREER & TECHNICAL COURSES (Electives)****1st CLASS PREREQUISITE FOR SPECIAL PATHWAYS:**

Principles of Arts, AV, & Comm. Technology (Animation, Graphic Design, & Commercial Photography)  
Business Information Management (Finance)  
Principles of Applied Engineering (Engineering)  
Lifetime Nutrition & Wellness (Exercise Science)  
Digital Media (1<sup>st</sup> Class for Newspaper and Yearbook)  
AV Production 1 (AV Production)  
AVID 9<sup>th</sup> Grade(application needed)