

## Instructions for RHS Course Selection for 2017-2018 Grade 10

- Counselors will come to your class to provide a registration workshop on either 3/2 or 3/3.
- Course Selection: Review your course history, graduation requirements, four year plan, and courses in progress this semester, then choose courses for next year (both semesters). The Course Description Book for 2017-2018 with credit check sheets and course fee information is posted on the website: <http://www.roosevelths.seattleschools.org/>. Click on the “Services” tab then the “Counseling” tab.
  - Choose six courses per semester and an additional two alternates per semester. You may not choose to be a TA at this time—if you will be in the building you need to choose six courses per semester. Indicate your choices on your option sheet by writing the course name and course number in the grid at the top of the page. Remember that a year-long course is really two courses—one per semester.
  - After your workshop, go to [www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZV23ZVN](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZV23ZVN) and enter the **course names** of your choices online. This can be done at home or in the Roosevelt Library (before or after school, or during lunch when not in use by classes.) **If any of the courses you entered online require a signature, collect the signature(s) on your form and turn it in to the Registrar’s office (rm 101C) by 3/9/17, after you’ve entered your choices online.** (No signatures needed? Then you keep the form.) If you can’t use the on-line option, please visit the Counseling Office (rm 105) between 3/6 – 3/9.
  - Some courses require prerequisites. Check the list on the back of this sheet. For more information, see Roosevelt’s Course Description Book on the website.
  - Courses with an ‘\*’ asterisk require a teacher’s signature. See the list on the other side. Courses with a ‘#’ require a counselor’s signature.
  - **ELL students** will take core classes with other students in their grade level, but they will also take the ELD Adjunct support class. Family members may phone 252-4810 to speak with Ms. Pewitt, the ELD department head, if they have questions.
  - **Special Education** students will be assisted by their IEP teacher. Please call 252-4954 to arrange a conference.
- Honors/AP: Any student may opt for honors or AP classes. There are a few exceptions: (1) AP world language courses require a teacher signature, which may reflect a proficiency requirement. (2) Students taking LA 10 may choose, at the beginning of the semester, to work for honors credit. LA honors contracts may vary between teachers. (3) AP statistics - see the Prerequisite List on the back of this sheet. (4) Math students should sign up for the next course in their sequence. Changing tracks may only be done with a teacher’s recommendation.

**Note:** When you have a choice between an AP or a non-AP course, judge your level of commitment before signing up for AP. There are usually very few seats in the non-AP class after the semester begins, and **moving out of the AP class into the non-AP class in the same subject often is not possible.**
- World Language: If you are *beginning* a world language, you should also list an alternate first-year language in the alternate elective field.
- Physical Education: If you request a PE course that you have already taken once in a Seattle Public Schools high school, please choose the course number with the “2”.
- Tech Ed Courses: Students sign up for the PTLW program and then are divided into different courses after the start of the semester. See Roosevelt’s Course Description Book for more information or contact Mr. Karl Ruff at [kwuff@seattleschools.org](mailto:kwuff@seattleschools.org).

Questions about Courses? Information tables will be in the Commons during both lunches on 2/27/17 thru 3/3/17.

Want help with Registration? You can stop by the Counseling Office (room 105) before school (8:15 am – 8:45 am) and after school (3:15 pm – 3:45 pm) for help entering your courses in Survey Monkey or to ask questions. Dates: 3/6/17 thru 3/9/17.

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**Class of 2020—Grade 10** Sophomores will take a year of Language Arts 10 and a year of AP Human Geography. These courses may be taken separately, or taken blocked together (be sure you enter the correct course name online, to indicate your preference,). Biology and Math are also required.

General Grade 10: a year each of LA 10, AP Human Geography, math, biology; plus two electives per semester.

**Prerequisite list** For courses listed as '2' or Advanced, the prerequisite is the '1' or Foundations/Intro course. Other types of prerequisites are listed in the table below.

Course:	Prerequisite:	Course:	Prerequisite:
AP Computer Science	Algebra 1A/B	Newspaper	Application
Chemistry	"C" or better in both geometry & biology and concurrent enrollment in Algebra 2	Physics	"C" or better in Algebra 2 A/B & Biology or Chemistry
Leadership	Election/Application	ProStart (Culinary Arts)	Nutrition Wellness
Marketing Lab	Marketing 1 or Intro to Business	Theatre 3, 6, 8	Theatre 2
		Yearbook	Application

### **List of courses that require a teacher/Counselor signature**

**(Peer tutors, Admin Assistants, and TAs must use the form available in Sept. from your counselor):**

**Adv Ceramics / Adv Draw & Paint – Ms. Albertson**  
**All About Business (Adv) – Ms. MacLennan**  
**American Sign Language 4—Ms. Meing**  
**AP French—Ms. Hilliard**  
**AP Japanese—Ms. Tashibu**  
**AP Latin—Ms. Scofield**  
**AP Spanish Lang.—Ms. Kodama**  
**Business Law 2—Ms. MacLennan**  
**Jazz Band—Mr. Brown\***  
**Leadership/Student Government—Ms. Plesha**  
**Marketing Lab—Ms. Smith**

**Newspaper—Ms. Roux**  
**Orchestra - Symphony, Chamber, Concert—Ms. Edwards‡**  
**Photo Adv. —Ms. Otto**  
**ProStart – Mr. Chamberlin**  
**Spanish Heritage Speakers – Ms. Kodama**  
**Sports Conditioning 1/2 – Mr. Katinas**  
**Tech Theatre (all) – Mr. Stuart**  
**Vocal Jazz—Mr. Brown\***  
**Yearbook—Ms. Magidman**

‡Auditions for Concert, Symphony and Chamber Orchestra will be held in the Spring. Email Ms Edwards at [anedwards@seattleschools.org](mailto:anedwards@seattleschools.org) to make an appointment.

\*Auditions for Symphonic Band, Vocal Jazz, Jazz Band and Jazz Lab will take place in the Spring. Check out the website for specific instruments: <http://www.rooseveltjazz.org>