DENMARK HIGH SCHOOL

DENMARK HS 101

HOME OF THE DANES!
Welcome
Class of 2024
It’s a Great Day to be a Dane
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KEYS TO CONSIDER IN CLASS SELECTION:

- Passions/Interests
- Future plans/goals
- HOPE Requirements/Rigor/GPA
- Motivation/Persistence/Determination
- Work Habits
- Activities: school organizations, athletics, leadership positions, community involvement

Find a Healthy Balance!
Summer Programs

Summer School Registration - Online

Students can take Personal Fitness and Health through GAVS or Forsyth Virtual School during the summer. More information with cost, links, and deadlines for both programs will be sent and posted when available. Students planning to take H/PF during the summer need to “waive” out of those courses using the Google Waiver Form and request the course that will replace them.
Students have the opportunity to take courses online through Georgia Virtual School or Forsyth Virtual as part of their 7-period school day. There is no cost to take those courses if they are part of the normal class schedule. Students can also take courses outside of their schedule (Student Pay).

More information on deadlines and the links for registration will be sent and posted when available.
TRANSITION DATES/EVENTS

GRADE 9

THE GREAT DANE EXPERIENCE
FEBRUARY 8

MEET WITH PINEY GROVE 8TH GRADE STUDENTS
FEBRUARY 20TH

MEET WITH DESANA 8TH GRADE STUDENTS
FEBRUARY 21ST
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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

23 CREDITS

ENGLISH: 4 credits
MATH: 4 credits
SCIENCE: 4 credits
SOCIAL STUDIES: 3 CREDITS
CAREER/WORLD LANG./FINE ARTS: 3 CREDITS
HEALTH/PERSONAL FITNESS
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School Day: 8:25 – 3:40

Class Schedule - Modified Block with 7 class periods
Mon/Tues/Fri: Periods 1 - 7 (50 min)
Wednesday: Periods 2, Tutorial A, 4, Tutorial B, 6 (90 min)
Thursday: Periods 1, 3, 5, 7 (90 min)

Tutorial A & B
Class Meetings, Remediation, Extra-Help, College Visits, Enrichment, SEAD
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CREDITS/UNITS

YEAR-LONG COURSE - 1.0 credit

HALF-YEAR COURSE - .50 credit

Credit is awarded at the conclusion of the course (January/May)

GRADING SCALE

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Formative Grades: 25%
Summative Grades: 75%

Report Cards every 9 weeks
END OF COURSE TESTS
20 % OF FINAL GRADE

PHYSICAL SCIENCE (8TH GR)
BIOLOGY
9TH Lit/Comp
ALGEBRA I
GEOMETRY
AMERICAN LITERATURE
US HISTORY
ECONOMICS
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ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) COURSES

• TAKEN IN HIGH SCHOOL FOR POTENTIAL COLLEGE CREDIT
• AP EXAM: NATIONAL EXAM TAKEN AT THE END OF THE COURSE (MAY)
• SCORING: 1-2-3-4-5, MOST COLLEGES ACCEPT 3-4-5 SCORES FOR CREDIT
• COLLEGE BOARD AP CREDIT SEARCH TOOL
• AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY - 9TH
ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSE OFFERINGS

ENGLISH
AP AMERICAN LITERATURE/LANG
AP LITERATURE

SCIENCE
AP BIOLOGY
AP ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
AP CHEMISTRY
AP PHYSICS 1
AP PHYSICS 2
AP PHYSICS C-MECHANICS

MATH
AP STATISTICS
AP CALCULUS AB
AP CALCULUS BC
AP CALCULUS AB/BC
DL CALCULUS

SOCIAL STUDIES
AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY –elective
AP WORLD HISTORY
AP US HISTORY
AP PSYCHOLOGY –elective
AP EUROPEAN HISTORY –elective

MODERN LANGUAGE
AP SPANISH LANGUAGE
AP SPANISH LITERATURE
AP LATIN
AP FRENCH
AP GERMAN

OTHER AP OFFERINGS
AP COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES
AP COMPUTER SCIENCE A
AP STUDIO: 2D DESIGN
AP STUDIO: 3D DESIGN
AP STUDIO: DRAWING
AP CAPSTONE SEMINAR
AP CAPSTONE RESEARCH

Subject to change depending on student interest
Grade 9

English

9th Literature/Composition

9th Literature/Composition Honors
Grade 9

Math

Foundations of Algebra
GSE Algebra I
GSE Algebra I and Support – 2 periods
GSE Geometry
GSE Geometry and Geometry Support – 2 periods
GSE Geometry Honors
GSE Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II Honors
GRADE 9

SCIENCE

Biology

Biology Honors
**Grade 9**

**Social Studies**

*Social Studies is not required in 9th grade, but students can take World Geography as an elective option.*

- **World Geography**
- **World Geography/Driver Ed.**
- **AP Human Geography**
GRADE 9

WORLD LANGUAGE

SPANISH 1-2
LATIN 1
FRENCH 1
GERMAN 1
SPANISH/NATIVE SPEAKERS 1-3

ADDITIONAL WORLD LANGUAGE options offered through GEORGIA VIRTUAL SCHOOL ON-LINE platform
ELECTIVE PATHWAY 1ST YEAR OPTIONS

INTRO TO BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY
INTRO TO CULINARY ARTS
INTRO TO DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
FOUNDATIONS OF ENGINEERING
MARKETING PRINCIPLES
EXAMINING THE TEACHING PROFESSION
BASIC AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE (VET SCIENCE)
FOUNDATIONS OF MANUFACTURING & MATERIAL SCI
Elective Pathway Options

Visual Arts

Visual Arts I ** Must take first
Visual Arts II
Visual Arts III
Sculpture I
Sculpture II
Sculpture III
Sculpture IV
Media Arts I - Teacher recommendation
AP Studio: 2D Design
AP Studio: 3D Design
AP Studio: Drawing
**Elective Pathway Options**

**Performing Arts**

- Adv. Choral Ensemble IV
- Theatre Arts Fundamentals II (Acting and Drama)
- Musical Theater IV
- Acting I
- Technical Theater IV
- Mastery Band IV
- Ethnic Music Studies II – Flag-Line
- Beginning Guitar - need own guitar
- Beginning Piano I
Elective Pathway Options

Physical Education

Adv. Body Sculpting (Weight Training)
Gen. PE II (Team Sports)
Driver Ed/Gen. PE II
Driver Ed/World Geography
Elective Pathway options

Journalism - Yearbook

This course introduces students to the production of the newspaper or yearbook. Students will explore careers in print media as well as mass media as a whole. Application required.
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GRADE 9 SAMPLE SCHEDULE

9TH Lit/Comp
Biology
GSE Algebra I
Health/Personal Fitness
Intro to Digital Technology
Band
Driver Ed/World Geography
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GEOMETRY HONORS
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LATIN I
AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY
BASIC AGRICULTURE SCIENCE
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Grade 9 Sample Schedule

9th Lit/Comp Honors
Biology Honors
Accelerated Geom B/Algebra II Honors
Health/Personal Fitness
AP Human Geography
Spanish II
Visual Arts I
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9TH Lit/Comp
Biology
GSE Algebra I
Algebra I Support
Health/Personal Fitness
Foundations of Engineering
World Geography
REGISTRATION – PORTAL

PARENT PORTAL

Teachers are making course recommendations in the following areas: ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies (optional)

All students will be loaded into personal fitness/health

Portal Opens - March 4th at 8:00 am

- Students/parents can view core recommendations
- Students will select elective options and 3 alternative choices to complete a 7 period class schedule.

Portal Closes – March 11th @ 4:00 pm
LOG INTO INFINITE CAMPUS PORTAL
CHOOSE STUDENT
CLICK ON REGISTRATION 2020-21
ADD COURSES USING THE COURSE #
SELECT 3 ALTERNATE COURSES
70/70 IS THE GOAL

COURSE WAIVER TO REMOVE REQUESTED COURSES.
STUDENT REQUESTS SHOWING ON PARENT PORTAL INDICATE THE COURSE RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDENT’S CURRENT TEACHER. SHOULD YOU DISAGREE OR NEED A CHANGE IN COURSE OR LEVEL, PLEASE COMPLETE THE ON-LINE CHANGE REQUEST WAIVER FORM.

LINK WILL BE AVAILABLE STARTING MARCH 16TH AT 8:00 AM AND WILL CLOSE MARCH 23RD AT 4:00 PM

WAIVER WILL BE LINKED ON THE REGISTRATION PAGE ON THE DENMARK HS WEBPAGE.
FRESHMAN ORIENTATION

DATE: AUGUST 5TH, 2020

PICK UP CLASS SCHEDULE
Tours of building
Pay fees (Locker, PE Uniform, Lunch Account)
Parking Pass pick-up
Purchase spirit wear
Bus # and route information
Clubs, Activities, Athletics — meet sponsors