



Naviance Course Planner 2016



# This year, all 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will create their 4 year plans using Naviance.

# 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students will update their 4 year plans.





Course planning in Naviance will help students:

- develop long-range plans
- help students realize their ultimate postsecondary goals.
- maximize the rigor of their course work
- gain insight into how well their course plan will prepare them for specific types of colleges.



- Important note: Naviance is not a master scheduling program or a course request manager.
- Student course requests for the 2016-2017 school year will be made through Skyward Family Connection as usual.
- Naviance course planner is a planning tool only.

The following slides will walk students through the course planner tool.



# Log Into Family Connection.

#### www.naviance.com

Search for your school using the school's zip code.

Your username and password are the same you use to login on school computers.

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Welcome to Family Connection

Please use your Student Access username and password



\*Before beginning a 4 year plan, students may want to refer to the results of their StrengthsExplorer or Career Cluster Finder assessments to help make a decision about their endorsement. Click the 'about me' tab to view results or take the assessments. .





# To create a 4 year plan, click on the Courses Tab.



#### Welcome Students!

Welcome to Family Connection by Naviance!

Family Connection is designed to assist our students with college and career planning. Utilizing the tools above will help you to set <u>future goals</u> for yourself, build a professional <u>resume</u> that can help you to get a j



### **Click on Manage My Course Plans.**





# Select 'add a new plan'.

MANAGE YOUR PLANS							
Your Current Plan(s) 🕕	STATUS	EDIT	VIEW/PRINT	SCAN	DELETE	1	view as a multi-year
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Your Draft Plan(s)	LAST EDITED	EDIT	VIEW/PRINT	SCAN	DELETE	SCHOOL	
High School							
No High School Plans							



# 8<sup>th</sup> Grade students will need to select 'high school' and then the campus where they are zoned.









## Then select 'Create new draft plan'.

Start a brand new plan from scratch	
Start a plan using the same courses in:	
	Create new draft plan



# Select a plan by clicking 'choose this one' next to the plan of your choice. The plan selected should correspond with the endorsement selected.

Plans Suggested by Your School:	
Arts and Humanities Distinguished Endorsement - Fine Arts	
If you are interested in visual art, music, or theater, and plan on taking band, orchestra, theater, choir, or art for 4 years then this endorsement is for you!	choose this one
Arts and Humanities Distinguished Endorsement - Languages Other Than English (LOTE)	
Do you want to become fluent in a language other than English? Have you dreamed of being an interpreter or perhaps working in foreign service? This may be the ideal endorsement for you!	choose this one
Arts and Humanities Distinguished Endorsement - Social Studies	
If you enjoy history and learning about other cultures, the Arts and Humanities Endorsement in Social Studies would be ideal for you!	choose this one
Business and Industry Distinguished Endorsement	
The Business and Industry Endorsement encompasses many areas. If your interests lie in agriculture, business, accounting, marketing, architecture, journalism (newspaper/yearbook/broadcasting), and information technology then the Business and Industry endorsement is for you!	choose this one
Mulitdisciplinary Distinguished Endorsement	
If you want to explore a variety of areas, consider the Multidisciplinary Endorsement. This endorsement would also be a good choice if you are planning on taking 4 or more AP courses.	choose this one
Public Services Distinguished Endorsement	
Do you love helping people? Have you thought about a career in law enforcement, fire fighting, education, health science, the military, or government? The Public Service Endorsement is made for you!	choose this one



# Start building your plan by clicking on the requirements on the left hand side of the screen





# Be sure to read the details for each requirement. This information tells exactly what credits you need to fulfill that requirement.





# Select courses for each requirement. As you start building your plan, the courses begin to populate in your draft plan. Your credits scale will also reflect courses in your plan.

Arts and Humanities D Kempner H S	listinguished Endorsemen	t - Fine Arts Draft Plan 1 (click to rename)
COURSES		
English Select English I, II, III, and one 1 half credits from the following: Research/Technical Writing; H Applications; Oral Interpretator Newspaper III, Yearbook III; AP Dual Credit English; or College credits beyond the 4 required n	full credit or a combination of two English IV; Creative Writing; umanities; Communication hil; Debate III; IS Journalism; English Literature & Composition; Prep English Additional English may be selected in electives.	0 1 2 3 4 CREDITS IN YOUR PLAN MISSING OPTIONAL
Please choose courses for ea	ach grade level shown:	
Grade 9		
Choose one of these cou	Irses:	
	r credit(s)	
Eng I Pre AP	1 credit(s)	
Grade 10		
Choose one of these cou	irses:	
O Eng II	1 credit(s)	
O Eng II Pre AP	1 credit(s)	
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Choose one of these cou	Irses:	
O Eng III	1 credit(s)	
O Eng III AP	1 credit(s)	
Grade 12		
Choose one of these cou	irses:	
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○ Eng IV	1 credit(s)	
O Eng IV AP	1 credit(s)	
	1 credit(s)	
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### At any time when building a course plan, students may click 'Review and Finalize' to review the plan while also getting alerts about credit gaps.





## Students may view their plan by requirement...





# ...or by grade level. Viewing the plan by grade level is helpful in ensuring the student has planned 7 credits per year.





## The student must submit their plan to their counselor for approval. Once approved, the plan becomes the student's current plan and may no longer be edited.

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COURSE	RE	QUIREMENT	CREDITS	PLANNED CI
Algebra I PreAP Eng I Pre AP	Mat	h Ilish	1 1	0



Once a plan has been completed, students may scan their plan to see how well their plan prepares them for various types of colleges. This option is not available for 8<sup>th</sup> grade.



# check COLLEGE POWER SCORE!



Career / 2-Year College
4-Year College
4-Year Selective College
4-Year Highly Selective College



### Scanning the plan also give students a sense of how their plan stacks up against basic entrance requirements for colleges in their 'Colleges I'm Thinking About' list.

#### COLLEGES

While we can't say for sure whether you'll get accepted, we've scanned your course plan to see if it meets the basic acceptance requirements for the colleges in your list.





Students may add colleges to their list by going back to their home page and clicking the 'colleges' tab. From there, they may click 'colleges I'm thinking about' and add schools to their list.





## If you need to work on a draft plan or edit your plan, you can do so by selecting the 'edit' pencil next to the name of the desired plan.

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<u>STEM Distinguished Endorsement - Math</u> <u>Draft Plan 1</u>	01/05/2015	()		((a))	ii	Kempner H S
<u>Arts and Humanities Distinguished</u> <u>Endorsement - Languages Other Than</u> English (LOTE) Draft Plan	01/05/2015	Ø		((m))	1	Kempner H S



### For questions about 4 year planning, choosing endorsements, high school graduation requirements, or general questions, please contact your school counselor to schedule a personal appointment.

