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## PERSONAL LEARNING PLAN for 2024-25

- Each class is worth 5 credit hours per semester.
- There are 8 periods per day; select enough options to fill your day.
- You may have one study hall.
- You may have an additional study hall for a (self-paid) ONLINE course.
- Juniors \& Seniors may have a TA period OR Early Out/Late Start
- NOTE: 10 CREDITS of PE, 10 CREDITS of FINE ARTS, 10 CREDITS of PRACTICAL ARTS, 5 CREDITS of SPEECH, and 5 CREDITS of TECHNOLOGY are required for graduation (see back).
- Be certain to check PREREQUISITES (see back) \& choose courses appropriate for your future plans.


## FRESHMEN For those seeking the most challenging classes, choose Spanish 1, Geometry.



SENIORS Most challenging classes: Honors English, Calculus, Chemistry 2, Physics, Spanish 4


Bible 40; English 40 + Speech 5; Social Science 30; Math 30; Science 30; Fine Arts 10; PE 10; Information Technology 5; Practical Arts 10; Electives 30

## ELECTIVES

Bold/** Indicates courses with weighted grading. Consult specific colleges of interest for desired program requirements and recommendations.

## ENGLISH

| Themes in Literature (Topics to be Determined) | Sem | $9,10,11,12$ | Possible Topics: Christian, Classic/College Prep, Holocaust, Monsters, Native American, <br> Sports, Women's |
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| **Honors English 10 | Year | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | Placement determined by teacher recommendation, grades, and MAP scores |
| $* *$ Honors English 11 | Year | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | Placement determined by teacher recommendation, grades, and MAP scores |
| **Honors English 12 | Year | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | Placement determined by teacher rec, grades, and MAP scores; college credit option via NWU |
| Digital Communications | Sem | $10,11,12$ | (must start semester 1; approved as Practical Arts, Fine Arts, and Technology credit) |
| **Journalism/Free Speech | Sem | $\mathbf{1 1 , 1 2}$ | college credit option via NWU; approved as Practical Arts |
| Yearbook | Year | $10,11,12$ | (approved as Practical Arts, Fine Arts, and Technology credit) |
| FINE ARTS - Must take two semesters. | Year |  |  |
| Beginning Art | $9,10,11,12$ | (Supply fees will apply.) |  |
| Advanced Art | Year |  | Prerequisite: Beginning Art or Senior (Supply fees will apply.) |
| Ceramics | Sem |  | (to be determined; checking interest); Prerequisite: Beginning Art (Supply fees will apply.) |
| Elements of Theater | Sem or Year | $9,10,11,12$ |  |
| SH Band | Sem or Year | $9,10,11,12$ | (Four years of band approved as 1 year PE credit.) |
| SH Chorale | Sem or Year | $9,10,11,12$ |  |
| SH Strings | Sem or Year | $9,10,11,12$ |  |

FOREIGN LANGUAGE - Some colleges require 2 consecutive years of foreign language for college admission. Some majors request 4 years.

| Spanish 1 | Year |  |  |
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| Spanish 2 | Year |  | Prerequisite: Spanish 1 |
| Spanish 3 | Year |  | Prerequiste: Spanish 2 |
| Spanish 4 | Year |  | Prerequisite: Spanish 3 |

PRACTICAL ARTS - Must take two semesters. (*Careers \& Consumerism \& Personal Finance are required class of 2026 and beyond)

| Accounting 1 | Year | 11,12 |  |
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| Adv. Accounting | Year |  | Prerequisite: Accounting 1 |
| Business Leadership | Sem | $10,11,12$ |  |
| Careers \& Consumerism | Sem | 11,12 | *Required for graduation |
| Intentional Living | Sem | $9,10,11,12$ | (to be determined; checking interest; Main Text: Intentional Living, John C. Maxwell) |
| Personal Finance | Sem | 11,12 | *Required for graduation Class of 2026 and beyond |
| Media Technologies | Sem or Year |  | Prerequisite: Info Tech; Project-based, can include Web \& Graphic Design |
| Foods | Sem | 11,12 | (Supply fees will apply.) |

MATH - Must take 3 years. Check admissions requirements at colleges of interest (some require 3 , some-including UNL-require 4).

| Geometry (required) | Year |  | Prerequisite: Algebra 1 |
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| Algebra 2 (required) | Year |  | Prerequisite: Algebra 1 |
| **Pre-Calculus | Year |  | Prerequisite: Geometry, Algebra 2; college credit option via SCC |
| $* *$ Calculus AP | Year |  | Prerequisite: Pre-Calculus; college credit option via SCC or AP Exam |
| Statistics | Year |  | Prerequisite: Geometry and Algebra 2 |
| PF |  |  |  |


| $\|$PE - Must take two semesters.    <br> Lifetime Wellness \& Activities Sem or Year $9,10,11,12$ College credit option via Concordia (1 credit); Includes CPR/First Aid Training (Semester 2) <br> Physical Performance Sem or Year $9,10,11,12$ Strength \& Conditioning |
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SCIENCE - Must take 3 years. Check admissions requirements at colleges of interest.

| Anatomy \& Physiology | Year | 11,12 | Prerequisite: Biology 1 |  |
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| Chemistry 1 | Year | 11,12 | Recommended Prerequisite: Physical Science |  |
| $* *$ Chemistry 2 | Year | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | Prerequisite: Chemistry 1 |  |
| $* *$ Physics | Year | $\mathbf{1 1 , 1 2}$ | Prerequisite: Currently in PreCalculus or have completed PreCalculus |  |
| Medical Terminology | Sem | 11,12 | Prerequisite: Biology 1 (approved as Practical Arts credit) |  |
| Zoology | Sem | 11,12 | Prerequisite: Biology 1 |  |
| SOCIAL STUDIES |  |  |  |  |
| Sociology | Sem | 11,12 |  |  |
| US Military History | Sem | $9,10,11,12$ | (to be determined; checking interest) |  |
| War of the Worlds | Sem | $9,10,11,12$ | (to be determined; checking interest) |  |
| World Geography | Sem | $9,10,11,12$ |  |  |

ONLINE COURSES: Juniors \& Seniors wishing to take an ONLINE COURSE to fulfill a graduation requirement must provide BOTH institution information \& course description to the school counselor for consideration/approval. Tuition/fees and proctor details are responsibility of student/parents. Approval will be based on State of Nebraska requirements. Effective beginning 2024-25 CORE REQUIRED CLASSES of Bible, English, Math, Science, Social Studies must be taken at Lincoln Christian.

