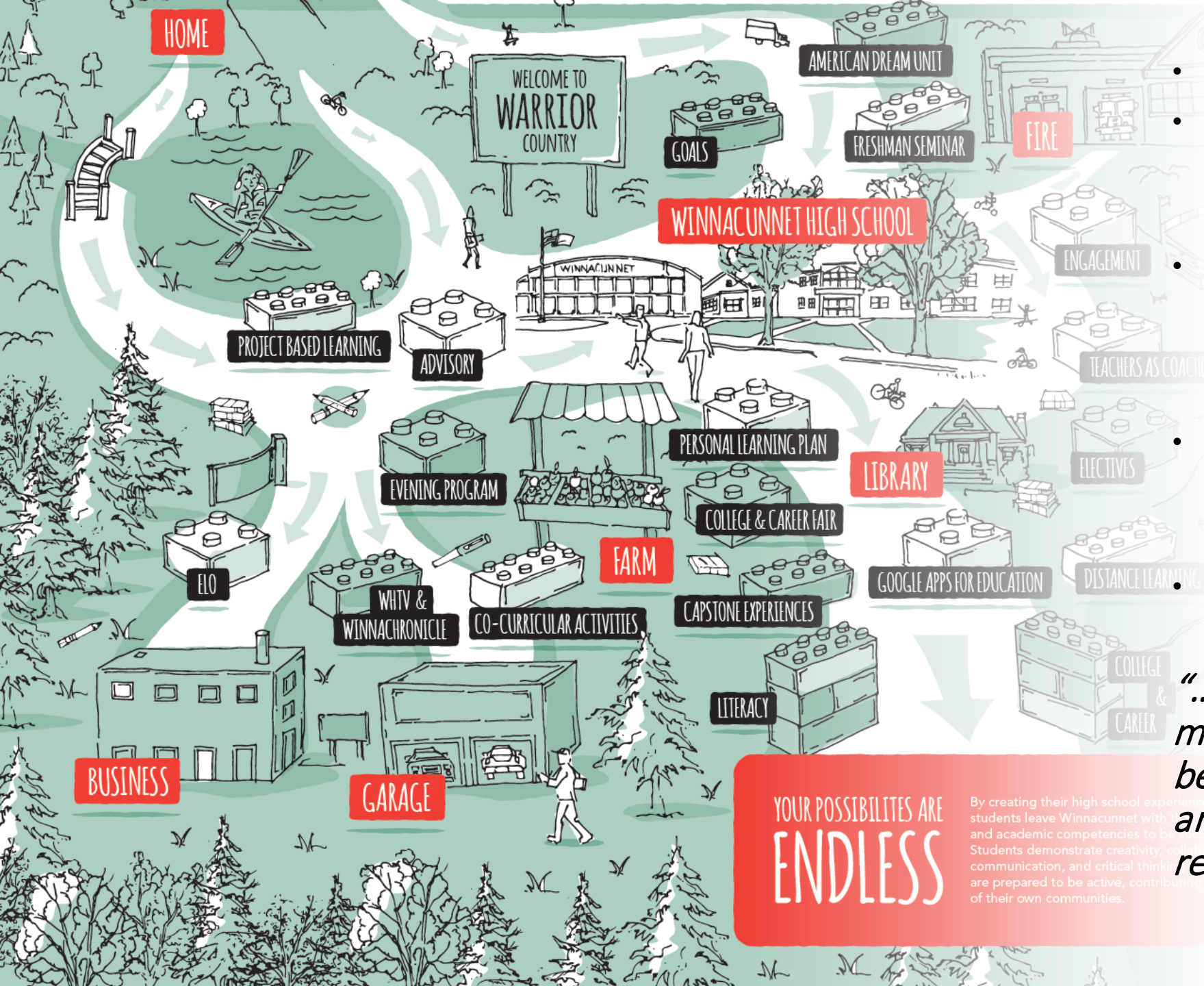




WINNACUNNET
HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE WARRIORS

The Course Selection Process



- 1074 Students
- Diverse Interests & Abilities
 - 16% Special Education
 - 21% Free/Reduced Lunch
 - 8% Title 1
- Comprehensive High School
 - Multiple Pathways
 - Core Curriculum
 - Concentration Courses and Electives
 - Extra-curricular Organizations
- Graduation Rate – 92.28%
 - 56% Four-Year Colleges
 - 12% Two-Year Colleges
 - 9% Other Academic
- Drop Out Rate – 1.19%

YOUR POSSIBILITIES ARE
ENDLESS

By creating their high school experience, students leave Winnacunnet with the skills and academic competencies to be successful. Students demonstrate creativity, collaboration, communication, and critical thinking. They are prepared to be active, contributing members of their own communities.

“... to be engaged in designing my high school experience because when I am engaged, I am the most successful and realize my potential.”

Welcome Class of 2027

Course Selection Presentation

School Counseling Department

Heather Cronan – Director

Tarnya Fegan – Mental Health Clinician

Emily Ferzoco – School Counselor

Jennifer Francoeur – School Counselor

Karen Langmaid – Registrar

Kara Page – 504 Adjustment Counselor

Jessica Parks – Administrative Assistant

Melinda Shofner – College & Career
Counselor

Timothy Spinney – School Counselor

Amy Waterhouse – School Counselor

Talley Westerberg – Social Worker

Timeline for Course Selection

January 10 th	Program of Studies is available online on WHS website	
January 18 – February 10 th	Middle School Teachers complete student recommendations in PowerSchool	
February 13 th	Class of 2027 Course Selection Night	
February 14 th - March 10 th	PowerSchool Portal opens for students to sign up for all classes based on teacher recommendations	
February 15 th – March	High School Counselor Visits	
April 13 th	Step Up Day	
August 8 th , 9 th , 10 th	Fresh Start Program- students will receive their schedule and tour the campus	



Freshman Required Courses

English: Freshman English (3 trimesters)

Freshman Seminar (1 trimester)

Math :Geometry Honors/Algebra 1 Accelerated/Algebra 1 Prep / Math I Essentials (3 trimesters)

Physical Education/ROTC: Fitness Sports & Games/ ROTC (1 trimester)

Science : Biology H/Physical Science H/ Physical Science CP/ Physical Science Essential Skills (2 or 3 trimesters)

Social Studies: Global Perspectives I & II Honors/College Prep or Essential Skills (1 trimester each)



Freshman Electives At a Glance

ART EDUCATION

Art in the Community
Beginning Art I & II

ENGLISH

Broadcast TV/WHTV
Dystopian Literature
Filmmaking
Intro to Media Journalism
Journalism/Winnachronicle
Public Speaking

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE

Child Growth and Development I & II
Fashion & Fabrics
Foods & Nutrition I

MARINE CORPS JROTC

Leadership Education I/PE
Leadership Education II

MUSIC EDUCATION

Chorus and Band are yearlong courses for a total of 3 credits each

American Popular Music
Band/Jazz Band
Beginning Guitar
Beginning Strings
Chorus/ Chamber Singers
Guitar Ensemble
Introduction to Piano and Keyboard
Introduction to Theatre
Introduction to Modern Band
Introduction to World Drumming
Music Recording and Sound Production
Advanced Modern Band
String Orchestra

More Electives

TECHNOLOGY/BUSINESS EDUCATION

Design, Create, Innovate

Introduction to Business

Intro to Computer Graphics

Intro to Engineering I

Intro to Engineering II

Robotics

Web Development & Design

Woodworking Technology I

WORLD LANGUAGES (year long)

French I

French II

Latin I

Spanish I

Spanish II

SOCIAL STUDIES

American Civil War

Asia Rising

Cultural Geography

Crime and Punishment I

Europe Reborn

Modern Issues

Sports & Society

This is Africa

The 60's

Vietnam Revisited

Women's Study

World War II

World History II



Schedule Information

- Year is divided into 3 trimesters
- 6 courses per trimester
- Courses can be a full year, 2 trimesters, or 1 trimester

Yearlong Course (three trimesters) = 6 credits

Two Trimester Course = 4 credits

One Trimester Course = 2 credits

*Band & Chorus are the exception as they are yearlong and alternate with a study hall

WHS Daily Bell Schedule

Block	Start Time	End Time
Warning	7:40 AM	
1	7:45 AM	8:40 AM
2	8:44 AM	9:39 AM
Break	9:39 AM	9:47 AM
3	9:47 AM	10:42 AM
4	10:46 AM	11:41 AM
5A	11:44 AM	12:12 PM
5B	12:12 PM	12:40 PM
5C	12:40 PM	1:07 PM
Warrior Block	1:11 PM	1:31 PM
6	1:35 PM	2:30 PM

Freshman English

Heterogenous, All Year, 6 Credits

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:		English 9				Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9				Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9				Warrior Block	

Math

Geometry Honors, Algebra I Accelerated , Algebra I Prep., Math I Essential Skills
Based on teacher recommendation
Yearlong (6 credits)

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I			Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I			Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I			Warrior Block	

Science

Physical Science (Essential Skills, College Prep, Honors), 2 trimesters (4 credits)
Biology Honors (yearlong, 6 credits)
Based on teacher recommendation

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology H		Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science pt. 1 (ES, CP, Honors)		Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science pt. 2 (ES, CP, Honors)		Warrior Block	

Social Studies

Global Perspectives I (Honors, CP, Essential Skills) AND Global Perspectives II (Honors, CP, Essential Skills)

Level based on teacher recommendation
Each class is 2 credits/ 1 trimester

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology H		Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 1 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives I (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 2 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives II (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	

PE/ROTC

Fitness, Sports, & Games (2 credits, 1 trimester) Or
ROTC (2 credits, 1 trimester)
Student can select preference

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology H	PE/ ROTC	Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 1 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives I (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 2 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives II (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	

Freshman Seminar

Required for all Freshman
Always taken during 1st trimester
2 credits/ 1 trimester

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:	Freshman Seminar	English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology H	PE/ ROTC	Warrior Block	
Trimester 2:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 1 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives I (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	
Trimester 3:		English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 2 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives II (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	

Electives!

	Block 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Advisory	Block 6
Trimester 1:	Freshman Seminar	English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology H ELECTIVE	PE/ ROTC	Warrior Block	ELECTIVE World Language
Trimester 2:	ELECTIVE	English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 1 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives I (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	ELECTIVE World Language
Trimester 3:	ELECTIVE	English 9	Geometry H, Alg. I, or Math I	Biology Honors or Physical Science part 2 (ES, CP, Honors)	Global Perspectives II (H, CP, ES)	Warrior Block	ELECTIVE World Language

Total Credits For Graduation

English	18 cr., 4 successive courses
Math	14 cr., 3 successive courses
Science	14cr., 3 successive courses
Social Studies	16 cr. 7 successive courses and concentration course
PE/ ROTC	6 cr., 3 successive courses
Wellness	4cr., 2 successive courses
Fine Arts	2cr., 1 course
ICT	2cr. 1 course
Freshman Sem.	2cr., 1 course

Total Credits Required
to graduate: 110

**You must pass
your classes to
earn credit to
graduate**

Every class is worth credits!

You can earn up to 36 credits a year and you have the potential to earn 144 credits before graduation.

Helpful Handouts

[Program of Studies](#)

WHS Diploma Requirements, pg. 3

Freshman Elective Courses at a Glance, pg. 20

[Course Selection Worksheet](#) (yellow)

Guide for you- do not need to submit

[Course Selection Guide Letter](#)

Athletics

Fall Sports

- Football
- Golf
- Soccer
- Cross Country
- Bass Fishing
- Girls Volleyball
- Spirit
- Field Hockey
- Unified Soccer

Winter Sports

- Ice Hockey
- Wrestling
- Basketball
- Indoor Track
- Swimming & Diving
- Spirit
- Bowling
- Alpine Ski
- Nordic Ski
- Unified Basketball

Spring Sports

- Baseball
- Lacrosse
- Tennis
- Track & Field
- Softball
- Boys Volleyball
- Unified Track & Field

<https://www.winnacunnet.org/athletics>



Athletic Contact Information

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aabood@warriors.Winnacunnet.org

Admin. Assistant, Heather Ziolkowski
Hziolkowski@warriors.Winnacunnet.org

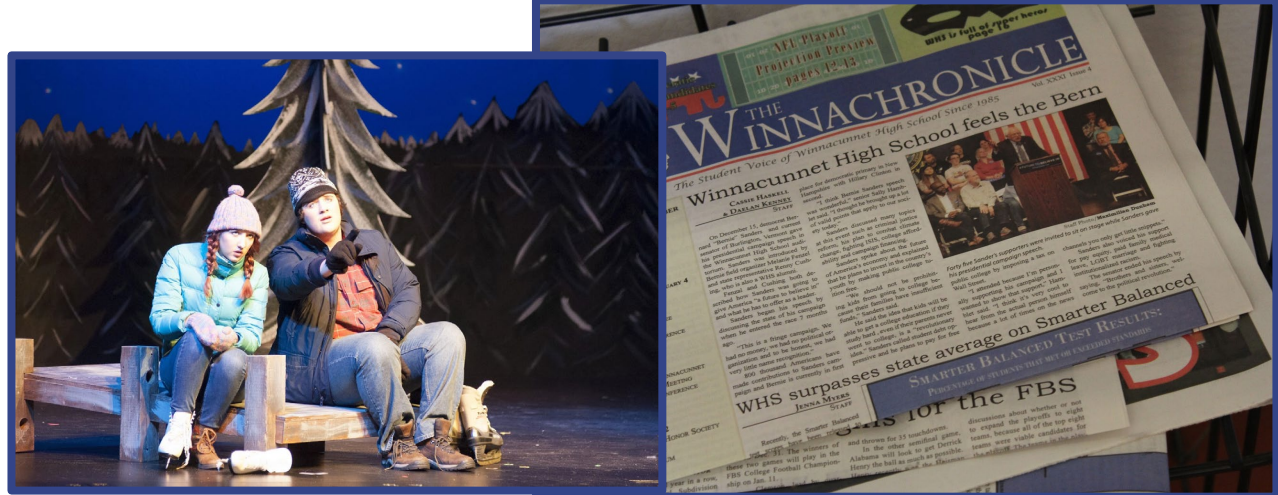
Athletic Eligibility

Students must pass 5 classes in the proceeding trimester to be eligible

- Winter Sports Eligibility determined by Trimester 1
- Spring Sports Eligibility determined by Trimester 2
- Fall Sports Eligibility determined by Trimester 3

Academic Clubs

- Destination Imagination 9 –12
- Future Educators 9 –12
- Italian Club
- Granite State Challenge
- Life Smarts 9 –12
- Literary Magazine 9 –12
- Math Team 9 –12
- National Honor Society 11-12
- Winnachronicle 10-12
- Play Productions 9 – 12
- Project Search 10-12
- Spanish Club 9 –12
- Science/Math/Engineering Team 9 – 12
- Tri Music Honor Society 11-12
- Washington Studies Close-up 10-12
- Yearbook, The Sachem 10-12
- Young Democrats 9 –12
- Young Republicans



Service and Other Opportunities

- Ambassador Corp 10-12
- Amnesty International 9 -12
- Community Service 9 -12
- Interact 9 -12
- Lighthouse Kids 9 - 12
- Students Against Destructive Decisions 9 - 12
- Winnacunnet Community Band 9 - 12
- Winnacore Volunteer Honor Society 9 - 12
- Fresh Start Counselors 10-12
- Freshman Seminar Peer Leader 11-12
- Homework Club (Big Brother/Sister) 9 -12
- Astronomy Club 9 -12
- Carpentry Call – Tech/Stage Setup 9 - 12
- Dance Team 9 -12
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes 9 -12
- Gay Straight Alliance (GSA)
- Outdoor Leadership
- Quill & Scroll International 9 - 12
- Science and Nature Club 9 -12
- Spotlight Players Thespian Society 9 -12
- Writer's Club
- Positive Pathways 9-12
- American Sign Language 9-12



Selecting Classes on the PowerSchool Portal

Scheduling Tips

- English & Freshman Seminar are selected for you
- Select all required classes (teachers have put in the recommendations)
- If you have question about the recommendation, please speak with your teacher directly or sending school counselor
- Some classes have two or three parts, and the credits are connected to the second or third part. Make sure to select all the courses



More Tips

- Read the descriptions for each course
- Watch the credit numbers at the bottom of the page
- Sign up for 33–36 credits
- Study halls do not issue credits
- Make sure to click submit when completed



Sign into the WHS PowerSchool Portal

You will use this link to sign into the PowerSchool portal:

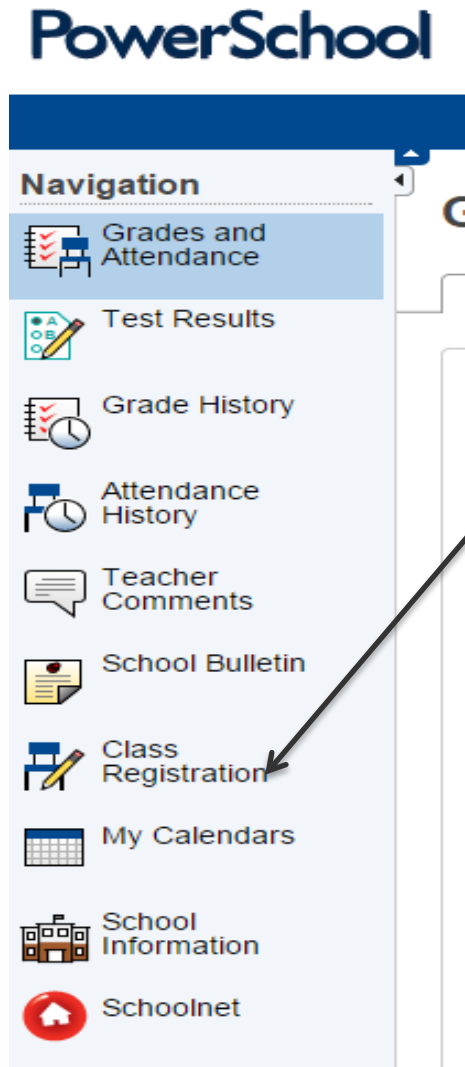
<https://Winnacunnet.powerschool.com/public/home.html>

- Username = student ID Number (current student ID)
- Password = warriors

Sacred Heart and other private schools will fill out worksheet



How to request courses on PowerSchool:



1. Log into the PowerSchool account
2. Check student name
3. Select “Class Registration”

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Freshman English and Freshman Seminar have been preselected

SIS Course Requests

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https://winnacunnet.powerschool.com/admin/powerschedule/requestsetup/requestformpreview.html?mode=preview&...

Welcome to the Winnacunnet High School Class Registration System for 2021-2022

Welcome to your freshman year! Please use the boxes below in order to select your 9th grade classes.

View course requests

Pre-selected Classes

These courses are required for all incoming students and will be automatically assigned by the system.

Number of requests to generate : 1

Freshman English

ENG107 - 6 credits

The freshman English

Freshman Seminar

FROSH1 - 2 credits

The Freshman Seminar

Math Required Courses

Click the edit button to request a course ➡

Use this box to select your required math class(es).

Number of requests to generate : 1

Physical Education Required Courses

Click the edit button to request a course ➡

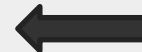
Use this box to select your required physical education class(es).

Number of requests to generate : 1

Science Required Courses

Click the edit button to request a course ➡

Use this box to select your required science class(es).



For each subject area, select the pencil icon, and a list of courses will appear.

! Subject areas with a red exclamation mark are required !

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Science Required Courses



Click the edit button to request a course ➡

Use this box to select your required science

Required

➡

Sample Selection

Math Required Courses						
Use this box to select your required math class(es).						
	Course Name ▲	Number	Course Description	Credits	 Prerequisite Note	Alerts
<input type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Accelerated	MAT125	This is an accelerated course intended for students who plan to attend a four- year college. Traditional algebra topics will be stressed including quadratic functions. In addition, selected topics from probability, statistics, and geometry will be included. Students should expect a rigorous pace with assignments every night.	6	"B" or better in 8th grade Pre-Algebra with teacher recommendation. Note: Students who took Algebra I in grade 8 may repeat Algebra I in high school for high school credit.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Prep PT 1	MAT161	This course is the first in the Algebra I series. In this course students will study algebraic topics such as operations with signed numbers, evaluating expressions, solving linear equations and inequalities, and ratios and proportions.	2	Requires Algebra I Part 2 and 3	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Prep PT 2	MAT162	This course is the second in the Algebra I series. In this course students will study algebraic topics such as graphing linear equations, and	2	Requires Algebra I Part 1 and 3	

Click on the pencil icons to select courses.

Courses are in alphabetical order

Read the Course Description

Read the Perquisite Note

The course recommended will be bolded

Select the course you are requesting by checking box on the left-hand side and then click “okay” at the bottom of the screen.

Note: If you are recommended for Algebra I you must select all 3 parts. Algebra I part 1, Algebra I part 2 and Algebra I part 3. It will not let you submit if you do not select all 3.

Math Required Courses							✕
			Statistics, and geometry will be included. Students should expect a rigorous pace with assignments every night.				▲
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Prep PT 1	MAT161	This course is the first in the Algebra I series. In this course students will study algebraic topics such as operations with signed numbers, evaluating expressions, solving linear equations and inequalities, and ratios and proportions.	2	Requires Algebra I Part 2 and 3		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Prep PT 2	MAT162	This course is the second in the Algebra I series. In this course students will study algebraic topics such as graphing linear equations, and inequalities, systems of linear equations and inequalities, and topics in both probability and statistics.	2	Requires Algebra I Part 1 and 3		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Algebra 1 Prep PT 3	MAT163	This course is the third and final course in the Algebra I series. In this course students will study algebraic topics such as rules of exponents, factoring and basic operations with polynomials. Functions.	2	Requires Algebra I Part 1 and 2		▼

Watch your total credit count at the bottom of the page when selecting electives

A submission error will appear if you select below 33 or over 36

If you sign up for one study hall, you total should be 34 credits (study halls do not carry credit)

Art Electives

Click the edit button to request a course ➡



The art department offers a wide variety of electives including exploratory, intermediate & advanced classes.

Number of requests to generate : 1

Business Electives

Click the edit button to request a course ➡



The business department offers a wide variety of electives including finance, marketing and communications.

Number of requests to generate : 1

English Electives

Click the edit button to request a course ➡



In addition to the required Freshman English class, students are able to select from a variety of English electives.

Number of requests to generate : 1

Family & Consumer Sciences Electives

Click the edit button to request a course ➡










The FACS department offers a wide variety of electives including human development, foods & nutrition, and design.

Number of requests to generate : 1

You must hit Submit when done or classes will not be saved

You must select between 33–36 credits saved !

Technology Education Department	Click the edit button to request a course ➡	 
The technology education department offers a wide variety of electives including engineering, architecture, computer graphics & woodworking.		
Number of requests to generate : 1		
World Language Department	Click the edit button to request a course ➡	 
The World Language department offers a wide variety of classes including Spanish, French & Latin.		
Number of requests to generate : 1		
Additional Requests	Click the edit button to request a course ➡	 
Requests that are currently not associated with any requirement group.		
Requires between 30 and 45 credit hours. Requesting 40 credit hours. Requesting 0 additional credit hours.		



Submit

Error Messages

education department offers a wide
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Request Submission Failed ✕
1. You did not select a course for this requirement: **Science Department**

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Click the edit button to request a course ➡

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A word from your teachers.....

Mrs. Borden & Ms. Mullen, English

Mrs. Goupil & Mr. Myers, Math

Mr. Handwork, Science

Mr. Phillips, Social Studies



Thank You

Check out the Winnacunnet
website for updated
information

You can proceed to the cafeteria
to check out electives, student
activities, student-led
tours, the school store and
speak to any of us directly