

# High School Program of Study

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Our District 833 Program of Studies serves as a guide to the many academic programs offered in the South Washington County School District.

It is designed to assist students by providing a brief description of each course offered at each district high school.





## Personalization

We will engage, motivate, and empower each student through personal instruction creating shared ownership of learning.

### Climate & Culture – Students

We will ensure safe, inclusive environments and encourage diverse perspectives through engagement, innovation and creativity.



# New Courses

- Introduction to Hospitality and Tourism Management
  - This introduction course gives students an overview of the different sectors of the hospitality & tourism industry. In addition, the course will discuss the leadership skills needed to manage the operations, human resources, and guest experiences of hospitality and tourism businesses.
- Geometry in Construction
  - This course meets the Geometry graduation requirement, and is a contextualized approach to teaching Geometry. It is recommended for students interested in pre-engineering, architecture, construction management, interior design, landscape architecture, construction trades and surveying. You will understand and exploit the interdependence between algebra and geometry and use coordinate geometry in the study of area, perimeter, volume, transformations, congruence, Pythagorean theorem, trigonometry, quadrilateral properties, circle properties, logic and functions. No previous construction experience is necessary.



# New Courses (continued)

- Latin American and Hispanic Film Studies in Spanish
  - This course is focused on the portrayal of historical, cultural and socio-political issues in Latin America and Spain through an analysis of its literature and cinema. It also strongly incorporates the representation of Latin American and Spanish literature on films and the populations' search for their identity through the art of cinema. The selected short stories and films express characteristics common to the entire subcontinent with reference to cultural heritage, landscape, political environment and the artistic development. The course is taught in Spanish and students who have completed through Spanish 4 or take the equivalent test out or placement exam.



# Additional Changes

- Genesys Works
  - Internship program that provides pathways to career success for students through skills training, meaningful work experiences, and impactful relationships.
- Mandarin Chinese Pathway to Park High School



# New for 2020-21 – SoWashCo Online Courses

- Students remain fully connected to District 833 and Face-to-face support is available if needed.
- Available Courses:
  - Economics
  - English 12
  - General Physical Education
  - Personal Finance Management
  - Personal Marketing and Brand Development
  - Political Science
  - Spanish 3
  - US History
  - Web Design and Animation



# Next Steps

- Complete Registration Materials
  - Program of Study
  - Course Registration Cards
- Registration Meetings at the Schools
- Student Registration



# Questions?

