# 2022-2023 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PARENT REGISTRATION NIGHT

IT'S A GREAT DAY TO BE A BOMBER!





# 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE TRANSITION SUCCESS AT CFHS

- Every Day Counts
- Parental Involvement
- Practice Good Study Habits
- Seek Out Help



# 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE TRANSITION SUCCESS AT CFHS

- Practice Organizational Habits
- Self Regulation
- Schoology and Infinite Campus



#### **COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS**

 It's never too early to start thinking about what comes after high school.

Ramp Up to Readiness



#### FOUR YEAR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- English 4 years
   (Literature/Composition/Speech)
- Social Studies 4 years
- Math 3 years (4 years for selective)
   (Algebra/Geometry/Algebra II)



## FOUR YEAR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- Science 3 years (4 years for selective)
   (Physical/Biology/Chemistry or Physics)
- World Language 2 years (3-4 years for selective)
- Fine or Performing Arts 1 year



## FOUR YEAR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- Honors/AP Coursework (selective)
- 70<sup>th</sup> Percentile Class Rank or Better (selective)



- English 4 credits
  - Communications 9
  - Language Arts 10
  - Media Studies
  - 1.5 other English credits



- Social Studies 4 credits
  - Civics
  - U.S. History or AP U.S. History
  - World History or AP World History
  - Economics
  - Human Geography or AP Government



- Math 3 credits
  - Intermediate Algebra or Algebra II
  - Algebra II
  - Geometry



- Science 3 credits
  - Physical Science
  - Biology
  - Chemistry or Physics



- Fine or Performing Arts 1 Credit
  - Band
  - Choir
  - Visual Arts



- PE/Health 2 credits
  - Fitness for Life
  - Health and Wellness
- Electives 7 credits



### **ELECTIVE CLASSES**

 Your child may have the opportunity to select electives.

• It is a good time to look at a world language – keep in mind that if you struggle with English, a world language will be more difficult.



# **ELECTIVE CLASSES**

• Make sure you select several alternative elective courses. We register seniors first, so sometimes elective classes do not have room for freshmen. If you do not provide alternative elective courses, those may be chosen for you.



# AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY STUDIES

- Ag Welding I
  - One semester
- Small Gasoline Engines
  - One semester
- Fab Lab (Fabrication Processes)
  - One semester
- Basic Woodworking
  - One semester



# AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY STUDIES

- Drafting
  - One semester
- Horse and Horsemanship/Companion Animals
  - One semester
- Natural Resources I
  - One semester



# **BUSINESS**

- Computer Applications
  - One semester
- General Business Studies
  - One semester



### VISUAL ARTS

#### Art I

- This is a prerequisite for most of the art classes students are allowed to take in grades 10-12
- One semester

# Drawing and Design I

- Students may be allowed to take this course with permission from the instructor
- One semester



#### WORLD LANGUAGES

- Spanish I
  - This course is taught at CFHS
  - Students should have a grade of "C" in their current English course
  - Most state colleges want students to have at least two (2) years of a world language for admission
  - Two (2) semesters/full year



### WORLD LANGUAGES

- Chinese I
  - Chinese I is an ITV course
  - Two (2) semesters
- Other world languages may be available in an online format.



#### **MUSIC**

- Concert Band
  - This is made up of students in grades 9-12
  - Concert Band meets every day
  - Two (2) semesters/full year



### **MUSIC**

- Mixed Choir
  - This choir is made up of students in 9<sup>th</sup> grade.
  - Mixed Choir meets every day
  - Two (2) semesters/full year
- Concert Choir
  - This choir is made up of students in grades 10-12
  - Concert Choir meets every day
  - Two (2) semesters/full year



# **REGISTRATION PROCESS**

- Before Registration begins, the school counselor will be in one of the 8<sup>th</sup> grade classrooms to explain the process.
- Students will get a Registration Form to review and have completed in time for their course registration during their English class.
- Students will be walked through accessing the Registration Handbook online.



### **FOUR YEAR PLAN**

- Credit Check Worksheet is in the Registration Handbook (Page 5).
- Look at classes and their prerequisites so that you can plan ahead.
- Be careful. Some classes are offered on a rotation and not available every year.



# Other Opportunities

Learn & Earn - Goodhue County Collaborative Youth Skills Training

OSHA 10 Certification through Minnesota State College Southeast in Red Wing - evening class during first semester

Employer Placement for paid internship - work site during the second semester

**Engineering Prototype Certification -**

#### **OTHER**

- •We will be glad to arrange an appointment for you to meet with the school counselor if you have further questions about your student's educational plan
- Hoffman.Kirsten@cf.k12.mn.us or see the School Counselor Website for contact information.



