Important Dates for Saugus High

March 18, 2019  ASB/Athletics Student Presentation at ASJH
March 20, 2019  Elective Classes Student Presentation at ASJH
March 21, 2019  Freshman Class Open House at SHS, 5:30pm
March 22, 2019  SHS Counselor Presentation at ASJH
March 25, 2019  Athletics Parent/Guardian Presentation at SHS, 7pm
April 8-12, 2019 **SHS Registration Week at ASJH
April-May, 2019  Band, Choir, & Theater Tryouts Week - Check SHS Website
August 6, 2019  **Freshman Registration - Pick Up Class Schedule
August 7, 2019  **Freshman Orientation Day
August 13, 2019  **First Day of School at SHS

Important Web Links
The following tabs can be found on the Saugus High School website sauguscenturions.com:

About Us  School Calendar, Daily Bulletins, Staff Directory Emails & Websites
Academics  Academic Services - Student Help, Course Catalog, Counseling Website, Tutoring List, Career Coach
Athletics  Athletic Clearance Form, Athletic Summer Camp Form, Tryout Schedule
Performing Arts  Band, Cheer, Color Guard, Theater, Dance
Students  Clubs, SHS Resource Homework Chart, Transcripts
Parents  Attendance Policy, Enrollment, School Policies, Food Services
Quick Links  Bell Schedule, School Calendar, Infinite Campus, Naviance

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# Meeting the Requirements

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<td>2 years</td>
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<td>Completion of: Modern Civilizations or AP World (10); US History or AP US History (11)</td>
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<td><strong>C. Math</strong></td>
<td>Completion of: Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II or higher</td>
<td>Must Complete: Algebra I</td>
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<td>Must have a minimum of 6 semesters of math.</td>
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<td>Biology</td>
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<td>Choice: Chemistry or Physics</td>
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<td>Third year of science required at SHS.</td>
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<td><strong>E. Language Other Than English</strong></td>
<td>Completion of the second level of language or higher</td>
<td>No language requirement.</td>
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<td><strong>F. Fine Art</strong></td>
<td>One year-long course of visual and performing arts or two one-semester courses from the same discipline</td>
<td>If no language taken, student needs any 2 fine arts.</td>
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<td>If one year of language taken, student needs only 1 fine art.</td>
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<td><strong>G. Additional Year</strong></td>
<td>1 extra year of academics (math, English, science, history, foreign language, fine arts) beyond the minimum</td>
<td>Students must reach a total of 230 credits to graduate.</td>
<td>5 additional years required (English, math, science, history, foreign language, or philosophy)</td>
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<td><strong>H. Health</strong></td>
<td>Not required.</td>
<td>1 health class required.</td>
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<td><strong>I. Practical Art</strong></td>
<td>Not required.</td>
<td>1 practical art required.</td>
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<td><strong>J. PE</strong></td>
<td>No PE requirement.</td>
<td>4 semesters of PE or athletics</td>
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<td><strong>K. GPA/Ranking</strong></td>
<td>CSU typically takes the top 25% and UC takes the top 12.5% of a graduating class.</td>
<td>No GPA or rank requirements.</td>
<td>GPA Sliding Scale: A higher GPA will lower the score needed on the SAT/ACT for an athlete to qualify through NCAA Clearinghouse.</td>
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<td>Must have at least 230 credit.</td>
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**Meeting the Requirements**

- University Requirements:
  - Minimum for CSU & UC “College Prep” Requirements

- High School Requirements:
  - Minimum requirements for a diploma & Community College

- NCAA Division I & Division II Eligibility - 16 Core Classes:
  - 2 years of social science
  - Completion of: Modern Civilizations A/B (10), US History A/B (11)
All classes offered at SHS are year-long. The “A” semester is offered in the fall and the “B” semester is offered in the spring. Students should be challenged by their course load, but not overwhelmed.

### Student Sample #1 Four-Year Planning

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<td>AP Chemistry</td>
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<td>Modern Civilizations</td>
<td>AP Statistics</td>
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Information about Student Schedules

Required Courses
All freshmen must take 6 courses to stay on track with graduation requirements. Four of the six classes are math, English, science, and physical education (PE or sport). The remaining two courses are electives, which sometimes have pre-requisites for enrollment.

Open Period
All students will have one open period on their schedule. The open period is a placeholder specifying that students do not have to attend class at that time. Most freshmen will have an open first period with the exception of Band, Dance, Color Guard, SNN, or Journalism.

First Period
Generally, freshmen start their day at 7:57am. The exception would be participation in a production class or sport. If your student sees a first period listed on his/her schedule and this is not preferred, see your counselor during registration.

Unscheduled
Prior to registration, the master schedule is subject to change at any time prior to the start of the school year. If “unscheduled” is listed on your student schedule, you MUST see a counselor to get this fixed.

2 Course Titles in One Period
If students see this on their schedule, see your counselor during registration.

Physical Education
Mandated by the State of California and upheld by the William S. Hart UHSD, all freshmen will be enrolled in PE, a sport, or Marching Band for the entire year.

Electives
Elective classes may fulfill both graduation and a-g requirements; this varies based on the coursework completed over the four years of high school. Elective classes will not be changed on the first day of school.

Teacher Requests
Counselors make it a priority to enroll students in the correct course titles and the number of required classes to meet graduation requirements. Due to scheduling conflicts, we are unable to honor requests.

CTE Pathways
Following a specific pathway may require taking an additional coursework. While it is not ideal for your student to enroll in seven classes, it sometimes cannot be avoided.

Sports
Freshmen interested in participating in a CIF sport must tryout. Coaches will send the counselors a final roster; you will only be scheduled for the class if you are on the roster. Eligibility is based on a minimum 2.0 GPA every 10 weeks per semester.

History Classes
Freshmen do not take history until sophomore year.

Brunch/Nutrition Period
We have two separate brunch periods. Check the bell schedule; it’s based on your period 3 class.
9th Grade Class Choices

9th graders must take a minimum of 6 classes.

Directions: Circle your desired courses for next year. To view the course description go to sauguscenturions.com. Click on the “Academics-Course Catalog” tab on the top toolbar.

**English**

**Subject to placement test and/or ASJH teacher recommendation.**

- English 9
- **Honors English 9**
- **^Counselor approval required.**
- **^Basic English 9**

**Science**

**Placement based on rigorous criteria and a contract.**

- Biology
- **AP Biology**
- **^Counselor approval required.**
- **^Basic Science**

**Math**

**Subject to placement test and/or ASJH teacher recommendation.**

- Algebra I
- **Geometry**
- **Honors Algebra I**
- **Honors Geometry**
- **^Counselor approval required.**
- **^Basic Algebra A/B**

**Foreign Language**

Must have a “B” average in 8th grade English otherwise students will be placed in College and Career Seminar. Fluent speakers can advance levels with teacher recommendation.

- Spanish I
- French I
- Chinese I

**Physical Education & Sports**

Visit sauguscenturions.com and click on “Athletics” for updated sport and performing arts tryout information. Students will be placed in a PE class and then changed to a sports team pending roster lists from coaches.

- General PE
- Band
- Football
- Aquatic Fit
- ROTC Sci/PE

**Electives**

Please choose your top 6 elective choices from the course offerings in order of preference starting with #1 as your most desired choice. Every effort will be made to honor students’ preferences; however electives are never guaranteed.

1. ____________________
2. ____________________
3. ____________________
4. ____________________
5. ____________________
6. ____________________
### Fine Art
- AP Art History
- Art
- Ceramics
- *Digital Media Arts I
- Guitar/Music Appreciation
- Mixed Chorus
- Theater Arts I
- *Video I

### Practical Arts
- *AP Comp. Sci. Principles
- Business Law/Marketing
- Computer Applications
- Digital Game Design
- *Intro to Business
- *Intro to Engineering Design
- *MLR (Auto I)
- *Wood I

### Miscellaneous
- AP Human Geography
- Colled & Career Seminar
- Creative Writing
- Journalism
- Literary Magazine

### Courses with Additional Requirements
- ASB - by application only
- *Sports Medicine - by application only
- Advanced Choir - auditions 5/23 & 5/24
- Theater - auditions 5/21 & 5/22
- REACH - by application only
- Yearbook - by application only
- Marching Band - auditions May TBA

### Pathway Classes - On Campus
- *Classes marked with on campus elective classes that support a pathway. Keep in mind that some classes may be after school.
- Arts, Media & Entertainment
- Construction
- Automotive Technology
- Digital Media
- Business
- Engineering (Aerospace or Adv. Manufacturing)
- Computer Science & Information Technology
- Sports Medicine

### Pathway Classes - Off Campus
- Students interested in any of these pathways should contact College & Career Readiness Specialist Kari Dahlquist at kdahlquist@hartdistrict.org or visit her in the counseling office.
- Animal Science
- Information Technology
- Education
- Law & Government/Admin of Justice
- Fire Science
- Travel, Tourism & Hospitality