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Novi High School Graduation Requirements

Developing Each Student's Potential with a World Class Education

4 English Credits

1 – Ninth Grade English
1 – Tenth Grade English
1 – Eleventh Grade English, AP English Language & Composition, or IB English HL1
1 – Twelfth Grade English. AP English Literature & Composition, AP English Language & Composition, or IB English HL 2

3 Social Studies Credits

1 – United States History: 1877 – Present or AP US History *(any time after 9th grade)*
1 – Civics & Economics
1 – World History or IB World History SL/HL 1

4 Mathematics Credits

1 – Algebra I
1 – Geometry or Honors Geometry
1 (2) – Algebra II, Honors Algebra II, or Algebra IIA and IIB
1 – Additional math or math-related course in final year of high school

3 Science Credits

1 – Biology
2 – Earth Science, Chemistry, or Physics (must complete 2 of these courses)
- *AP or IB courses may substitute the regular version of coursework*

.5 Physical Education Credits

.5 Health Credits

1 Visual, Performing or Applied Arts (VPA) Credit

2 World Language *(language other than English)*
- *Required for all students beginning with the class of 2016*

6 Additional Elective Credits *(for Class of 2015)*
- *4 Elective Credits for Class of 2016 & Beyond*

Novi High School
Counseling Department

Tips for Academic Success

There are a number of things you can do to feel more comfortable with your academic workload. Please review the list below!

1. Communicate with your teachers! Ask for help; see them before or after school or before or after class. Use in class opportunities as well.
2. Encourage your parents to communicate with your teachers and use MiStar Parent Portal to keep up-to-date on your attendance and grades.
3. Use your planner to organize due dates, quiz/test dates, etc.
4. If your planner isn't sufficient then please come down to the counseling office or go to the counseling website and get a "Weekly Student Progress Report" to help organize your classes and get feedback from your teachers.
5. Utilize tutoring resources. These are available in the counseling office and are frequently emailed out to students.
6. Be present. Not just in attendance but be alert in class.
7. Learn to prioritize all of the activities in your life…school, work, clubs, sports, fun, etc.
8. Learn to prioritize your homework at night. What's required, what's optional, what's weighted more, etc.
9. Take a deep breath. You have time to get on track. Only your final semester grades are indicated on your transcript so please don't panic over marking period grades- there is time to make improvements.
10. Take time for yourself…mental health is important! Get enough sleep at night, eat nutritious foods, talk to someone when you are stressed, exercise, etc.

Expect a GREAT year!

Novi High School
24062 Taft Rd.
Novi, MI 48375

Weekly Student Progress Report

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date: _____

Reason for Use: _____

Requested by: ( ) Teacher ( ) Counselor ( ) Administrator ( ) Parent ( ) Student

SCHEDULE	TEACHER INITIAL	CURRENT GRADE	ATTENDANCE			ATTITUDE			MISSING WORK		COMMENTS
			Good	Fair	Poor	Good	Fair	Poor	Yes	No	
1-											
2-											
3-											
4-											
5-											
6-											

Please have this signed and returned tomorrow.

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Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Academic Support & Tutors

Novi Public Library Resources

Go to http://www.novilibrary.org/Resources/HomeworkResourceCenter.asp for more information on the variety of resources available through the library.

A free world-class education for anyone anywhere.

The Khan Academy is an organization on a mission. We're a not-for-profit with the goal of changing education for the better by providing a free world-class education to anyone anywhere. All of the site's resources are available to anyone. It doesn't matter if you are a student, teacher, home-schooler, principal, adult returning to the classroom after 20 years, or a friendly alien just trying to get a leg up in earthly biology. The Khan Academy's materials and resources are available to you completely free of charge.

http://www.khanacademy.org/

Use this website to find qualified home tutors in your area.

http://www.wyzant.com

Also, many students find success with **Sylvan Learning Center of Novi.**

Phone: 248.344.1474
http://tutoring.sylvanlearning.com/centers/48375/index.cfm

Novi Community Education
25345 Taft Rd Novi MI 48374-2423
(248) 449-1206 fax (248) 449-1716

Need help in Math?

Sign up today for the Math Tutorial Program.

Math Tutorial is for high school students needing assistance with their current Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, PreCalculus, Statistics, AP Statistics, Calculus, AP Calculus AB, IB Math Studies, or IB Math SL 1 or 2 class. (Includes honors courses.)
Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday for 45 minutes, a total of 4.5 hours of tutoring.

Tuesday & Thursday	Class maximum- 4 teachers	Time Slots
	16 students per time slot	2:15 - 3:00 PM
	4:1 ratio of students to teacher	3:00 - 3:45 PM

Session 1: September 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30
Session 2: October 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21
Session 3: October 23, 28, 30, November 6, 11, 13
Session 4: November 18, 20, December 2, 4, 9, 11
Session 5: December 16, 18, January 6, 8, 13, 15

Fee: $63 Session 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
$42 Mini Exam Cram

Register in the Novi High School attendance office B

with Mrs.Wareck, (248) 449-1521

Make check payable to **Novi Community Education**.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY VOLUNTEER TUTORS, 2014-2015

NAME	Grad. Year	E-MAIL (Print clearly)	Preferred age level: HS,MS,Elem	BI-LINGUAL?	SUBJECT AREAS ABLE TO TUTOR
Catherine Boileau	2016	caboileau@novischools.net	Any		Math through Pre-Calc, Earch Science, Bio, Chem, any English or Soc. Studies
Hyunji Choi	2016	hchoi@novischools.net	Any		Math
Victoria Engler	2016	vengler@novischools.net	HS		Japanese
Zach Woolston	2015	zwoolston@novischools.net	HS		CAD, Pre-Engineering, 2D and 3D Cad
Kamal Khan	2016	kkhan@novischools.net	Any		Math, science
Emma Kehus	2016	ekehus@novischools.net	Any		Math
Megan Hartmus	2016	mhartmus@novischools.net	Elementary		Math, English, Social Studies
Unie Gu	2016	ugu@novischools.net	Any		History
Namratha Atluri	2015	Nammu.atluri@gmail.com	Any		Any foreign language esp. Spanish
Sheng Chen	2015	Richard_chen3473@hotmail.com	Any		Chinese
Asritha Vinnakota	2015	asvinnakota@novischools.net	HS, MS		Bio, Chem, Algebra, History, Civics/Ec.
Mahati Vavilala	2015	M22vavilala@yahoo.com	MS, Elem	Spanish	Math, Science, English, Spanish
Palvi Bhardwaj	2015	Palvi97@gmail.com	HS, MS		Math, Science
Jiaying Li	2015	jili@novischools.net	Any	Japanese	Math, English, Social Studies, Japanese, Bio, Chem
Wenyu Shi	2015	wshi@novischools.net	HS, MS	Chinese	Chinese, Physics, Bio, Chem, Calc, etc

STUDY SKILLS GROUP

Struggling with assignments, homework, and tests…

Study skills will help your students:

- Learn new techniques for effective learning
- Work on making their own innovative study plans
- Adapt innovative methods for better outcomes
- Help overcome hindrances in academic achievement

The Study Skills groups are for Elementary, Middle School and High School students, and are **FREE** of charge!

Date: Elementary School: Saturday November 8, 2014
Middle School: Saturday November 15, 2014
High School: Saturday November 22, 2014

Time: Saturday 9:30am–2:30pm
(including a break for lunch, kids bring their own)

Location: 308 Pawley Hall, Oakland University
Rochester, MI 48309

For more information and to register please call the

SEHS Counseling Center at ***(248) 370-2633.***