



# 2024-2025 Alvirne High School Course Selections

Grade 9

Welcome to Alvirne High School! The School Counselors look forward to working with you and your student to ensure their transition to high school goes smoothly. Students are required to earn 24 credits for graduation. All students are required to take a **minimum of seven credits and a maximum of eight credits** in their freshman year. Five of those credits are **required** classes and freshmen can then select from many elective classes to fulfill the other credits. The student's current teachers will be recommending the appropriate level for the required classes. In March/April you and your student will be scheduling an appointment to meet with your Alvirne Counselor to review your course selections.

English, Social Studies, Mathematics, Science and Wellness (Health/Physical Education) are the required classes. There is a Fine Arts and Computer requirement also, many students choose to take those during freshman year. Foreign Language is not an Alvirne graduation requirement, but college bound students should take a minimum of two years of a foreign language.

Please visit our website to view the Program of Studies for a detailed description of all classes offered at Alvirne.

Please use this grid to enter the classes you hope to enroll in during your freshman year. Remember, math and wellness are year-long courses and to select both semesters of English, science, and social studies.

Blocks	Course	Semester 1	Semester 2
1	English		
2	Math		
3	Science		
4	Social Studies		
5	Wellness	Wellness	Wellness
6	Elective		
7	Elective		
8	Elective/Study		

## Courses offerings

### English\*

#	Course	Length
ENG101	English 9 Honors	Sem 1
ENG103	English 9 Honors	Sem 2
ENG116	English 9 CP	Sem 1
ENG117	English 9 CP	Sem 2
ENG108	English 1 Workshop	Year(2 periods)

### Math\*

#	Course	Length
MATH404	Algebra 1B CP	Year (2 Periods)
MATH408	Pre-Algebra	Year
MATH409	Algebra I CP	Year
MATH411	Algebra I Honors	Year
MATH440	Algebra II A CP	Year
MATH436	Algebra II Honors	Year

### Science\*

#	Course	Length
SCI517	Earth Science Hon	Sem 1
SCI519	Earth Science Hon	Sem 2
SCI505	Earth Science CP	Sem 1
SCI507	Earth Science CP	Sem 2
SCI520	Earth Science WKS	Sem 1
SCI518	Earth Science WKS	Sem 2

### Social Studies\*

#	Course	Length
SS202	World History Hon	Year
SS279	World History I CP	Sem 1
SS281	World History II CP	Sem 2
SS205	World History I WKS	Sem 1
SS207	World History II WKS	Sem 2

### World Language

#	Course	Length
LANG310	World Culture/Film	Sem
LANG315	French I CP	Year
LANG321	French II Hon	Year
LANG320	French II CP	Year
LANG355	Spanish I CP	Year
LANG366	Spanish II Hon	Year
LANG368	Spanish II CP	Year
LANG389	Amer. Sign Lang. CP	Year
LANG397	Russian Lang. CP	Year

### Art

#	Course	Length
ART901	Mixed Media	Semester
ART903	Comic & Children's	Semester
ART905	Drawing & Painting	Semester
ART912	Intro to Ceramics	Semester
ART913	Adv. Ceramics	Semester
ART916	Interior Design.	Semester
ART917	Fiber & Textile Art	Semester
ART921	Intro to Graphic Des.	Semester

### Music

#	Course	Length
ART960T	Music Theory	Semester
ART953	Concert Choir	Year
ART956	Concert Band	Year
ART958	Jazz Band	Year
ART957H	Symphonic Band	Year
ART961	History of Rock	Semester
ART963	Piano Lab	Semester
ART954	Chamber Choir	Year
ART969	Intro to Guitar	Semester

### Computers

#	Course	Length
COMP607	Intro to Dig. Media	Semester
COMP632	Coding & Gaming	Semester

### Wellness\*

#	Course	Length
PE502	Wellness	Year

### Electives

#	Course	Length
FACS761	Food Works I	Semester
FACS763	Food Works II	Semester

### CTE Options

#	Course	Length	#	Course	Length
CTE701	Woodworking 1	Semester	CTE842	Retail Florist I	Semester
CTE706	Adv. Woodworking	Semester	CTE843	Retail Florist II	Semester
CTE796	JROTC II	Year	CTE845	Growing your Future	Semester
CTE809	Canine Science	Semester 1	CTE848	Forestry	Year
CTE813	Pet Care	Semester	CTE880	Health & Human Serv	
CTE816	Equine Science	Semester 2		Exploration	Semester
CTE829	Small Engines	Semester	CTE893	Child Development	Semester
CTE832	Intro to Welding	Semester	CTE899	Human Relationships	Year
			CTE901	Care and Support	Semester

**Students are required to select a course(s) in the departments marked with an \***