# Summer School

Registration for summer classes will be accepted until courses are filled. Classes are held daily from 7:45am-12:15pm.

Cost: \$90.00 per session Session 1: 6/8 – 6/26 Speech | World Cultures Session 2: 6/29 – 7/17 Speech Driver Education: 6/8 – 7/3 (\$55.00) Students enrolled in summer Driver Ed. cannot take a Session 2 course

## **Driver Education**

Students are assigned to Driver Education based on their date of birth and take this course in place of 9 weeks of PE. Full credit is still given for PE.

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter – April 2000-July 2000 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter – August 2000-October 2000 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter – November 2000-January 2001 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter – February 2001-March 2001

# Math Placement

Math placements are based on a reliable matrix used in the M-S district for nearly 20 years. The matrix considers the following factors: 8<sup>th</sup> grade math course, grades, Orleans-Hanna Algebra Prognosis Test, 7th Grade Math Standardized Scores, and homework/work ethic.

Incoming freshmen will be placed in Pre-Algebra, Algebra IA, Algebra I, or Honors Geometry.

# **Course Selection Dates**

2/2/15 – Counselors distribute information to students.
2/2/15 Parent meeting
2/2-2/4/15 – Students and parents discuss course options
2/4-2/6/15 – Counselors work with students individually and discuss their selections

# **Course Selection**

#### Semester 1

- 1. English 1
- 2. Math: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Biology
- 4. Health or P.E.
- 5. Study Hall
- 6. Elective \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Elective \_\_\_\_\_

#### Semester 2

- 1. English 1
- 2. Math: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Biology
- 4. Health or P.E.
- 5. Study Hall
- 6. Elective \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Elective \_\_\_\_\_

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Please see the Course Selection Guide for more information on Freshmen elective courses. The guide can be found at www.MSHScounselors.com



Mahomet-Seymour Community School District #3



### QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE for PARENTS of the CLASS OF 2019

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### Overview

Mahomet Seymour High School offers over 100 courses to challenge each student to reach his/her potential. Class periods are forty-nine minutes in length, five days per week.

Students receive one-half credit per semester for each course successfully completed [excluding Physical Education (.25 credits), and Driver's Education (0.0 credits)].

Lunch periods are assigned based on a student's 4<sup>th</sup> period class. Schedules, including teacher assignments, are made randomly. Requests for a specific schedule and/or teacher cannot be honored.

# **Graduation Requirements**

20 academic credits are required for graduation, including the following courses:

- 4.0 credits in English, including Speech Communication
- 3.0 credits in Mathematics
- 2.0 credits in Science
- 2.0 credits in Social Studies, including one credit of U.S. History and one-half credit of consumer education or its equivalent
- 1.0 credit in World Language, Fine Arts, or Vocational Education
- 0.5 credit in Health

## **College Requirements**

College-bound students will be encouraged to take additional courses in core academic areas. Please refer to the Course Selection Guide for more details.

Grading Scale			
A+, A A-	93-100 90-92	C+ C	77-79 73-76
B+	87-89	C-	70-72
В	83-86	D+	67-69
B-	80-82	D	63-66
		D-	60-62

# Academic Letter

Requirements for an academic letter include: enrollment in at least 5 academic courses each semester, GPA of 4.6, and no D's or F's in any course.

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# Parent Connect

Keep up with your student's grades throughout the semester by using Parent Connect. You can access Parent Connect through the MSHS website. You will be provided with a password to be used with your individual user ID. Your user ID will be your student's school ID number.

1. Login from the MSHS website.

2. Click the Grade Books Tab.

3. From the list of your student's courses, select the semester you would like to view.

4. Details of your student's grade will appear. Your student's current grade will show in the Summary section at the top right.

If you have lost or did not receive Parent Connect login information and the 2013-2014 school year is underway, contact your student's counselor for access.

For questions and/or concerns about your student's grades, feel free to contact his/her teachers directly. Email contact information is available from the high school website.

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The mission of Mahomet-Seymour High School is to develop life-long learners, effective communicators, and responsible citizens.