



Newberry High School

Freshman Academy Orientation

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Academic

Career

Personal/Social Development

SC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

SUBJECT	UNITS REQUIRED
English	4
Mathematics	4
Science (Need 3 lab sciences for a four year college)	3
US History and Constitution	1
Economics	0.5
US Government	0.5
Other Social Studies	1
Physical Ed or Junior ROTC	1
Computer Science	1
Modern Language (Need 2-3 years for a four year college) or Career & Technology Elective	1
Electives (Need at least 1 Fine Art credit for a four year college)	7
TOTAL UNITS REQUIRED	24

PROMOTION & RETENTION

	10 th	11 th	12 th
Minimum Units Required	6	12	18
English Units Required	1	2	3
Math Units Required	1	2	3
Science Unites Required	Enrolled in 1 Unit	1	2
Social Studies Units Required	Enrolled in 1 Unit	1	1
Attendance Matters			

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Student attendance laws require the following days present to receive credit provided the student receives a passing grade in the course:

- ❖ In a 90-day course (semester courses), a student must attend 85 days.
- ❖ In a 180-day course (yearlong courses), a student must attend 170 days.

Students who exceed the approved limits for unexcused absences do not receive credit in the course.

EXAMS

End of Course Testing (EOC)
(20% of your final grade)

- ❖ *Algebra 1*
- ❖ *English 1*
- ❖ *Biology 1*
- ❖ *U.S. History*

SCHEDULING

- Most freshman will have 7 classes total
 - Core classes (English, Math, Science, Social Studies) will meet everyday.
 - Elective classes will alternate (A Day, B Day Schedule)
 - Freshman Focus is an elective that students will have daily.
- Time Frame
 - Freshman Focus 45 min.
 - Core Classes 65 min.
 - Last block electives 90 min.
- Honors Track Schedule

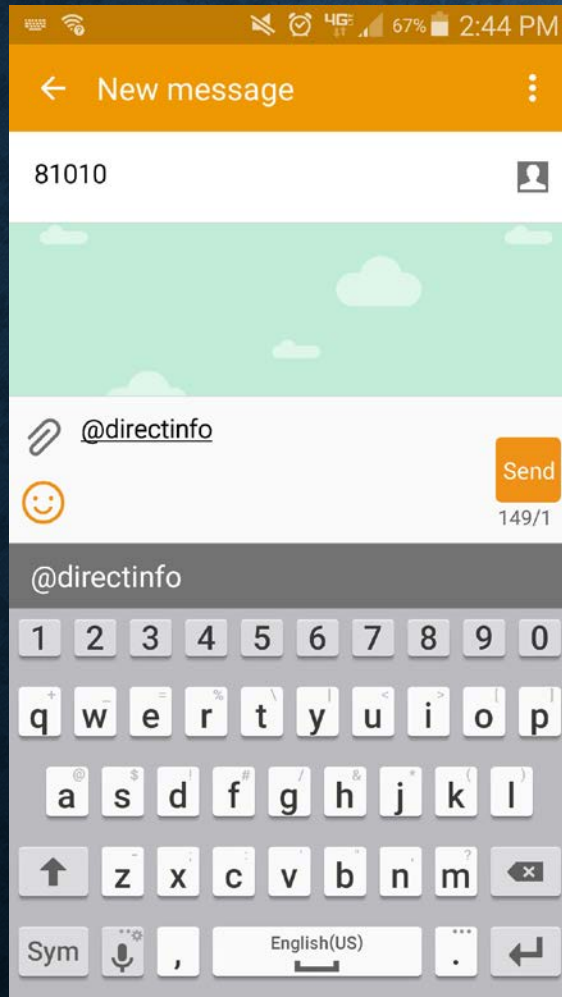
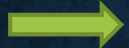
STUDENT ATHLETES

- Tell your high school counselor you plan to participate in college athletics.
- At the end of your 10th grade year, register with the NCAA Eligibility Center.
- “2.3 or Take a Knee”
 - Student athletes must have at least a 2.3 CORE GPA in order to be eligible to play at the college level.
- Meeting in the gym for parents of student athletes following this meeting.

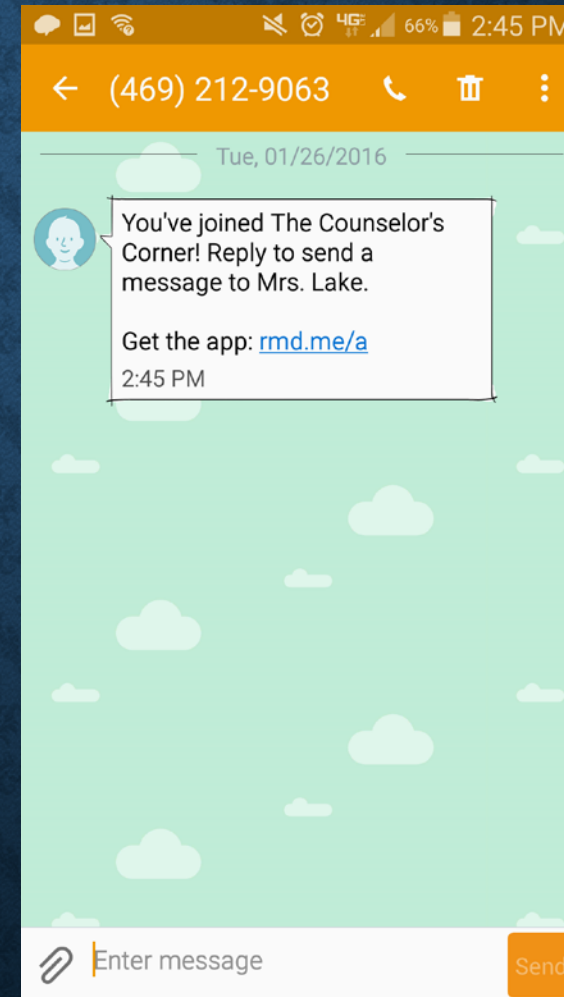
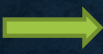


NHS COUNSELOR'S CORNER

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Once you join the Counselor's Corner you will receive updates and reminders from the NHS Guidance Department.

You will get the message to the left as confirmation you are enrolled.

Standard text message rates apply

THANKS FOR JOINING US!

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