

# Poway High School

## Instructions for 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Request Form

Welcome! Course selection is an important process for academic success. Choose your classes based on graduation requirements, your goals after high school and your teacher's recommendations. Our goal is for all students to be prepared for a full range of post-secondary options upon graduation. It is important that you take these materials home and discuss them with your parent(s). The following points are important reminders to help you complete your 9<sup>th</sup> grade course request form.

- 1) Print a copy of the 9<sup>th</sup> grade CRF.
- 2) Complete the top information; including your name, phone number, date of birth, your email address and your parents' email address.
- 3) Parents must sign the Course Request Form (CRF).
- 4) Please return your completed CRF by the **requested deadline at your middle school**. Keep a copy for your own records.
- 5) **IMPORTANT/REQUIRED:** Submit your course selections via **ONLINE REGISTRATION** from **March 16 to March 31**. Please refer to attached sheet for further instructions.
- 6) Students choose a total of 18 courses on the CRF (15 course selections including 3 alternates). 9<sup>th</sup> graders may take 4-5 classes each trimester. One off roll in one trimester counts as one selection.
- 7) Review high school graduation requirements vs. college entrance requirements. Choose your classes accordingly. Resources can be found on the Poway High School website (go to Academics>Academic Planning by Grade Level>Incoming Freshmen>Registration Information). This includes course descriptions, sample 4 year plans, a-g requirements, etc.
- 8) **It is recommended to consult with your current teachers to determine appropriate placement in English, Math, Science, World Language and any AP course.**  
If you are requesting an AP course, a signed and completed AP Agreement is required along with your completed CRF.
- 9) If you are moving, please turn in a complete CRF with "**MOVING**" written across the top. If you are requesting an intra-district transfer to another school, please turn in a completed Course Request Form with "**IDT to (identify the school) IN PROGRESS**" written across the top.
- 10) **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Family Night is March 15, 2022** - Great opportunity to learn more about Poway High!