

ACADEMIC AND CAREER PLANNING PARENT MEETING

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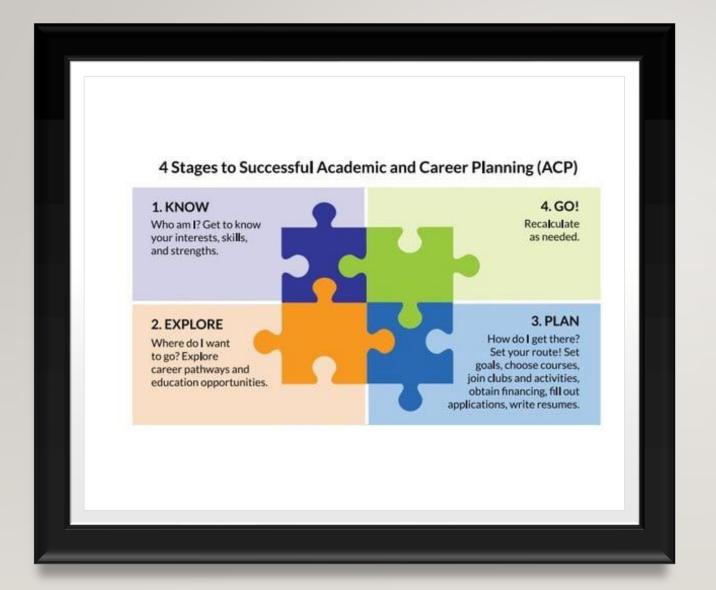
Lord, we come to you today to ask for wisdom, knowledge, and understanding to help guide our students as they pursue academic excellence. Please help us be role models to the children entrusted to us. God, continue being our shining light at Regis High School and bless our families, students, and staff.

In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen

## Academic and Career Planning (ACP)

Students at Regis High School are strongly encouraged to take advantage of the excellent academic course offerings available by challenging themselves to enroll in classes that align with their God-given strengths and talents. Being involved and strongly encouraging academic persistence with challenging coursework is one of the best ways to ensure success for a student's next steps in their journey.

WI DPI: ACP is intended to equip students and their families with the tools necessary to make more informed choices about postsecondary education, training, and careers for life after high school. It is part of DPI's overall vision for every student to graduate high school academically, socially, emotionally, and life-ready.



#### **ACP STEPS:**

- **Know:** What are your strengths, weaknesses, talents, and interests?
- **Explore:** What is the vision you have for your future? What do you want to do after high school, 2-year, 4-year, military, gap year, workforce?
- **Plan:** Combine your strengths/interests with your vision. Set attainable educational goals.
- **Go**: Take courses that set you up for success. Reflect and evaluate your plan often.

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TRIMESTER COURSE FOR ALL 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS

INTRODUCE HIGH SCHOOL OPTIONS

ACP – REGIS MIDDLE SCHOOL

**EXPLORE CAREER OPTIONS** 

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

FIELD TRIPS

# WHAT COURSES SHOULD YOU TAKE AND WHEN?

Priority is always on meeting high school requirements



- Each dual credit or advanced option has specific requirements
- Not all options work in schedules or are appropriate for all students
- Maturity matters Just because you can doesn't mean you should.

## Graduation Requirements

To graduate from Regis High School students must successfully earn 26 credits. Students must complete and receive credit in the following subject areas.

#### LANGUAGE ARTS 4 CREDITS INCLUDING:

English 9 (Literature Survey) (1.0) English 10 (Humanities/Speech) (1.0) English 11 (American Literature) (1.0) English 12 (British Literature) (1.0)

#### RELIGION 4 CREDITS INCLUDING:

Creed & Christian Morality (1.0)
Old Testament & Sacraments (1.0)
New Testament &
Catholic Social Teachings (1.0)
Church History & Vocations (1.0)

#### SOCIAL STUDIES 3.5 CREDITS INCLUDING:

American History (1.0) World History (1.0) Modern World History (1.0) U.S. Government (.5)

PHYSICAL EDUCATION 1.5 CREDITS INCLUDING:

2 CREDITS

PE 9 (0.5) PE Elective (0.5) PE Elective (0.5)

WORLD LANGUAGE

HEALTH .5 CREDIT
BUSINESS .5 CREDIT
ELECTIVES 3 CREDITS
FINE ARTS\*\* 1 CREDIT
MUST PASS CIVICS EXAM 0 CREDITS

#### SCIENCE 3 CREDITS INCLUDING:

Biology (1.0) Science Elective (1.0) Science Elective (1.0)

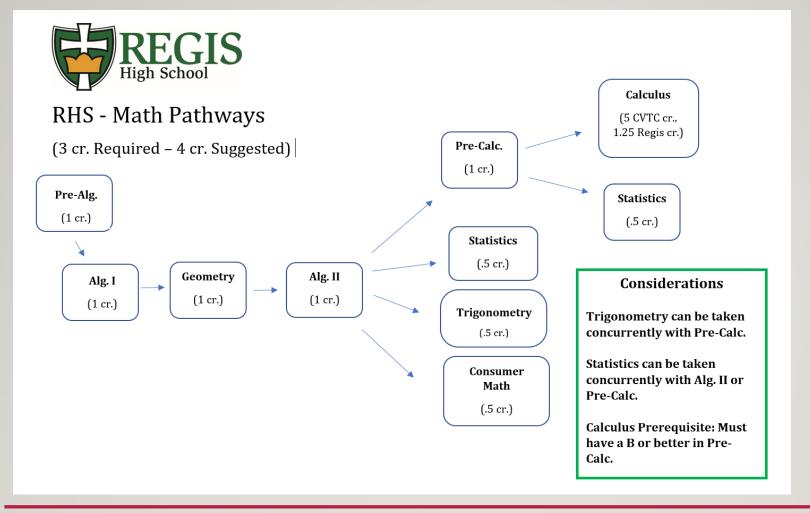
#### MATHEMATICS 3 CREDITS INCLUDING:

Algebra I (1.0) Geometry (1.0) Algebra II or

Consumer Math & Math Investigations (1.0)

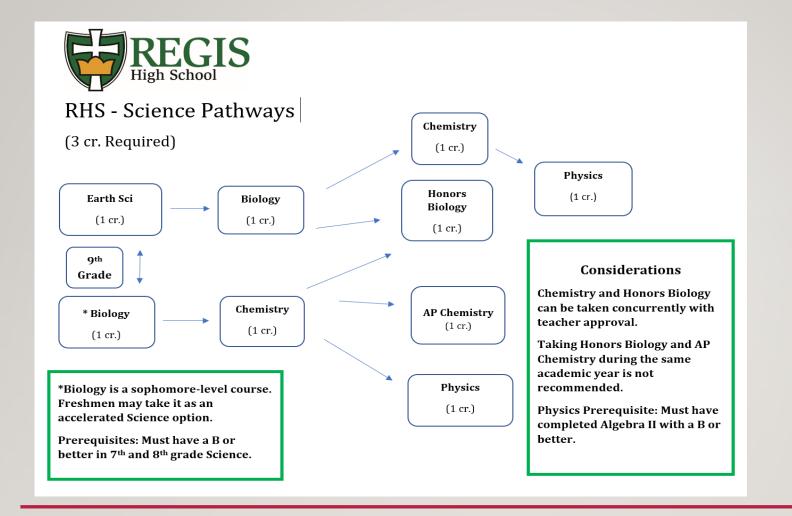
#### **26 TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED**

<sup>\*\*</sup>Successful completion of 1 credit of visual arts, performance arts, or music.



- CVTC High School
  Academies
- Wisconsin Virtual School
- Early College Credit
  Program (ECCP) UWEC
- Start College Now (SCN) CVTC

### **MATH PATHWAYS**



- CVTC High School
  Academies
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- Start College Now (SCN) CVTC

### **SCIENCE PATHWAYS**



# UNDERSTANDING OPTIONS

- RHS Courses
- Wisconsin Virtual School
- Regis CVTC Spanish I and II
- Regis College Transfer Academy
- CVTC Academies Off Campus
- Early College Credit Program UWEC
- Start College Now CVTC

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- WVS online courses are aligned to national and state standards.
- Wisconsin-certified teachers teach all courses.
- Most core classes are NCAA-approved.
- Weekly check-ins with students and coaches.
- Each semester-long WVS course is .5 Regis credit
- \$290/semester Regis pays for the course if it is successfully completed with a C or better. Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student/family.
  - Students not able to register for additional online courses if below a C

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Graders – AP, CR, and Electives

AP Students can take AP exams <u>IF</u> registered for the course before **Sept.**1st

10<sup>th</sup> graders – AP and Foreign Language options are available if GPA of 3.5 or above

Can not substitute WVS course for in-person RHS option

All enrollments approved by Registrar and Administration – Contract Signed Student must be able to work independently and have demonstrated success with online learning

## WISCONSIN VIRTUAL SCHOOL (WVS)

# STEPS TO ENROLL IN WVS COURSE

- Make sure you meet enrollment requirements
- Search course list:
   https://www.wisconsinvirtualschool.org/courses/
- Make an appointment with the RHS Registrar to schedule your course
- Turn in your signed WVS course contract to the RHS Registrar.



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- College Spanish I and II
- Taught at RHS by CVTC instructors
- Follows CVTC calendar, not RHS
- Courses can not be dropped after August 30<sup>th</sup>
- Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student/family
  - Students not able to register for 2<sup>nd</sup>
     Semester Spanish Academy
- Discuss with the Registrar or Administration before enrolling

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

Cost per credit: \$146.20 Student cost per credit: \$58.48

Must be paid at enrollment

Maximum enrollment: 20 Priority Given to 10<sup>th</sup> Graders

Must be free of disciplinary actions (i.e., suspension)

Must have completed RHS Spanish I and II with a B or better.

Must have a GPA of 3.5 or above

Each CVTC credit is worth .25 Regis credit (ex: 3 CVTC cr. = .75 Regis cr.)

### RHS SPANISH ACADEMY - 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS

# STEPS TO ENROLL IN REGIS SPANISH ACADEMY

- Make sure you meet enrollment requirements
- Go to:
  - Spanish I: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/734/regis-spanish-1-regis-students-only">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/734/regis-spanish-1-regis-students-only</a> Select Apply Now
  - Spanish II: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/735/regis-high-school-spanish-2-regis-only">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/735/regis-high-school-spanish-2-regis-only</a> Select Apply Now
- Turn in your signed CVTC course contract to the RHS Registrar and your preferred payment option – (check/credit card)



- Select courses approved for 4-year transfer credit
  - Fall: Calculus and Analytic Geometry and English Comp I
  - Spring: Intro to Psychology and English Comp II
- Taught at RHS by CVTC instructors
- Follows CVTC calendar, not RHS
- Courses can not be dropped after August 30
- Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student/family
- Courses can not be dropped after Aug. 30th

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

Cost per credit: \$146.20 Student cost per credit: \$58.48

Must be paid at enrollment (Calculus is free to students who meet the prerequisites.)

Maximum enrollment: 20 Priority is given to seniors (11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Graders Only)

Students may not take online options of CTA courses

Must be free of disciplinary actions (i.e., suspension)

Must have a GPA of 3.5 or above

Each CVTC credit is worth .25 Regis credit (ex: 3 CVTC cr. = .75 Regis cr.)

### **RHS - COLLEGE TRANSFER ACADEMY**

#### STEPS TO ENROLL IN REGIS COLLEGE TRANSFER ACADEMY

- Make sure you meet enrollment requirements
- Go to:
  - Calculus: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/687/regis-calculus-and-analytic-geometry-1-regis-high-school-only">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/687/regis-calculus-and-analytic-geometry-1-regis-high-school-only</a> Select Apply Now
  - Eng. Comp 1: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/688/regis-english-composition-1-regis-students-only">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/688/regis-english-composition-1-regis-students-only</a> Select Apply Now
  - Intro to Psych: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/745/regis-intro-to-psychology">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/745/regis-intro-to-psychology</a> Select Apply Now
  - Eng. Comp 2: <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/744/regis-english-composition-2-regis-students-only">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies/744/regis-english-composition-2-regis-students-only</a> Select Apply Now
- Turn in your signed CVTC course contract to the RHS Registrar and your preferred payment option (check/credit card)



- CVTC Exploration Pathways
  - May lead to certification
- Taught off-campus or online
- Available for 9-12 graders
  - Many are not available until 11<sup>th</sup> grade
- Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student/family
  - Students not able to register for additional academies
- Discuss with the Registrar or Administration before enrolling
- Courses can not be dropped after Aug. 30

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

Cost per credit: \$146.20

Student cost per credit: \$58.48

Must be paid at enrollment

Priority goes to required RHS courses

Summer Academy enrollment is the responsibility of families – ECASD Summer School

Must have own transportation

Must have a GPA of 3.0 or above

Each CVTC credit is worth .25 Regis credit (ex: 3 CVTC cr. = .75 Regis cr.)

### **CVTC ACADEMIES - OFF CAMPUS**

# STEPS TO ENROLL IN CVTC ACADEMIES – OFF-CAMPUS

- Make sure you meet enrollment requirements
- Go to:
  - <a href="https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies">https://www.cvtc.edu/admissions/college-credit-opportunities-in-high-school/hs-academies</a>
    - Explore Available Academies for Fall 2024 or Spring 2025
    - Make sure the Academy courses fit within your RHS requirements
    - Make sure you meet any prerequisites.
- Make an appointment with the RHS Registrar to verify that you are eligible for the Academy
- Turn in your signed CVTC course contract to the RHS Registrar and your preferred payment option – (check/credit card)
  - prerequisites



- Available to 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders who meet the requirements established for participation.
- The student must be on track for graduation, and the course requested may not be similar to a course offered at Regis High School.
- For courses at UWEC, students must rank in the top 25% of their class OR rank in the top 50% with an ACT 24 or greater.
- Students may earn up to 18 post-secondary credits TOTAL between the ECCP/SCN during their high school career.
- Registration Deadlines Non-negotiable
  - •April 1 for the fall semester
  - •November 1 for the spring semester

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

Tuition and textbook costs will be 100% paid by Regis if the student passes with a grade of "C" or better.

Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student and family.

The class must be able to be worked into the student's schedule at Regis High School.

Must have own transportation and written approval from a parent or guardian.

The student must not have any disciplinary problems at either Regis High School or the receiving school.

Each UWEC credit is worth .25 Regis credit (ex: 3 CVTC cr. = .75

Regis cr.)

## EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT PROGRAM (ECCP) UWEC

# STEPS TO ENROLL IN EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT PROGRAM - UWEC

- Make an appointment with the RHS Registrar to verify that you are eligible for ECCP
- Go to:
  - https://publicwebuploads.uwec.edu/documents/HSS-Course-List.pdf for a list of approved courses.
    - Make a list of courses you are interested in Select multiple options (Student responsibility!)
- Complete ECCP Registration Paperwork available in the RHS Registrar's office
- Turn in your signed UWEC course contract to the RHS Registrar



- Available to 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders who meet the requirements established for participation.
- The student must be on track for graduation, and the course requested may not be similar to a course offered at Regis High School.
- Must have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA.
- Students may earn up to 18 post-secondary credits TOTAL between the ECCP/SCN during their high school career.
- Registration Deadlines Non-negotiable
  - •By March 1 for the fall semester
  - •By October 1 for the spring semester
- Courses can not be dropped after Aug. 30<sup>th</sup>

#### **Enrollment Considerations**

Cost per credit: \$146.20

Student cost per credit: \$58.48

Must be paid at enrollment

Courses not passed at a C or better are the financial responsibility of the student and family.

The class must be able to be worked into the student's schedule at Regis High School.

Must have own transportation and written approval from a parent or guardian.

The student must not have any disciplinary problems at either Regis High School or the receiving school.

Each CVTC credit is worth .25 Regis credit (ex: 3 CVTC cr. = .75 Regis cr.)

#### START COLLEGE NOW – CVTC

# STEPS TO ENROLL IN START COLLEGE NOW - CVTC

- Make sure you meet enrollment requirements
- Go to:
  - <a href="https://coursesearch.cvtc.edu">https://coursesearch.cvtc.edu</a>
  - Make a list of courses you are interested in
  - Verify that they fit within your RHS requirements and schedule
    - Make sure you meet any prerequisites.
- Make an appointment with the RHS Registrar to verify your eligibility for the Start College Now. Complete the SCN Registration Paperwork, which is available in the RHS Registrar's office.
- Turn in your signed CVTC paperwork to the RHS Registrar and your preferred payment option – (check/credit card)



## RIGOR AT REGIS HIGH SCHOOL

## (COURSES OFFERED IN PERSON AT RHS)

Honors	AP College Board	Transcripted Credits	College Transfer Academy	Regis Spanish Academy
Honors Biology	AP Chemistry	Intro. to Speech	Calculus and Analytic Geometry	Spanish 1
	AP Physics	* More info. to come in 2024-25	English Comp I	Spanish II
	AP US History		English Comp II	
			Intro. to Psychology	

## Regis High School – By the Numbers Program Enrollment 2023-2024

<b>CVTC Academies</b>	Enrollment
Regis Health Care	15
Calculus and Analytic Geometry	14
Spanish I and II	17
General Studies	3
Welding	3
Residential Construction	2
EMT	1

Program	Enrollment
Start College Now	23
Early College Credit Program	4
WVS – AP Course	7
WVS – Credit Recovery	4
Youth Apprenticeships	3

### ADDITIONAL THINGS TO CONSIDER

- 1. What is your dream college?
  - Get familiar with Transferology (<a href="https://www.transferology.com/index.htm">https://www.transferology.com/index.htm</a>)
    - Students can see how courses may transfer nationwide from public and private colleges.
- What credits and AP scores will transfer?
  - UW-Madison: Students who take college courses prior to high school graduation (this includes dual enrollment) will receive advanced credit at UW-Madison as long as the credit is 1) transferable, 2) earned at an accredited college, and 3) listed on an official transcript generated by the college. AP Scores of 3, 4, or 5.
  - Rice University: The college courses on the official college transcript must not have been used to meet high school graduation requirements and must not appear on your high school transcript as dual credit. English Composition courses are not eligible for transfer; Rice's First-Year Writing-Intensive Seminar (FWIS) is required of all first-year students. Mathematics courses below *Calculus I* do not transfer. AP Scores of 4 or
- Maturity with ECCP and SCN, parents can no longer access grades, assignments, attendance, etc.
  - Anxiety/stress level of students. What is developmentally appropriate for your child?

### FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION

- Why do I have to pay anything for dual credits when I am paying for Regis tuition?
  - Your tuition costs cover the 26 credits required for your child to obtain a high school diploma from Regis Catholic Schools. The cost to educate a student in secondary education in the state of Wisconsin is \$12,740. Regis High School tuition for the 2023-24 school year is \$6,945.
- What about equity?
  - RHS is committed to allowing all students equal opportunity to challenging academic options. All AP courses (taught at RHS and online via WVS) are free. Tuition and textbook costs with ECCP are also 100% paid by Regis if participation requirements are met.
  - RHS is establishing a Scholarship Fund for students who wish to enroll in dual credit options but have financial limitations. These situations will be handled on a case-by-case basis.
  - If you are interested in donating to the Scholarship Fund, please contact Mrs. Machler.