## **Class Selection Instructions for 2018-19**

- 1. Sophomores use the blue card. Juniors use the pink card. Please use a pencil.
- 2. The classes you are <u>required</u> to take are listed on the upper portion of the card.
- 3. After you have selected your required classes, then choose your electives.
- 4. Graduation requirements are listed on the back of the card. Use these charts to determine how many more credits you need of fine art, PE, CTE, and social studies. US Gov. and Financial Literacy can only be taken in the senior year.
- 5. You must select a total of 8 credits (half credits and whole credits added together.)
- 6. As you consider classes to select, you can find out more about them in the Course Description Book. The Course Description Book can be found at: shs.nebo.edu, click "Counseling", then "Course Planning Information," then "SHS Course Information."
- 7. You may make an appointment with your counselor if you have questions or need any help with this class selection process. To schedule an appointment, go to:

Last Names A-D: <a href="https://calendly.com/mikejohnson">https://calendly.com/mikejohnson</a>
Last Names E-J: <a href="https://calendly.com/corrin-owens">https://calendly.com/corrin-owens</a>
Last Names K-P: <a href="https://calendly.com/natalei-terry">https://calendly.com/natalei-terry</a>

Last Names Q-Z: (Since Mrs. Thornock is on Maternity leave, Juniors please make an appointment with one of the counselors above. Sophomores, please make an appointment with Mrs. Gibson: <a href="https://calendly.com/amy-gibson">https://calendly.com/amy-gibson</a>

## **Juniors**

- 1. To complete your elective requirements, please consider programs such at Mtech, ALC, UVU Distance Ed. or Internships. Find out more about these programs during the Class Tour in the gym during the long lunch today.
- 2. You have several options for your senior Language Arts class. Please read the descriptions carefully before making your selection.
- 3. We **strongly** encourage juniors to make an appointment with their counselor, so we can make sure you are selecting all the classes you need for graduation.

## **Class Selection FAQs**

Which requirements do I still need to take? Log into your ASPIRE account and select the *College and Career Plan* link to see a rough outline of your progress towards graduation.

Why does a class not count where I thought it would? (Why is Dance not counting as an Art class?) Many classes count in 2 different areas but can only show up in one on the progress towards graduation. Your counselor double checks all of these so as long as you have enough credit in the one area, the class in question will count towards the other. (In the example above, if a student wants Dance to count as an art class, as long as they have taken enough PE classes, their counselor will count the Dance as Art. This does not change how it is reflected on the progress towards graduation.)

What other classes should I take to prepare for . . . ? (Regents Scholarship, NCAA eligibility, college, etc.) This information is on the school's website under the counseling tab. The links are on the *Course Planning Information* link. Also, students can get more information during the hour long lunch in the Gym. Also any student can schedule an appointment with their counselor to get these questions answered.

What graduation requirement does a specific class count for? On the Class selection cards, classes are listed by graduation requirement. Thus, a class that counts in more than one area will show up in both sections on the Class Selection Card. This information can also be found in the course descriptions found online.

How does a students sign up as a Teacher Assistant and request a free period? These can only be done in the fall. Students must request a full schedule. Classes can later be replaced with a TA spot in August. For a student to have a Free Period, they must be a senior, have completed 23 credits, be on track to graduate and have permission from their parents. (For most students, this will be the 2nd half of their senior year).