

The Mount

A C A D E M Y

12TH GRADE

Instructions for submitting course request forms for 2024-2025 school year

General Information

Please read this before filling out your course request form:

- The [Master Schedule](#) is posted on the Resources page of the Mount Academy website. This should help you visualize the different paths through the school day. You will want to refer to the Master Schedule when filling out your Course Selection Worksheet.
- The [Course Descriptions](#) booklet is also posted on the Resources page. This includes details about each class, for example, required vs elective, full year vs one semester, prerequisites, etc.
- **Guidance Office.** If you would like input or advice about which courses to take, send an email to guidance@mountacademy.org.

Information for 12th Grade

- A **music or art class** is required for all students. You may choose one of the following:
 - Art History (Semesters 1 and 2)
 - Choir (full year)
 - Concert Band (full year)
 - Drawing & Painting (Semesters 1 and 2)
 - General Music (full year)
 - Orchestra (full year)
 - Theater Arts (Semesters 1 and 2)
- **Other required classes:**
 - Economics (Semesters 1 and 2)
 - Health (Semesters 1 and 2)
 - Participation in Government (Semesters 1 and 2)
 - Physical Education (this class does not appear on the Master Schedule or any forms; we will schedule it for you so as to best accommodate your other course requests.)

- **Recommended but not required:**

- **Math.** Your current math teacher will recommend you for one of the following:
 - Trigonometry and Precalculus
 - Calculus
 - Statistics
- **Science**
 - Physics or Advanced Physics
- **Language.** You may choose one of the following:
 - German IV
 - Spanish IV
- **English**
 - English 12 (Semesters 1 and 2, or full year)

- **Electives:**

Electives are only taught if there is sufficient interest from students.

- Advanced Writing Workshop (Semesters 1 and 2)
- AgriScience (Semester 2 only)
- Chamber Choir (full year; alternating days)*
- Chamber Orchestra (full year; alternating days)*
- Computer Science (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Construction Tech (Semesters 1 and 2; double period)
- Culinary (Semesters 1 and 2; double period)
- Environmental Science (Semester 1 only)
- First Amendment (Semester 2 only)
- Graphics Lab (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Great Books (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Journalism (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Layout and Design (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Machining (Semesters 1 and 2; double period)
- Metal Fabrication (Semesters 1 and 2; double period)
- Meteorology (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Military History, the Realities of War, and the Way of Peace (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Music Theory (full year; alternating days)
- Principles of Business (Semesters 1 and 2)
- SAT/ACT Prep (Semester 2 only)
- SkillsUSA Welding (Semester 2 only; double period)
- Technical Drawing (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Videography (Semesters 1 and 2)
- Welding (Semesters 1 and 2; double period)
- Wind Ensemble (full year; alternating days)*

**To participate in Chamber Choir, Wind Ensemble, or Chamber Orchestra you must also be enrolled in Choir, Concert Band, or Orchestra.*

Instructions

Forms must be submitted by April 12, 2024

- To fill out your Course Selection Worksheet:
 1. Print a blank [Course Selection Worksheet](#).
 2. Fill out the worksheet based on the Master Schedule and the information above.
- To submit the online course request form:
 1. We recommend using a desktop computer rather than a mobile device.
 2. Sign in to the [PowerSchool Parent Portal](#);
 3. Click on Forms on the left navigation bar;
 4. Click on 12th Grade Course Request Form 2024-2025
 5. Fill out the form based on your Course Selection Worksheet;
 6. Click Submit.

Notes

- A reminder that you are submitting course *requests*. Enrollment in any course is at the discretion of the Principal.
- In the next few weeks we'll send the co-curricular (afterschool) request form, which includes athletic teams, clubs, and vocational offerings.
- If there is anything specific you would like us to know, or if you have any special requests, use the space at the end of the online form. We can't guarantee that any specific requests will be accommodated, but we'd love to hear about your interests and will support them wherever we can.

Thank you!