

William Henry Harrison High School



Class of 2028

Academic and Social growth
for ALL students, EVERY DAY!

Joe Pollitt

Building Principal
William Henry Harrison High School



Introductions

Mr. Joe Pollitt, Principal

Mr. Kris Niehaus, Assistant Principal

Mrs. Lindsey Long, Dean of Students

Mr. Mark Meibers, Athletic Director–Assistant Principal

Excellence Through Relationships

Student Services Team

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Cathy Klayer– Guidance Secretary [\(513-728-8426\)](tel:513-728-8426)

Why Harrison High School?



Registration Process

- ▶ Students receive materials for Registration during school– 1/30/2024
- ▶ Students fill out Registration forms with their parents & teachers by 2/5/2024
- ▶ Each student needs to register for 7 bells!
 - 1 English (1)
 - 1 Math (1)
 - 1 Social Studies (1)
 - 1 Science (1)
 - Health (.5)
 - PE (.25) must have parent sports exemption form signed to opt-out
 - 2 Electives

Registration Process

- ▶ Additional classes to consider
 - PE (traditional, summer, no credit sport exemption)
 - Fill out parent permission exemption form
 - Play 2 sports, marching band, cheerleading or JROTC
 - Turn in coach–signed verification forms after each season
 - Band
 - Art
 - Choir
 - Foreign Language (need to be enrolled in English 9CP or English 9Adv to take Spanish 1)
 - Other electives offered– if your program requires an application, it must be turned in with your registration sheet.

Registration Process



- ▶ Students have current teachers sign what classes they are recommended to take
1/30/24–2/2/24
- ▶ Please remember that NCAA Eligibility Center courses must be college prep classes or honors to meet eligibility standards.
- ▶ Students meet with a counselor one-on-one to go over their class choices. (2/5 and 2/6)

HARRISON PATHWAYS

- ▶ While choosing your classes, be sure to take a peek at all of the Career Pathway programs offered through William Henry Harrison High School!

<https://www.southwestschools.org/media/guidance/SLSD%20Pathways.pdf>

Registration Process

- If the parent does not agree with course recommendations, students can submit a “Petition to Upgrade” (for most classes) when they meet with the HS counselor. “Petition to Upgrade” forms can be found in the Jr School guidance office or you can print one at home.

<https://www.southwestschools.org/william-henry-harrison-high-school/guidance-department-5/class-scheduling-100/>

Graduation Requirements 2028

- ▶ Please refer to handout to view the **THREE** steps towards graduation or go to

<https://www.southwestschools.org/media/guidance/Class%20of%202026%20%20Beyond%20Grad%20Requirement%20Handout.pdf>

Ohio Honors Diploma Requirements

(You must fulfill all but one of the requirements to qualify)

- ▶ 4 credits English
- ▶ 4 credits Math
- ▶ 4 credits Social Studies
- ▶ 4 credits Science
- ▶ 1 credit Fine or Practical Art
- ▶ .5 credit Physical Education
- ▶ .5 credit Health
- ▶ Financial Literacy
- ▶ 3 credits Foreign Language (or 2 years each of 2 separate languages)
- ▶ GPA of 3.5
- ▶ ACT score of 27 or SAT score of 1280



New Honors Diploma Options

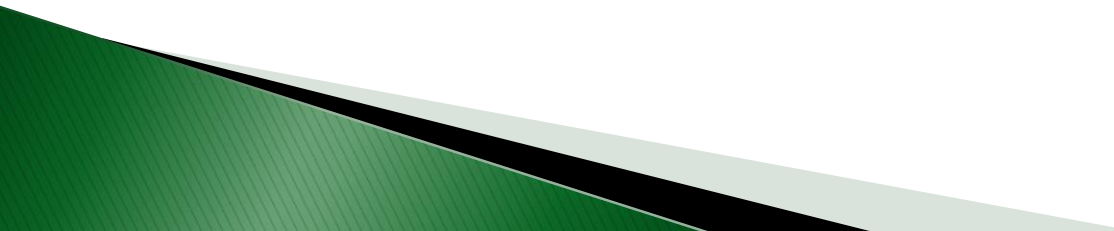
The State of Ohio has developed new alternative Honors Diploma Options. In addition to the traditional Academic Diploma with Honors, students have the option of obtaining the following new options:

- Career Tech Honors Diploma
- STEM Honors Diploma
- Arts Honors Diploma
- Social Science and Civic Engagement Honors Diploma

For specific requirements go to

<http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Ohio-s-Graduation-Requirements/Honors-Diplomas>

Course Change Policy

- ▶ NO changes in course selection will be made after the last day of school!!!!!! (this includes adding/dropping study halls)
 - ▶ All students will be given their schedules during the month of May
 - ▶ After May 23, 2024, no changes can be made to either semester
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Going Green ...

Your Course Registration Guide
Is Available online on the Guidance page of
the school website under the “Class
Scheduling” tab

<https://www.southwestschools.org/william-henry-harrison-high-school/guidance-department-5/class-scheduling-100/>

Is College My Only Chance For Success?

View this video to gain insight in the variety of options to help you obtain a successful career!



The Oaks (Juniors and Seniors)

Diamond Oaks

- ▶ Automotive Technology (Collision) Heating, Ventilation and Air
- ▶ Automotive Technology (Mechanics) Exercise Science/Sports Medicine
- ▶ Aviation Maintenance Manufacturing Engineering
- ▶ Commercial & Residential Electricity Surgical Technology
- ▶ Coding & Web Design Sustainable Urban Agriculture
- ▶ Construction Framing and Finishing Veterinarian Assistance
- ▶ Cosmetology Digital Arts and Design
- ▶ Culinary Arts Health Technology
- ▶ Equine Science and Management Welding & Fabrication

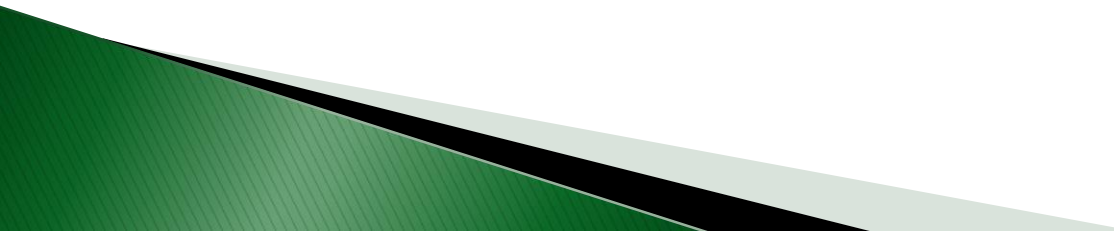
Scarlet Oaks

Fire, Police, Secondary Nursing, Early Childhood Ed, Dental, Heavy Equipment and Diesel Mechanics

Southwest Resident Transfer Students

- ▶ Any southwest resident student who is planning on attending Wm Henry Harrison High School but is not currently enrolled in the district must enroll in the high school before they can register for classes.
- ▶ Registration is through the Central Office. Call at 728-4501 to set up an appointment. After you are enrolled, you can set up a time with your student's counselor to register for classes.
- ▶ You can register 2/5...the sooner the better!
We are pleased to have you with us!

Open Enrollment District

- ▶ Southwest Local Schools is an Open Enrollment District
 - ▶ Open Enrollment applications must be submitted to the Superintendent of Schools between May 1 and May 31.
 - ▶ Interviews with the Superintendent will take place in June
 - ▶ Freshman Open Enrollment students do not lose a year of eligibility from interscholastic sports.
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Scheduling Meetings

If you would like to be present at your student's scheduling meeting in the Junior High library, you can sign-up for a time after this meeting. Parents are also encouraged to contact their student's counselor with any questions they may have regarding their student's schedule.

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Welcome Class of 2028!

