

Santa Gertrudis ISD - HB 5: High School 4 Year Plan

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Name: _____ ID: _____ Student's email address: _____@sgisd.org

School: Santa Gertrudis Academy High School Grade: FRESHMAN **Class of 2030** Date Created: SUMMER 2026

HB 5: Beginning in the 2014-2015 school year, a school district must ensure that each student, on entering ninth grade, indicates in writing an endorsement that the student intends to earn.

THE FOUNDATION PLAN

To earn a Texas high school certificate, students will need to graduate by fulfilling the requirements of the Foundation Plan.

DISTINGUISHED LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT

In addition to the Foundation Plan and Endorsements, Santa Gertrudis Academy High School students are put on track to graduate with a Distinguished Level of Achievement. Students must complete four credits in mathematics (ALG 2 a must), four credits in science, successful completion of an endorsement. *Required for automatic admission to TX public university top 10 % auto admission law. * Enhances student acceptance to college, Equips students with college-level coursework skills, establishes basis for earning an industry credential or college degree.

PERFORMANCE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Another addition to the Foundation Plan, a student can earn Performance Acknowledgements. Students may earn an additional acknowledgment on their diploma because of outstanding performance in areas such as: dual credit courses 12 hours 3.0 min GPA or associates degree, PSAT (NMSQT qualifying score), or the SAT 410 reading & 510 Math or 28 on ACT exams excluding the writing sub score. Earn an industry based certification or license. (Students are recognized by wearing a stole at graduation- Only one area has to be completed for stole)

<p>ENDORSEMENTS: Completes by taking program of study electives.</p> <p>___ Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math (STEAM)</p> <p>___ Business & Industry</p> <p>___ Arts & Humanities</p> <p>___ Public Service</p> <p>___ Multidisciplinary Studies</p> <p>*CTE courses listed below will depend on what Program of Study the student picks. These are listed on the back. Must complete ONE Program of Study Levels 1-4 to be a completer (includes IBC)</p>	<p>My Post High School plans will be: Prediction as a FRESHMAN:</p> <p>___ Two Year College</p> <p>___ Technical Training</p> <p>___ Four Year College/University/Military Academy</p> <p>___ Employment</p> <p>___ Military</p> <p>Other: _____</p> <p>SENIOR YEAR: After Graduation I plan to: _____</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2">COURSE GUIDE</th> <th>Foundation Plan</th> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="2">*Distinguished Level of Achievement (DLA)</th> <th></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>English</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>4 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Math (*ALG 2 required for DLA)</td> <td>*4 credits</td> <td>3 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Science</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>3 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Social Studies</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>3 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>LOTE</td> <td>2 credits</td> <td>2 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fine Arts</td> <td>1 credit</td> <td>1 credit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Physical Education</td> <td>1 credit</td> <td>1 credit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Electives</td> <td>6 credits</td> <td>5 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total Credits for graduation</td> <td>26 credits</td> <td>= 22 credits</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	COURSE GUIDE		Foundation Plan	*Distinguished Level of Achievement (DLA)			English	4 credits	4 credits	Math (*ALG 2 required for DLA)	*4 credits	3 credits	Science	4 credits	3 credits	Social Studies	4 credits	3 credits	LOTE	2 credits	2 credits	Fine Arts	1 credit	1 credit	Physical Education	1 credit	1 credit	Electives	6 credits	5 credits	Total Credits for graduation	26 credits	= 22 credits
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COURSES	Middle School Credit	9 th Grade 2026	10 th Grade 2027	11 th Grade 2028	12 th Grade 2029	Summer DC/ Date completed
ENGLISH		ENG 1	ENG 2	ENG 3	ENG 4	
MATH	ALGEBRA 1	ALG 1/GEOM	GEOMETRY/ALG 2	ALG 2/ADV Math	ADVANCED MATH	
SCIENCE		BIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	PHYSICS	ADVANCED SCIENCE	
SOCIAL STUDIES		W GEOG	W HIST/HIST 1301	US HIST	Government /Personal Fin Lit	
LOTE	SPANISH 1	SPANISH 1 or 2	SPANISH 1 or 2	SPANISH 1 or 2	SPANISH 1 or 2	
FINE ARTS		ART/BAND/THEA	ART/BAND/THEA	ART/BAND/THEA	ART/BAND/THEA	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION		PE/ATHL	PE/ATHL	PE/ATHL	PE/ATHL	
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EOC: ALGEBRA BIOLOGY ENGLISH 1 ENGLISH 2 US HISTORY

SPECIAL PROGRAMS: GT, RTI, 504, SPED, LPAC

COLLEGE READINESS TESTS: TSIA: R/W___ TSIA MATH

PSAT ASVAB SAT ACT

NOTES: Previous School: _____

• Texas First Early High School Completion Program: _____

Senior YEAR: FAFSA POI CPR/AED

core courses not offered as dual credit

Career and Technology Education Programs of Study

Student will pick an interest for Program of Study upon entering 9th grade. This can be changed with up until student's Junior Year. All 4 levels must be completed by student's Senior year to be considered a completer in a CTE Program of Study. Signatures must be obtained for any changes made to program of study.

Business & Industry Endorsement:

Programs of Study Options:

Option 1: Animal Science

----Level 1 Principles of Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

----Level 2 Small Animal Management/Equine Science

OR Entrepreneurship 1

----Level 3 Livestock Production

----Level 4 Advanced Animal Science

___ Practicum of AFNR (work study)

Option 2: Plant Science (Floral Design)

----Level 1 Principles of Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

----Level 2 Entrepreneurship 1

----Level 3 Floral

----Level 4 Advanced Floral Design

Option 3: Entrepreneurship & Small Business

---Level 1 Principles of Business, Marketing & Finance

___ Level 2 Entrepreneurship 1

----Level 3 Entrepreneurship 2

___ Level 4 Practicum in Business Marketing Finance

(work study)

Business & Industry Endorsement: (continued)

Option 4: Information Technology Support & Service

----Level 1 Principles of Information Technology

----Level 2 Computer Maintenance

----Level 3 IT Troubleshooting

----Level 4 Practicum in Information Technology (work study or independent study)

Option 5: Electrical (11th /12th grade ONLY) DELMAR

----Level 1 Principles of Construction & Safety

----Level 2 NCCER Electrical Level 1 Certification

----Level 3 NCCER Electrical Level 2 Certification

----Level 4 Practicum in Construction Technology (work study)

* If interested in **ELECTRICAL**, credits

from 9th /10th completed, have passed ENG 1, ALG 1, BIO, & ENG 2 EOC

**Some courses may conflict with band or boys athletics.

Public Service Endorsement:

Program of Study Options:

Option 1: Law Enforcement

----Level 1 Principles of Law Enforcement

----Level 2 Law Enforcement 1

----Level 3 Law Enforcement 2

----Level 4 Forensic Science

Option 2: Health Sciences

----Level 1 Principles Health Science

----Level 2 Medical Terminology

----Level 3 EKG/Phlebotomy/Anatomy & Physiology

----Level 4 Medical Assistant/ Patient Care Technician

***Must take all classes for white coat.

OTHER ENDORSEMENTS

Arts & Humanities:

___ Hist 1301& 1302, Pols 2301, 2302, SOC

___ 4 credits in music, dance, theatre, art

___ 4 levels of LOTE

STEM:

___ 2 DC Math beyond M1314

___ 2 DC Science beyond 4th science in HS

*** DISCLOSURE: All courses selected are requests but not guaranteed. Other courses may be put into place due to teacher availability class size, and interest of program.**

I agree that I am choosing the selected program of study. I plan to **complete all 4 levels of this program** by the time I am a Senior. I understand that if I want to change my program, I must meet with the counselor and get my parent's signature each time.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Counselor's Signature: Kristi K Kelley, School Counselor Date: SUMMER 2026