

Welcome to

THE HILL

Rising 9th Grade Parent Night



THS March 2023

Administration

Principal

Mr. Casey Conard

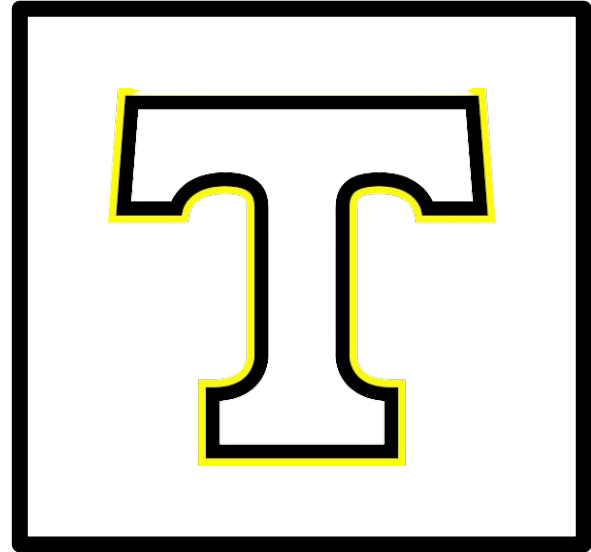
Assistant Principals

Mrs. Lori Heatherly

Mr. Chad Carver

Lead Teacher

Ms. Amanda Wells



Counselors

Ms. Russell - students A-G

Ms. Melville - students H-O

Ms. Plott - students P-Z



Social Media

- Instagram: **@tuscola_today** (fun stuff) and **@Tuscola_spirit** (Spirit Club)
- Twitter: **@HCStuscolahigh** (posts from website updates)
- Twitter: **@Tuscola_Today** (fun stuff) and **@THSMounties** (Spirit Club)

Class of 2027

- ❑ **Counseling Center Google Classroom App**
 - ❑ Updates regarding events
 - ❑ Scholarship opportunities
 - ❑ Summer learning opportunities
 - ❑and more!
- ❑ **Download the G.C. mobile app**
- ❑ **Class Code: [ux2qlwn](#)**



Calendar

- We have a school-wide calendar on the THS website
- Add the Google Calendar to yours
- [THS calendar](#)

Student Expectations - Academics

- 28 credits needed to graduate within 4 years
- Opportunity for 32
- You pass **classes**, not a **grade levels**
 - Sophomore = English I and 6 credits
 - Junior = English II and 12 credits
 - Senior = 20 credits

Always
Do Your Best 

North Carolina Graduation Requirements

ENGLISH: English I, English II, English III, English IV
4 Credits

MATH: Math I, Math II, Math III, and a fourth math
4 Credits

SCIENCE: Earth & Environmental, Biology,
Physical Science OR Chemistry
3 Credits

SOCIAL STUDIES: World History, American History, Civic
Literacy & Economics & Personal Finance
4 Credits

North Carolina Graduation Requirements

1 Credit: Health/PE

2 Elective Credits: Foreign Language, CTE or Arts

4-Credits: “concentration area”

What is a 4-Course Concentration?

- 4 credits in Arts (with one being a level 2) **or**
- 4 credits in ROTC (with one being a level 2) **or**
- 4 credits in Academics

(NOT already listed as “requirements” such as World Language)

or

- 4 credits in CTE (with one being a level 2)

For most of you this will happen naturally based on your interests and career goals!!!

Course of Studies Book

The screenshot displays the Tuscola High School website. At the top right, there are links for "Haywood County Schools", "Calendars", and "Lunch Menu", along with social media icons for Facebook and Twitter. The main header features the school's logo, a large yellow "T", and the name "Tuscola High School". Below the header is a yellow navigation bar with the following menu items: "OUR SCHOOL", "FACULTY AND STAFF", "ACADEMICS", "PARENTS", "STUDENTS", "ATHLETICS", and "CALENDAR". On the left side, a vertical menu lists various resources: "General Information", "Tuscola Profile", "Student Handbook", "2023-24 Course of Studies" (circled in yellow with a yellow arrow pointing to it), "Counseling Center", "Tuscola School Report Card", "Flower & T-Shirt Orders", and "Drivers Education". Below this menu is a "Quick Links" section with "Staff Webmail". The main content area features a large blue banner with gold glitter text that reads "PROM 2023" and "Prom 5/13/2023". At the bottom, there are two grey boxes labeled "School News" and "Upcoming Events".

2022-2023 Registration Timeline

- **March 7** - 8th Grade Visitation
- **March 7** - 8th Grade Parent Night (Pick up registration sheets at the end)
- **March 13th** - Registration Sheets DUE to 1st Block Teacher at Waynesville Middle School
- **March 17th** - Registration at WMS in PowerSchool

(MUST have returned Registration Sheet in order to put course selections in PowerSchool)!

Registration Sheet

Student Label
Last, First
PowerSchool #
1st Period Teacher

Tuscola High School 2023-2024 Registration Guide for Rising Freshmen - Class of 2027

Student Email: _____

Parent Name: _____ **Phone#:** _____

This form must be completed and submitted to your WMS Homeroom Teacher by **Friday, March 10th**. PLEASE read all of the instructions!

- MARK 7 COURSES(Math will be chosen for you)! Please **COUNT your selections before you submit this form!** At Tuscola, we have 4 classes (90 minutes each) in the fall and 4 different classes in the spring (90 minutes each).
- MARK 4 ALTERNATES (These MUST be courses you are HAPPY with in case your top choices are full or unavailable!) These will likely be used for at least one elective.
- ALL 8th graders are encouraged to PLEASE sign up for the THS Counseling Center **Google Classroom** for the Class of 2027: **The join code is ux2qlwn**. Parents are invited to join the Counseling Center **Remind** Group for the Class of 2027: **The join code is @tuscola27**.
- If you have any questions, you may call Tuscola High School at 456.2408 or email your counselor: Ms. Russell (Last Names A-G) at krussell@haywood.k12.nc.us, Ms. Melville (Last Names H-O) at mmelville@haywood.k12.nc.us, or Ms. Plott (Last Names P-Z) at jplott@haywood.k12.nc.us.

Registration Sheet

PLEASE MARK 3 CORE COURSES, 1 PE COURSE, & 3 ELECTIVE COURSES WITH AN "X" AND 4 ALTERNATES WITH AN "A"!	
ENGLISH (PLEASE MARK 1 SELECTION)	MATH (Math will be selected for you! IF you are selected for Foundations of Math I & Math I – we will remove ONE Elective from your selections.)
<input type="checkbox"/> English I <i>10212X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> English I Honors <i>10215X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> English II <i>10222X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> English II Honors <i>10225X0</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of NC Math I & NC Math I (Teacher Recommendation Required) • NC Math I • NC Math I Honors • NC Math II • NC Math II Honors
SCIENCE (PLEASE MARK 1 SELECTION OR 2 IF TAKING Honors EES & AP)	HISTORY (PLEASE MARK 1 SELECTION)
<input type="checkbox"/> Earth & Environmental Science Honors <i>35015X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Science <i>34102X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Earth & Environmental Science Honors (Fall) <i>35015X0</i> and AP Environmental Science (Spring) <i>3A027X0P2</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> World History <i>43032X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> World History Honors <i>43035X0</i>
PE & HEALTH (PLEASE MARK 1 SELECTION OR 2 IF TAKING ANOTHER RECOMMENDED COURSE)	SUPPORT SERVICES
<input type="checkbox"/> Health & PE <i>60492X0</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Health & PE <i>60492X0</i> (Fall) / Athletic Conditioning (Spring) <i>60292X0C2</i> (Coach Recommendation Required)	<p>These courses require Teacher Recommendation! You will NOT choose these classes in PowerSchool. Please choose 7 courses other than these and if needed, we will place you in these courses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategies (Fall) • Strategies (Spring) • ESL (Fall) • ESL (Spring)

- Choose Core classes in English, History & Science!
- Math WILL BE chosen for you!
- Mark 2 X's if taking more than one Science or PE

ELECTIVE CHOICES	
WORLD LANGUAGE	VISUAL ARTS
___ Spanish I 11412X0	___ Visual Art I 54152X0
FINE ARTS	Career & Technical Education Courses (Business)
___ Band (Intermediate) (Fall) Marching Band 52562X0 ___ Band (Beginning) (Fall) Concert Band 52552X0C1 ___ Band (Beginning) (Spring) Concert Band 52552X0C2 ___ Band (Intermediate) Percussion (Fall) 52562X0P ___ Band (Intermediate) Percussion (Spring), 52562X0P2 ___ Band (Intermediate) (Spring) Symphonic Band 52562X0SB2 ___ Concert Choir 52312X0 ___ Theatre Arts (Beginning) 53152X0	___ Microsoft Word, PowerPoint BM102X0 ___ Microsoft Excel Honors BM205X0 ___ Career Management Freshman/Sophomore CC452X0FP1 ___ Sports Event Marketing I MH312X0 ___ Entrepreneurship I ME112X0 ___ Accounting I (MUST have successfully completed Math I) BA102X0
Career & Technical Education Courses (Agriculture/Horticulture)	Career & Technical Education Courses (Trades & Industry)
___ Agriscience Applications AU102X0 ___ Horticulture I AP412X0 ___ Animal Science I AA212X0 ___ Ag. Production I AU112X0	___ CompTIA IT Fundamentals BI122X0 ___ Computer Engineering Tech I Honors II215X0 (Comp TIA must be taken as a prerequisite) ___ Construction Core IC002X0 ___ Masonry I Honors IC115X0 (Construction Core MUST be taken as a prerequisite) ___ Drafting I Honors IC615X0 ___ Welding Technologies I Honors IM615X0
Career & Technical Education Courses (Health Occupations)	Career & Technical Education Courses (Family & Consumer Science)
___ Foundations of Health Science HU102X0	___ Apparel & Textile Production I FA312X0 ___ Interior Design Fundamentals FI212X0 ___ Foods and Nutrition I FN412X0
Air Force ROTC	
___ ROTC I (Fall) 95012X0 ___ ROTC I B (Spring) 95012X0B (Mark both courses if wanting Yearlong)	

Electives & Alternates

- Choose elective classes **CAREFULLY!!!**
- You will choose 3 or less depending on courses you chose on the front!
- Check Prerequisites if needed!
- Choose 4 Alternates that you will be happy with!

Now what??

Departments, clubs and organizations are set up in the Aux gym.



Next?

After touring the stations in the Aux Gym come back through the Main Gym and pick up Registration Forms.

GO MOUNTIES!!