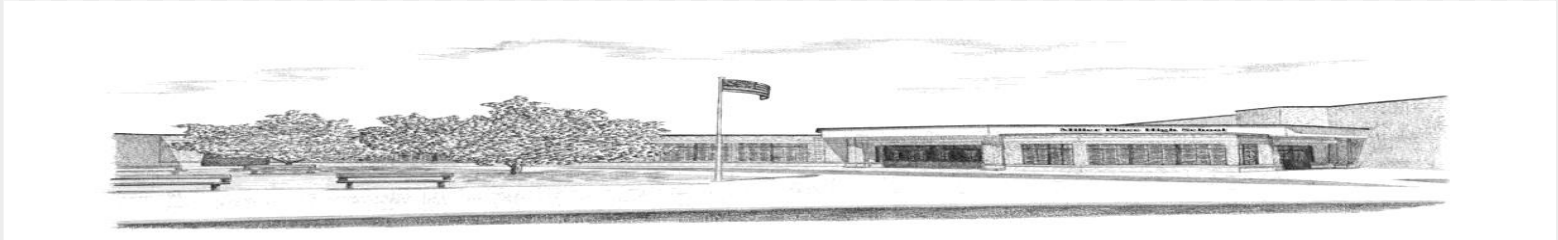


Miller Place High School



**CLASS OF 2026
INCOMING FRESHMEN
PARENT
INFORMATION**

Information Topics

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Graduation Requirements for the Class of 2026

- 4 Credits of English
- 4 Credits of Social Studies
- 3 Credits of Math
- 3 Credits of Science
- 1 Credit of World Language
- 1 Credit of Art/Music
- ½ Credit of Health
- 2 Credits of Physical Education
- ½ Credit Computer Education
- 2.5 Credits of Electives (2 Credits of World Language for the Advanced Designation)



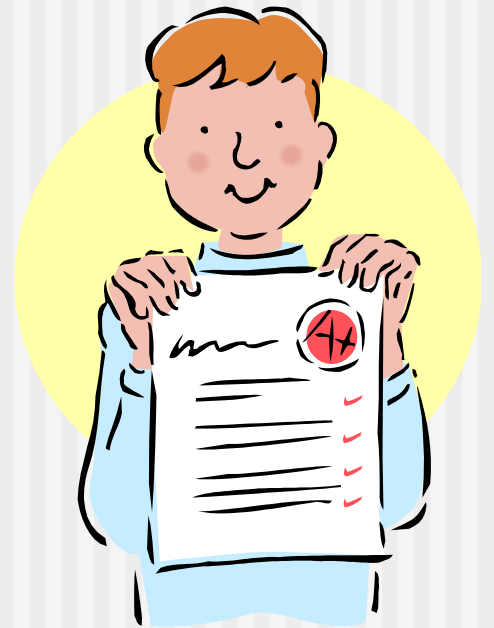
Graduation Requirements for the Class of 2026

*Regents Diploma Requirements:

1. English Language Arts Regents
2. Math Regents
3. Global History Regents
4. US History Regents
5. Science Regents

*Advanced Designation Requirements:

6. A Second Science Regents
7. Geometry and Algebra 2 Regents(3)
8. World Language Checkpoint "B" Examination



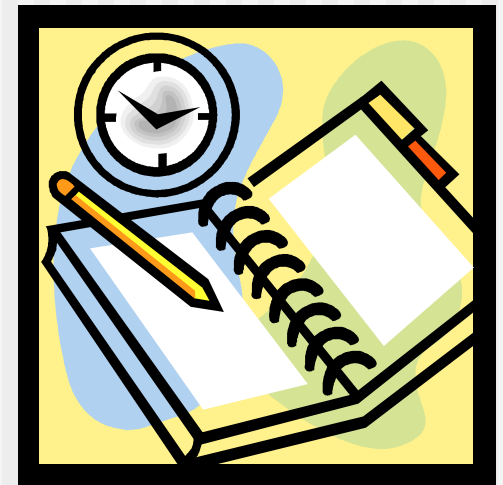
REGENTS vs ADVANCED REGENTS DIPLOMA

- The course and exam requirements listed are MINIMUM requirements for graduation
- We recommend that students always work to their MAXIMUM potential and enroll in courses that challenge them throughout their high school career.



“Typical” 9th Grade Schedule

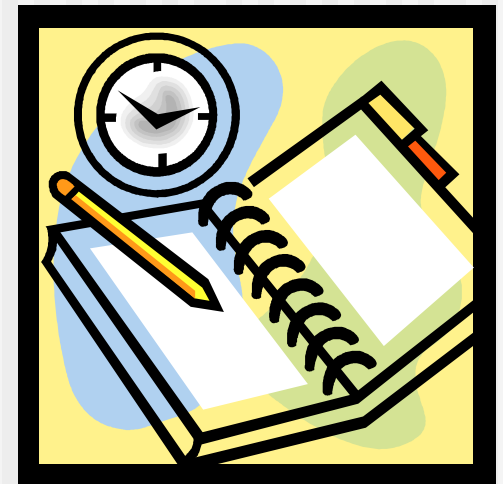
1. English 9
2. Global History 1
3. Algebra 1
4. Algebra 1 Lab/Science Lab
5. Earth Science
6. Computer Course/Physical Education
7. World Languages
8. Arts (Art, Music, DDP)
9. Lunch



9th Grade Schedules (Cont'd)

1. English 9 Honors
2. AP World History Part 1 (No AP Exam)
3. Geometry Honors
4. Living Environment Honors
5. LE Lab/Physical Education
6. World Language
7. Arts (Art, Music, DDP)
8. Computer Course
9. Lunch

Other courses: Resource Room, Reading, Today's Writer, Speech



High School Honor Roll (90-94.9 average per quarter)

High Honor Roll (95 or higher average per quarter)

Honors & Select Music Courses

- English 9H and AP World History Part 1 (No AP Exam)
 - Students will “self-select” if they are interested in Honors placement when they meet with their School Counselor.
 - Strong academic achievement in Eng & SS 8 (92/95 average)
 - Final course average will be used for placement
- Geometry & Living Environment Honors
 - 90 or greater course average including Regents exam
- Select Music Courses
 - Chorale, Wind Ensemble, Instrumental Jazz Band, Vocal Jazz
 - By audition only
 - Recommended that Instrumental Jazz Band & Vocal Jazz be taken with Symphonic Band or Select Chorus (2 periods in schedule)
 - Can be taken in addition to Art
 - May impact on Lunch period

Additional Honors Course Information

- Honors and AP courses receive a 5% Weighting calculated in students' cumulative GPA
- Receive notification of Honors placement in early July
- Honors courses have summer assignments
- Student class schedules will be posted on Schooltool portal end of August

Miller Place High School Counseling Department

- ❖ Educational Advisement
 - ❖ Academic Planning
 - ❖ Programming Appointments
 - ❖ Counseling/Guidance Department Website
- ❖ High School Planning/Future Planning
 - ❖ College
 - ❖ Career
 - ❖ Military
 - ❖ Vocational



Counseling Center Support Programs

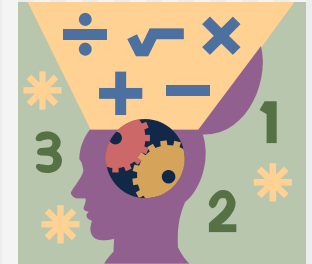
- Your School Counselor
- Guidance/Counseling Department Website
- College Search Workshop (Grades 10-11)
- Sophomore Planning Meeting (Spring)
- Junior Planning Meeting (Spring)
- 12th Grade Application Processing Night
- Financial Aid Night (Fall Grades 11-12)
- College Rep Visits to the Counseling Department (Grades 11 and 12 only)
- Naviance Guidance Program
- Career Exploration (Grades 8, 10-11)

High School Attendance Policy

- **MPHS starts at 7:05 AM.**
- **Period by Period Attendance**
 - **27 Absences** – Non-credit status in an Full Year Course.
 - **14 Absences** – Non-credit status in a Half Year Course.
 - **7 Absences-** Non-credit status in a Half Year Physical Education Course



Clubs & Activities



- Art Club
- Athletes Helping Athletes
- Bookaneers
- Drama
- FBLA
- Foreign Language
- National Honor Society
- Gay Straight Alliance
- Mathletes
- Mock Trial
- National Honor Society
- Natural Helpers
- Newspaper
- Pep Band
- Robotics
- SADD
- Science Club
- Service Club
- Student Government
- Tri-M Music Honor Soc.
- Yearbook

Interscholastic Sports



FALL SEASON

- **Football**
- **Boys Cross-Country**
- **Girls Cross-Country**
- **Field Hockey**
- **Boys Soccer**
- **Girls Soccer**
- **Girls Tennis**
- **Volleyball**
- **Cheerleading**
- **Boys Golf** (combined)

WINTER SEASON

- **Boys Basketball**
- **Girls Basketball**
- **Boys Winter Track**
- **Girls Winter Track**
- **Wrestling**
- **Cheerleading**
- **Boys Fencing**
(combined)

SPRING SEASON

- **Baseball**
- **Boys Badminton**
- **Girls Badminton**
- **Boys Lacrosse**
- **Girls Lacrosse**
- **Softball**
- **Boys Tennis**
- **Boys Track**
- **Girls Track**

ALL TRYOUTS REQUIRE

**Family ID online registration &
a valid sports physical within 1 year of
season start**

Academic Eligibility Policy

- In order to participate in any extra-curricular activity students must be considered eligible.
 - Students must be in school prior to 8:37 AM (end of 2nd period).
 - Students *may not sign out early* unless given prior approval by an administrator to participate in after school activities
 - Students must be enrolled in at least six courses
 - 2 or more failures* or Non-Credit will result in a student being ineligible
 - Academic Eligibility Appeals Committee to be granted academic probation status

Operation Success

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MONDAY <i>2:00-3:00 pm</i>	TUESDAY <i>2:00-3:00 pm</i>	WEDNESDAY <i>2:00-3:00 pm</i>	THURSDAY <i>2:00-3:00 pm</i>
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