



SULPHUR SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL

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HIGH SCHOOL VS MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Grades Count = **Grade Point Average (GPA)**
- Each Class Counts = **Credits**
- Earn 27 Credits = **Graduate!!!**



FOUNDATION HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION PLAN REQUIREMENTS:

Pass 5 EOC
Exams

Earn 27
Credits

Earn One
Endorsement



FOUNDATION + ENDORSEMENT CREDITS

4 English

4 Math

4 Science

4 Social
Studies

2 Foreign
Language

1 Fine Art

1 Physical
Education

1 Technology

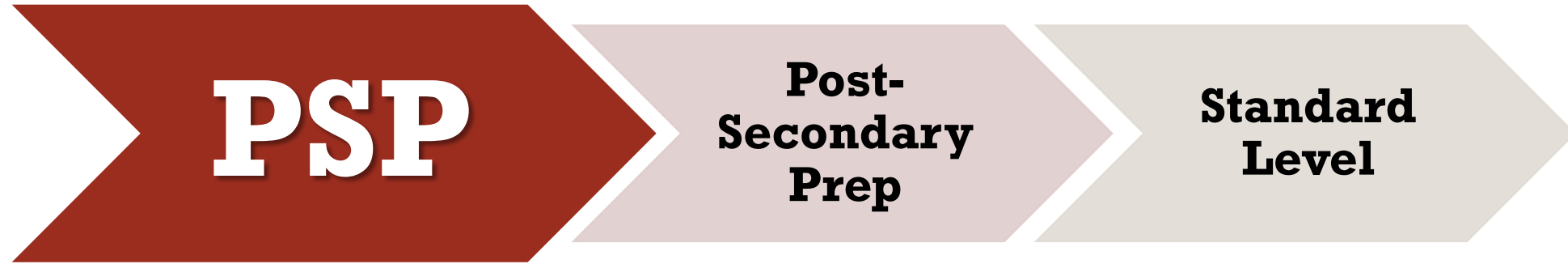
1 Personal
Health &
Finance

5 Electives: at
least 4 for
Endorsement

27 Credits



SSHS COURSE LEVELS





ENDORSEMENT = CAREER

Think of an Endorsement as your Career Choice – What do you want to be when you grow up?





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WHAT?

**YOU WANT ME
TO PICK A
CAREER NOW?**





**CHOOSE YOUR ENDORSEMENT &
PROGRAM OF STUDY**



FOUNDATION HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION PLAN WITH FIVE BROAD **ENDORSEMENT CHOICES**



**Business &
Industry**



**Public
Service**



STEM



**Arts &
Humanities**



**Multi-
disciplinary**



PROGRAMS OF STUDY = CAREER PATHWAYS



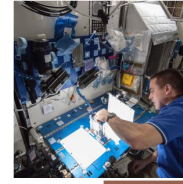
Business & Industry

- Animal Science
- Applied Agricultural Engineering
- Plant Science
- Architectural Design
- Carpentry
- Digital Communications
- Design & Multimedia Arts
- Accounting & Financial Services
- Entrepreneurship
- Culinary Arts
- Automotive



Public Service

- Teaching & Training
- Exercise Science & Wellness
- Healthcare Therapeutics
- Nursing Science
- Family & Community Services
- Emergency Services
- Law Enforcement



STEM

- Information Technology Support & Services
- Advanced Manufacturing & Machinery Mechanics (Robotics)
- Programming & Software Development




Arts & Humanities


- Art
- Dance
- Foreign Languages
- Music Instrumental (Band)
- Music Vocal (Choir)
- Theatre Arts




FIND YOUR MATCHMAKER RESULTS

Hey Jenny!

0% All Lessons Grade 8


Skills
Get Started

 Explore Career Matches 0%

 About Me  Explore Options  Goals & Plans

Matchmaker ✓
Personality Style ✓
Mission Complete ✓
Learning Style

Careers
Schools
Majors
Saved Options

My Plans
College, Career, and Military Readiness

Assignments

College Career Instruction New
By: Jenny Arledge
Status: Submitted



RECOMMENDED CAREERS = "G" (GOOD MATCHES)









About Me Explore Options Goals & Plans

EXPLORE CAREERS

Minimum Salary

Education H High School C 2-Year College or Technical Training U 4-Year College


[More Filters](#) 548 Careers | Matchmaker (Interests Match)

<p>Locksmith</p>  <p>G Good Match</p> <p>\$24,270 - \$65,870 Hide</p>	<p>Elevator Installer and Repairer</p>  <p>G Good Match</p> <p>\$40,850 - \$121,200 Hide</p>	<p>Cabinetmaker</p>  <p>G Good Match</p> <p>\$22,830 - \$54,140 Hide</p>	<p>Upholsterer</p>  <p>G Good Match</p> <p>\$21,860 - \$52,450 Hide</p>
<p>Artist</p> 	<p>Welder</p> 	<p>Furniture Finisher</p> 	<p>Electronics Repairer</p> 



FIND YOUR RECOMMENDED CAREER CLUSTERS

CABINETMAKER

 \$22,830 - \$54,140  High School, 2-Year College or Technical Training

Good Match
Find out why 

Save Careers that interest you.

Cabinetmakers use a lot of skill and creativity in their work. They build and repair furniture made of wood and other materials.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Have you ever been to a high-end furniture store? Who made all of the tables and chairs? These may have been the work of a skilled cabinetmaker. Cabinetmakers build and repair furniture made of wood and other materials. This job involves lots of variety and creativity.

There are many steps in making a piece of wood furniture. First, cabinetmakers read drawings and plans. Then, they make patterns and layouts. They also set up and operate woodworking equipment. They use special tools to cut, shape, and assemble the pieces of wood.

Once the furniture is put together, they sand and finish the surfaces. To finish a product, they may apply a thin layer of fine wood called a veneer. The final step is to stain and polish the piece.

For cabinetmakers, it's important to use good quality materials. Skilled and careful workmanship is also a big part of this trade. Many people in this trade make beautiful home furnishings such as beds, sofas, tables, and chairs. Their creations may be production or custom pieces.

Production pieces are made in large numbers. They follow a standard design. Think of the items at Ikea, for instance. Custom-made pieces are often unique, rather than mass-produced. If someone wants a custom table, cabinetmakers can make a one-of-a-kind design. First, they discuss the project with the client. Next, they draw up detailed plans. Both the client and the cabinetmaker must agree on the final design.

SIMILAR CAREERS



Musical Instrument Buil...

\$22,700 - \$59,020

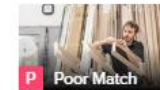
P Poor Match



Craftsperson

\$10,000 - \$60,000

F Fair Match



Picture Framer

\$19,000 - \$40,000

P Poor Match



Antique Dealer

\$25,000 - \$70,000

P Poor Match



Furniture Finisher

\$22,600 - \$48,720

G Good Match

CAREER CLUSTER



Architecture & Construction

[Explore This Cluster](#)





CAREER CLUSTERS

Occupations grouped into the same field of work.



SSHS WEBSITE – ENDORSEMENT GUIDE



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Use Career Cruising to complete Matchmaker inventory to identify careers that match your interests.

8th Grade Parent SSHS Informational Meeting Presentation 11/8/21

Please use the linked presentation below if you were unable to attend this meeting on 11/8/21.

Endorsements and Programs of Study for Graduation Plans

In 2013, House Bill 5, passed by the Texas Legislature, made substantial changes to the state's curriculum and graduation requirements, assessment programs, and accountability systems. Beginning in the 2014-2015 school year, each high school student will graduate on a Foundation High School Program with an Endorsement.

ENDORSEMENT AREAS

Foundation High School Graduation Plan with Five Broad Endorsement Choices



HIGH SCHOOL ENDORSEMENT DECISION

- You have **time!**
- **Explore** now.
- Ask **questions.**
- **Talk to** parents/guardians, teachers, counselors.

Decisions decisions...



SSHS GOAL: **ALL SENIORS ARE CCR READY**



College Ready

- Meet Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Criteria in ELA/Reading & Mathematics
 - TSI Scores
 - ACT/SAT Scores
 - College Prep Course
- AP Exam Score
- Earn Dual Course Credits

Career Ready

- Earn an Industry-Based Certification (CTE Courses)
- Earn an Associate's Degree
- Earn a Level I or II Certificate (PJC)



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All Lessons

Grade
8



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Explore Options



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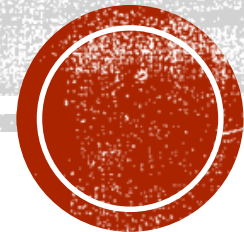
College, Career, and Military Readiness

How will you get ready for college, a career, or the military? Complete one or more indicators before you finish high school.

<input type="checkbox"/> + Meet TSI or TSIA2 criteria in ELA/reading and math College Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Meet criteria for an AP or IB exam College Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Earn dual-course credits College Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Complete an OnRamps dual enrollment course College Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Earn an approved industry-based certification Career Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Earn an associate degree Career Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Graduate with completed IEP and workforce readiness Career Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Earn a Level I or Level II certificate Career Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> + Graduate with an advanced diploma as a special education student Career Indicator	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan to complete

CCMR

Ways to be recognized as
College, Career or Military
Ready



WHAT'S THE PLAN?



- **Tues., Nov. 8** - 8th Grade Parent Info Meeting @ HS from 6:00 – 7:00 pm
- **Wed. Nov 9** – Texas Workforce Commission Speaker @ MS
- **Nov. 10- Nov. 18** - ELAR Career Research Project
- **Nov. 29 – Dec. 2**– SSHS Programs of Study Showcase Event
- **Dec. 5-9** – Choose your Endorsement & Program of Study in Skyward
- **Jan. 9-13**– HS Counselors/Advisors to MS – 4-Year individual planning meetings
Parents/Guardians invited.





Thank you!

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