Public Schools of Edison Township Division of Curriculum and Instruction

2019-2020 Grouping Procedures for Science: Grades 9-12 (4/15/19)

| GRADE 9 | GRADE 10 | GRADE 11 | GRADE 12 |
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| Biology Honors Must have: Success in Grade 8 Science: Average of A or higher in Science (first three marking periods) Enrollment in Honors Level Mathematics OR PSAT 8/9 Math score of 530 or higher Enrollment in Honors Level English OR PSAT 8/9 EBRW score of 530 or higher | Chemistry Honors Must have: Biology Honors: B- or better or or Biology Level 1 A- or better Concurrently enrolled in an Algebra 2 - Level 1 or higher Biology Honors Must have: Level 1 Environmental Science: A- or better and be concurrently enrolled in an Algebra 2 - Level 1 or higher: | AP Physics 1: *AP Application Needed Must have: Concurrently enrolled in Pre-Calculus Honors or Calculus 1 or higher mathematics course Must have 2 of 3: Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Level 1: A- or better PSAT or SAT: Math Score of 680 or better or ACT: Math Score of 26 or better Teacher Recommendation | AP Physics C: *AP Application Needed Must have: Completed or concurrently enrolled in AP Calculus AB or BC course or higher Completed AP Physics 1: B- or better AP Physics 2: *AP Application Needed Must have: Completed or concurrently enrolled in a Calculus course or higher Completed AP Physics 1: B- or better |
| Biology Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: Concurrent enrollment in Accelerated (Level 1) Math and English classes. Final grade of C or higher in Science - grade 8. Science teacher recommendation based on demonstrated achievement as evidenced by classroom performance and/or assessments. | Chemistry Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: • successfully completed Biology Honors Biology Accelerated (Level 1): Must have: • Final grade of C or higher in Environmental Science - Level 1 | Physics Honors Must have Concurrently enrolled in Pre-Calculus or higher mathematics course Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Level 1: A- or better Physics Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: Chemistry Honors: Lower than a B-Concurrently enrolled in an Accelerated (Level 1) Math course below the Calculus level | AP Physics 1: *AP Application Needed Must have: Concurrently enrolled in Pre-Calculus Honors or Calculus 1 or higher mathematics course Must have 2 of 3: Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Level 1: A- or better PSAT or SAT: Math Score of 680 or better or ACT: Math Score of 26 or better Science Teacher Recommendation |
| Biology Academic (Level 2) • All students may enroll in Biology Academic. | Biology Academic (Level 2) Must have: Successful completion of Environmental Science | Chemistry Honors Must have: Biology: Accelerated (Level 1): A- or better and Science teacher Recommendation Concurrently enrolled in an Honors Math course or A- or better in Algebra 2-1 with approval of the Science Supervisor Chemistry Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: Biology Honors: Lower than a B- Accelerated (Level 1): C or better Academic (Level 2): A- or better and Science teacher recommendation Concurrently enrolled in an Accelerated (Level 1) Math course or Academic (Level 2) Math course of Pre-Calculus 2 or higher with Science teacher recommendation and Science Supervisor Approval Chemistry Academic (Level 2) for students not placed in Chemistry Honors or Chemistry Accelerated (Level 1) | Physics Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: |

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| AP Biology* | Must have: Completed or concurrently taking: AP Physics 1 or AP Physics 2 or AP Physics C or Physics Honors or Physics Level 1 Must have 3 of 4: Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Level 1: A- or better Biology Honors: B- or better or Biology Level 1: A- or better PSAT or SAT: Total Score of 1250 or better or ACT: Composite Score of 26 or better Teacher Recommendation |
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| AP Chemistry* | Must have: Completed or concurrently taking: <u>AP Physics 1 or AP Physics 2 or AP Physics C or Physics Honors or Physics Level 1</u> Concurrently enrolled in an Honors level Math course or Calculus 1-1 or higher Must have 2 of 3: <u>Chemistry Honors</u>: B- or better or <u>Chemistry Level 1</u>: A- or better PSAT or SAT: Math Score of 680 or better or ACT: Math Score of 26 or better Teacher Recommendation |
| AP Physics 1* | Must have: Concurrently enrolled in Pre-Calculus Honors or Calculus 1 or higher mathematics course Must have 2 of 3: Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Honors: B- or better or Chemistry Level 1: A- or better PSAT or SAT: Math Score of 680 or better or ACT: Math Score of 26 or better Teacher Recommendation |
| AP Physics 2* | Must have: Completed or concurrently enrolled in a <u>Calculus</u> course or higher Completed <u>AP Physics 1</u>: B- or better |
| AP Physics C* | Must have: Completed or concurrently enrolled in <u>AP Calculus</u> AB or BC course or higher Completed <u>AP Physics 1</u>: B- or better |
| AP Environmental* | Must have: |
| Anatomy and Physiology | Must have: Completed Biology Level 1: B- or better or Biology Level 2: A- or better Completed Chemistry Level 1: B- or better or Chemistry Level 2: A- or better |
| Forensics (Semester) | Must have: ■ Successfully completed <u>Biology</u> and <u>Chemistry</u> |