Public Schools of Edison Township DRAFT Division of Curriculum and Instruction

2020-2021 Grouping Procedures for Science: Grades 9-12

GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
Biology	Chemistry	Physics or Integrated Science	AP Science, Science Elective, Physics or Integrated Science
Biology Honors Must have: Grade 8 Science A- or better Teacher Recommendation Aligned with concurrent Math(Geometry Honors, Algebra 2)/ELA placement Any student with a C+ or below in more than one MP will not be placed in Honors. Biology Accelerated (Level 1): Must have: Grade 8 Science B- or better Teacher Recommendation Aligned with concurrent Math/ELA placement Biology Academic (Level 2): All students may enroll in Academic Level Courses.	Chemistry Honors Must have: Biology Honors: B- or better or Biology Level 1: A- or better Concurrently enrolled in an Algebra 2 - Level 1 or higher Chemistry Accelerated (Level 1): Must have: Biology Honors: Lower than a B- or Biology Accelerated (Level 1): C or better or Biology Academic (Level 2): A- or better and Science teacher recommendation Concurrently enrolled in an Accelerated (Level 1) Math course of Academic (Level 2) Math course of Algebra 2-2 or higher with Science teacher recommendation and Science Supervisor Approval Chemistry Academic (Level 2) for students not placed in Chemistry Honors or Chemistry Accelerated	Physics 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 (not required) Science teacher Recommendation Physics Honors Must have: Concurrently enrolled in Pre-Calculus1-1 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- or Chemistry Academic (Level 1): C or better or Chemistry Academic (Level 2): A- or better and Science teacher recommendation Concurrently enrolled in an Accelerated (Level 1) Math course of Algebra 2-1 or higher Physics Academic (Level 2) for students not placed in AP Physics 1, Physics Honors or Physics Accelerated (Level 1) Must have: Concurrently enrolled in Academic (Level 2) Math course of Algebra 2-2 or higher (Integrated Math does not meet the requirement)	*A fourth year of Science is highly recommended Select from the following course options: • AP Science course Please refer to requirements and course offerings on the next page. * AP Science courses require an AP Application • Science Elective course Please refer to requirements and course offerings on the next page. • Physics course If you completed Integrated Science in Grade 11, you may also select from a Physics course option, based on course requirements. • Integrated Science Academic (Level 2) course If you completed a Physics course in Grade 11, you may also select Integrated Science (Level 2), based on course requirements.
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NOTE: PSAT/SAT scores are not required for any course

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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 Science Teacher Recommendation
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 Science 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 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
AP Physics 2*	Must have: Completed or concurrently enrolled in a <u>Calculus</u> course or higher Completed AP Physics 1: B- or better
AP Physics C*	Must have: Completed AP Calculus AB course or Accelerated Calculus (Level 1) or higher 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
AP Environmental*	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: C+ or better or Chemistry Level 1: B+ or better Biology Honors: C+- or better or Biology Level 1: B+ or better PSAT or SAT: Total Score of 1250 or better or ACT: Composite Score of 26 or better Science Teacher Recommendation
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 Biology and Chemistry

^{*}Must also submit a completed AP Science Application no later than March 22, 2021