

# Career and Course Planner

Grades 8–12



*This Career and Course Planner will help you make meaningful plans for your future. Read your student success mini-magazine each year and work with your school counselor and parents to keep this planner up to date.*

## Student Identification

Name	Year of Graduation
Address	Phone
City, State, Zip	Parent/Guardian
E-mail	Student Test Number

## Career Plan

Careers that interest me	
My career interest inventory results*	

*\*Career interest inventories are available online at [learnmoreindiana.org](http://learnmoreindiana.org), in PREP and from your school counselor.*

## High School Academic Plan

My diploma goal	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>INDIANA CORE40</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>INDIANA CORE40</b> with Academic Honors	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>INDIANA CORE40</b> with Technical Honors
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## Postsecondary\*\* Education Plan

What I want to study after high school	
Colleges or training programs I want to learn more about	

*\*\*Four-Year University / Two-Year Community College / Apprenticeship / Proprietary School / Military / On-the-Job Training*





## Four-Year Course Plan for High School

Here are the courses I plan to take throughout high school, based on my career interests and diploma goals.

I will review my plan each semester to be sure that:

- I am on track to graduate and meet my goals.
- I have strong academic courses all four years.
- I am pushing myself to do the best I can.
- I am taking advanced classes and their prerequisites.
- I am exploring my career interests.

### Test Scores

#### PLAN

Composite

#### ACT

Composite

#### PSAT

Critical Reading

Math

Writing

#### SAT

Critical Reading

Math

Writing

#### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade ISTEP+

English

Math

#### GQE

English

Math

#### WorkKeys®

### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade
English			English		
Math			Math		
Science			Science		
Social Studies			Social Studies		
Total Credits			Cumulative Credits		
Class Rank			Class Rank		
GPA			GPA		

### 10<sup>th</sup> Grade

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade
English			English		
Math			Math		
Science			Science		
Social Studies			Social Studies		
Total Credits			Cumulative Credits		
Class Rank			Class Rank		
GPA			GPA		

### 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade
English			English		
Math			Math		
Science			Science		
Social Studies			Social Studies		
Total Credits			Cumulative Credits		
Class Rank			Class Rank		
GPA			GPA		

### 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	ECA*	Grade
English			English		
Math			Math		
Science			Science		
Social Studies			Social Studies		
Total Credits			Cumulative Credits		
Class Rank			Class Rank		
GPA			GPA		

\*Fill in Core 40 End-of-Course Assessment (ECA) scores if applicable

## Guidance Checklist

Here are the activities I need to complete each year to ensure that I am well-prepared for college and beyond.

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Activity	✓
Read the 8 <sup>th</sup> grade <i>PREP</i> mini-magazine	
Completed the "Ready for the Real World" activity in the 8 <sup>th</sup> grade <i>PREP</i> mini-magazine	
Took a career interest inventory	
Took a learning-style assessment	
Attended a career Reality Store	
Completed a <b>21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars</b> application	
Participated in <b>21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars Summer Enrichment Opportunities</b> (if applicable)	
Explored careers and colleges at <a href="http://learnmoreindiana.org">learnmoreindiana.org</a>	
Visited <a href="http://DriveOfYourLife.org">DriveOfYourLife.org</a> to explore careers	
Signed up for Core 40 courses	
Attended my high school orientation program	
Started or continued studying a world language	
Discussed my future plans with my counselor and family	
Requested a Social Security number so I can apply for jobs and financial aid	
Other:	

### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade / Freshman Year

Activity	✓
Read the 9 <sup>th</sup> grade <i>OnTrack</i> mini-magazine	
Took a career interest inventory	
Explored careers and colleges at <a href="http://learnmoreindiana.org">learnmoreindiana.org</a>	
Took a learning-style assessment	
Participated in job shadowing	
Discussed my future plans with my counselor and family	
Took the <b>Learn More Indiana 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Career &amp; College Information Survey</b>	
Made sure I am on track to graduate	
Other:	

### 10<sup>th</sup> Grade / Sophomore Year

Activity	✓
Read the 10 <sup>th</sup> grade <i>OnTrack</i> mini-magazine	
Took a career interest inventory	
Explored careers and colleges at <a href="http://learnmoreindiana.org">learnmoreindiana.org</a>	
Participated in job shadowing	
Passed the ISTEP+ Graduation Qualifying Exam (GQE)	
Took the PSAT/NMSQT and/or PLAN (fall)	
Visited an area career center	
Started researching scholarship opportunities	
Discussed my future plans with my counselor and family	
Made sure I am on track to graduate	
Other:	

### 11<sup>th</sup> Grade / Junior Year

Activity	✓
Took the <b>Learn More Indiana 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Career &amp; College Information Survey</b>	
Registered online for <b>Indiana e-Transcript</b>	
Explored careers, colleges, apprenticeships and other training programs at <a href="http://learnmoreindiana.org">learnmoreindiana.org</a>	
Read <i>Next Indiana: A Guide to Life after High School</i>	
Registered for rigorous courses to make the most of my senior year	
Took the PSAT/NMSQT and/or PLAN (fall)	
Took the SAT and/or ACT (spring)	
Took an ASVAB assessment	
Attended a college fair	
Visited at least one college campus, training center or apprenticeship site	
Applied for athletic eligibility to the NCAA Clearinghouse (if applicable)	
Participated in <b>Junior Prep Interviews with 21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars</b> (if applicable)	
Called the <b>Learn More Helpline</b> at 1-800-922-2076 to get answers to college, career and financial aid questions	
Discussed my future plans with my counselor and family	
Made sure I am on track to graduate	
Other:	

### 12<sup>th</sup> Grade / Senior Year

Activity	✓
Retook the SAT and/or ACT to increase scores (if applicable)	
Visited college campuses and/or training programs	
Submitted college or training program applications	
Attended the financial aid program at my high school	
Submitted a FAFSA application for need-based financial aid at <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a> by the deadline	
Applied for scholarships	
Developed a budget for life after high school	
Attended <b>College Goal Sunday</b> in February	
Completed my <b>Affirmation Form for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars</b> (if applicable)	
Registered for the <b>21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars Pledge Ceremony</b> (if applicable)	
Called the <b>Learn More Helpline</b> at 1-800-922-2076 to get answers to college, career and financial aid questions	
Made sure I am on track to graduate	
Other:	

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