science - technology - engineering - arts - math



The STEAM Program at Anoka High School is designed for students who want an integrated focus of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math. Students will incorporate problem solving, collaboration, innovation and creativity as they prepare for careers in computer science, the arts, math, science and engineering.

Students will need to meet all graduation requirements as outlined in the registration handbook, however, students in the STEAM program have the following course requirements. A 4-year plan is outlined at ahschools.us/ahsteam for students in a variety of programs including music, special education and ELL.

REQUIRED STEAM COURSES				
COURSE TITLE	GRADES	PREREQUISITES		
STEAM Foundations	9, 10			
STEAM Computer Skills	9, 10			
Design and Fabrication I	9, 10			
STEAM Integrated Engineering	10			
Technology/Computer Science—see	10, 11, 12	STEAM Computer Skills		
elective list below				
STEAM Senior Experience—will begin	12			
2019-2020 for Class of 2020				
TECHNOLOGY/COMPUTER SCIENCE ELECTIVES				
Students must select one of these courses in their 2 nd year of STEAM				
Technology/Computer Science				
AC Computer Programming	9, 10, 11, 12			
AP Computer Science	9, 10, 11, 12	AC Computer Programming		
• Video Game Design and Marketing	9, 10, 11, 12			
AC Social Media Marketing and	9, 10, 11, 12			
Web Design				
• AC Web Page Coding for Business	9, 10, 11, 12			
PLTW AC Honors Computer	10, 11, 12			
Science Principles	, ,			

STUDENTS NEED TO EARN 1.5 CREDITS DURING GRADE 11 AND 12 FROM THE STEAM ELECTIVES LISTED BELOW. If students focus those credits in a specific career pathway, they will receive a certificate with Career Focus Distinction when they complete the STEAM program. All other STEAM participants will receive a general STEAM certificate of completion.

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ELECTIVE COURSES FOR STEAM BY	GRADES	PREREQUISITES
PATHWAY		
Technology/Computer Science		
AC Computer Programming	9, 10, 11, 12	
AP Computer Science	9, 10, 11, 12	Computer Programming
• Video Game Design and Marketing	9, 10, 11, 12	
AC Social Media Marketing and	9, 10, 11, 12	
Web Design		
• AC Web Page Coding for Business	9, 10, 11, 12	
PLTW Computer Science Principles	10, 11, 12	STEAM Computer Skills
Visual Arts	, ,	*
• Drawing I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	Must take level I prior to level II,
• Painting I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	prior to level III
• Ceramics I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	
Computer Art I, II	9, 10, 11, 12	
 Jewelry and Craft Design I, II 	9, 10. 11, 12	
 Sculpture I, II, III 	9, 10, 11, 12	
 Video Art I, II 	9, 10, 11, 12	
AP Studio Art: Drawing/Painting	9, 10, 11, 12	
 AP Studio Art: Drawing/Familing AP Studio Art: Ceramics/Sculpture 	10, 11, 12	
	10, 11, 12	
Performing Arts		T 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Choir I, II, Honors Choir III	9, 10, 11, 12	Levels determined by instructor
Band I, II, Honors Band III	9, 10, 11, 12	
Orchestra I, II, Honors Orchestra III	9, 10, 11, 12	
Music Exploration	9, 10, 11, 12	
• Theater I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	
STEAM Dance Ensemble I	9, 10	
Technology Education Arts		
• Graphics I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	Must take level I prior to level II,
Digital Photography I, II	9, 10, 11, 12	prior to level III
Digital Videography	9, 10, 11, 12	
• Design and Fabrication I	9, 10, 11, 12	Design and Estates (1994)
• Design and Fabrication II	9, 10, 11, 12	Design and Fabrication I
CAD III Engineering &	9, 10, 11, 12	CAD II Engineering & Architecture
Architecture		or Design and Fabrication II
CAD/Technical Illustrations	10, 11, 12	Design & Fabrication I or CAD I

Family and Consumer Arts		
Fabric, Apparel and Design	9, 10, 11, 12	
 AC Fashion Merchandising 	9, 10, 11, 12	
 Interior Design and Housing 	9, 10, 11, 12	
Culinary Arts I and II	10, 11, 12	Food Preparation Fundamentals,
		Nutrition or Intro to Culinary Arts
Language Arts and Culture		
• Creative Writing I, II	10, 11, 12	Must take level I prior to level II,
Honors Humanities	11, 12	prior to level III
• Yearbook I, II, III	9, 10, 11, 12	
Television Journalism	10, 11, 12	
Honors Hispanic Studies	11, 12	Spanish 3A and 3B
Agricultural Arts		
Animal Management	9, 10, 11, 12	
• Fish and Wildlife Ecology	10, 11, 12	
• Fish and Wildlife Zoology		
Seasonal Horticulture	10, 11, 12	
• Floriculture	9, 10, 11, 12	
Health/Science		
• AC Medical Terminology &	10, 11, 12	
Careers		
• AC Medical Anatomy I	10, 11, 12	
• AC Medical Anatomy II	10, 11, 12	AC Medical Anatomy I
Pre-Vet Animal Science	10, 11, 12	
College Honors Animal Science	11, 12	Pre-Vet Animal Science
Food Science	9, 10, 11, 12	

Acceptance into STEAM at AHS is a required prerequisite for all STEAM only courses.