

**Capistrano Unified School District
Tesoro High School
Fall Freshman Registration**

All CUSD freshmen are pre-enrolled in English, Mathematics, Science and PE, based on District criteria and placement guidelines. Your courses will be listed in the Student Portal under “Classes” – “Course Request Entry.” All freshmen must be enrolled in SIX classes.

Grade 9 Courses
1. English I or Honors English I (District Placement)
2. Biology or Honors Biology (District Placement)
3. Math (District Placement)
4. PE 9 (District Placement)
5. Elective (Options Listed Below)
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Grade 9 Course Options

Course descriptions: Refer to CUSD Course Catalog on the Tesoro website under the Guidance tab.

All freshmen must select two electives (Deadline is February 20, 2023)

World Language	Visual and Performing Arts (VPA)	PE Classes
1573 French I	0603F Concert Band	3081 Marching Band (zero period)
1643 German I	0614F String Orchestra	
1643 German I	0624F Concert Choir – Girls	College and Career Advantage (CCA)
1693 Spanish I	0626F Men’s Choir – Boys	DH8473 Medical Core
1703 Spanish II	DU5173 Drama 1A	DU1001 Aviation Careers (after school)
	0550F Draw/Paint 1A	CU1005 Esports (after school)
Elective (non-VPA)	DH6113 Digital Photo 1A	
1883 Yearbook		Honors/AP Elective Courses
		2860F AP Computer Science Principles (must have completed Geometry)
		7573 AP Human Geography

Information to Consider When Choosing Your Elective

World Language – College-bound students will be required to take a minimum of two years in the same language, three years are recommended for the UC’s and impacted campuses in the California State University system.

PE and Athletic Sports – Students have been pre-enrolled in PE 9 activities. Students who try out and make an athletic team, will have their schedules updated when counselors are notified by the coach or athletic director. Typically this happens after the start of the semester. Please refer to the THS athletic website for more information on our athletic teams and schedules.

Health – Health is a semester-long course that is a high school graduation requirement and is paired with College and Career Planning (CCP). We encourage students to take health during the school year. If a student has an impact schedule, Health is available to take during the summer. See your middle school counselor for registration.

Freshmen MUST take 6 CLASSES
Worksheet

Grade 9 Courses	Fall Course Requests / Course #
English	
Science	
Math	
PE	
Health/CCP or Elective #1	
World Language or Elective #2	

1. All course change requests must be completed in the Student Portal by February 20th. Instructions on how to do this are on the Tesoro website under the Guidance tab.
2. Each student’s English, Math and Science classes are based on the CUSD course placement guidelines and their performance in their middle school classes.
3. All freshmen MUST be enrolled in a PE, Sport or Marching Band course.
4. All freshmen must select TWO electives. A list of the available elective courses are listed on the reverse side of this form.
5. For additional information regarding a list of courses, course placement guidelines, course descriptions and other supplemental information, it can be found on the Tesoro Website under the Guidance tab.
6. Course Leveling – If a student is pre-registered in an honors level course, they can choose to level down by adding the course your student would like to take instead of the honors course in the Aeries student portal. *A student CAN NOT level up into an honors level course due to district placement guidelines.

Registration in Student Portals opens February 6th and will close February 20th. If any changes need to be made after February 20th, please contact your middle school counselor.