

## QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE HHS Science Placement

| Requested<br>Science<br>Course |        | Science Requirements  |                            | Math Requirements  |  |
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|                                | Grades | Prerequisite Course Completion<br>(or Approved Option 2 Equivalent) | Additional<br>Requirements | Prerequisite Course Completion or<br>Co-Requisite Course Placement   |  |
| Environmental<br>Science CP    | 9-12   | -   | -                          | Algebra I CP placement   |  |
| Biology CP                     | 9-12   | -   | -                          | Geometry CP placement  |  |
| Geophysical<br>CP              | 10-12  | Biology CP completion   | -                          | Algebra II CP placement  |  |
| Chemistry CP                   | 10-12  | Biology CP completion   | -                          | Algebra II CP placement  |  |
| Physics CP                     | 10-12  | Chemistry CP or Geophysical CP completion                           | -                          | Pre-Calculus CP placement<br>- or -<br>Algebra III/Trig CP with proficiency in solving<br>algebraic equations required |  |

| Honors Courses                 |        |   |                            |   |  |
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| Environmental<br>Science H     | 9-12   | -   | Teacher<br>recommendation  | Geometry CP placement   |  |
| Biology H                      | 9-12   | -   | Teacher<br>recommendation  | Geometry H placement  |  |
| Chemistry H                    | 9-12   | Biology H completion with a minimum course grade<br>of 80%<br>- or -<br>Biology CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95% | Teacher<br>recommendation  | Algebra II H placement<br>- or -<br>AP Pre-Calculus placement<br>- or -<br>Geometry H completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Geometry CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 95%<br>- or-<br>Algebra II CP Completion with a<br>minimum course grade of 90% |  |

| Physics H                      | 10-12  | Chemistry H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95% | Teacher<br>recommendation  | AP Pre-Calculus placement<br>- or -<br>Pre-Calculus CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 85%<br>-or-<br>Algebra II H completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Algebra II CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 95% |
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|                                |        | AP Courses  |                            |  |
| Requested                      |        | AP Courses<br>Science Requirements  |                            | Math Requirements  |
| Requested<br>Science<br>Course | Grades |   | Additional<br>Requirements | Math Requirements<br>Prerequisite Course Completion or<br>Co-Requisite Course Placement  |

|              |       | - or -<br>Biology H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Biology CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%<br>- and -<br>Chemistry H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%<br>- or -<br>Physics H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Physics CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or - |   |  |
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| AP Chemistry | 10-12 | Chemistry H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%  | Teacher<br>recommendation<br>- and -<br>Completion of<br>Summer<br>Assignment | AP Pre-Calculus placement<br>- or -<br>Algebra II H completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Algebra II CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 95% |

| AP Biology   | 10-12 | Biology H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Biology CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%<br>- and -<br>Chemistry H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%            | Teacher<br>recommendation<br>- and -<br>Completion of<br>Summer<br>Assignment | AP Pre-Calculus placement<br>- or -<br>Pre-Calculus CP placement   |
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| AP Physics 1 | 10-12 | Physics CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%<br>-or-<br>Physics H completion with a minimum course grade<br>of 85%<br>- or -<br>Biology H or Chemistry H completion with a<br>minimum course grade of 85%<br>-or-<br>Either AP Chemistry/AP Bio with a minimum course<br>grade of 80% | Teacher<br>recommendation<br>- and -<br>Completion of<br>Summer<br>Assignment | Algebra II H completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 90%<br>-or-<br>Pre-Calculus CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 95%<br>- or -<br>AP Pre-Calculus or Calculus CP completion<br>with a minimum course grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Calculus AB completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 80% |

| AP Physics 2 | 11-12 | AP Physics 1 completion with a minimum final<br>exam grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Physics H completion with a minimum course grade<br>of 90% and a minimum final exam grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Physics CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95% and a minimum final exam grade of<br>90% | Teacher<br>recommendation<br>- and -<br>Completion of<br>Summer<br>Assignment  | AP Pre-Calculus completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Algebra II H completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 90%<br>- or -<br>Pre-Calculus CP completion with a minimum<br>course grade of 95%  |
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| AP Physics C | 11-12 | AP Physics 1 completion with a minimum final<br>exam grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>AP Physics 2 completion with a minimum final<br>exam grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Physics H completion with a minimum course grade<br>of 90% and a minimum final exam grade of 80%                                    | Teacher<br>recommendation<br>- and -<br>Completion of<br>Summer<br>Assignment<br>- and -<br>A score an 80%<br>on the summer<br>content exam<br>the first week of<br>school | AP Calculus AB placement<br>- or -<br>AP Calculus BC placement<br>- and -<br>AP Pre-Calculus completion with a<br>minimum course grade of 85%<br>- or -<br>Pre-Calculus CP completion with a<br>minimum course grade of 97%<br>-or-<br>Completion of Calculus CP |

| Electives                                 |        |  |                            |  |  |
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| Requested                                 |        | Science Requirements   |                            | Math Requirements  |  |
| Science<br>Course                         | Grades | Prerequisite Course Completion<br>(or Approved Option 2 Equivalent)  | Additional<br>Requirements | Prerequisite Course Completion or<br>Co-Requisite Course Placement |  |
| Anatomy &<br>Physiology CP<br>(full year) | 12     | Successful completion of a Biology course<br>- and -<br>Successful completion of a Physical Science course | -                          | -  |  |
| Forensic<br>Science CP<br>(semester)      | 11-12  | Successful completion of a Biology course<br>- and -<br>Successful completion of a Chemistry course        | -                          | -  |  |

| Organic<br>Chemistry H<br>(semester)                         | 11-12 | Chemistry H completion with a minimum final exam<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 95%  | - | -   |
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| Introduction to<br>Engineering<br>Principles H<br>(semester) | 12    | Successful completion of AP/H Physics course<br>-or-<br>Physics CP with a final course grade of 90%  | - | Pre-Calculus CP completion with a minimum course grade of 85% |
| Research in<br>Molecular<br>Biology H<br>(semester)          | 10-12 | Biology H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80%<br>- or -<br>Biology CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 90%<br>- and -<br>Chemistry H completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 80% | _ | _   |
|  |       | - or -<br>Chemistry CP completion with a minimum course<br>grade of 90%  |   |   |
| Astronomy CP<br>(semester)                                   | 11-12 | _  | - | Successful completion of Algebra II CP                        |

## **Option 2 Science Courses**

Option 2 Science Courses are taken through academic institutions other than Hillsborough Township Public Schools. To be used for credit or as an alternative for a prerequisite for an HHS Science course, all Option 2 courses must be approved prior to registration.

To be used as an alternative for a prerequisite course, the final exam for the corresponding HHS course for the same level, i.e. AP, Honors, or CP, must be taken and a minimum grade achieved according to the following table:

| Requested HHS Science Course | HHS Prerequisite Science Course Level | Minimum HHS Final Exam Grade |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| AP Environmental Science     | Honors Science Course                 | 75%                          |
| AP Environmental Science     | CP Science Course                     | 85%                          |
|                              | AP Science Course                     | 80%                          |
| All Other Science Courses    | Honors Science Course                 | 80%                          |
|                              | CP Science Course                     | 90%                          |