

# Important Registration Information for the Classes of 2020-2022

From the MIHS Counseling Team

MIHS Students in Classes of 2020-2022 and their Families-

This notice provides important information about the registration process for the 2019-20 school year, the tools students need to utilize to make their online course selections, and the support that counselors provide through this process.

## General notes:

- It is critical that students talk to their parents and teachers regarding their placement in courses for next year. Students must consider their post-secondary plans, make informed decisions about which course levels are appropriate for them, and find ways to maintain balance between school, extracurricular and family commitments.
- Course selections are NOT a student's schedule. Instead, they help us make crucial decisions about how many courses to offer.
- Students must enter 3 (different) alternates.
- Regardless of the possibility of taking courses outside of MIHS (i.e. Running Start, online, etc.) students must make sure they have six (6) courses selected per semester.
- Students who do not submit requests to Skyward by the deadline or who do not have alternates listed will be assigned to courses.
- Skyward is open January 31-February 28.
- **Students can make changes on Skyward through February 28 but NOT after the deadline.**

Tools students will need (all are on Counseling Department website under the "**Registration Information for 9th-11th graders**" tab):

- ✓ 2019-20 Course Catalog
- ✓ Graduation Checklist Class of 2019 and Beyond
- ✓ Course Selection Worksheet
- ✓ Skyward Online Course Selection Instructions
- ✓ Information Sheet (this sheet)

Counselors will be advising students in each grade level as follows:

- **Class of 2022** Registration Presentations via visits to science classrooms January 29-February 1.
- **Class of 2021** Registration Presentation posted on Counseling website February 8 for Sophomores/Parents to view.
- **Class of 2020** Registration Presentations posted on the Counseling website February 8 for Juniors/Parents to view.
- **Drop-in advising for students** on Friday, February 8, Thursday February 14 and Friday, February 15 in the Library during lunches. Bring your i-Pad, your course selection worksheet and your graduation checklist!
- **Additional drop-in advising for students** at the Counselor of the Day Table (outside of the library) Monday-Friday during school hours throughout the course selection window. Bring your i-Pad, your registration course request worksheet and graduation checklist!

We look forward to supporting our current freshmen, sophomores and juniors as they make course selections for the 2019-20 school year.

Go Islanders!

