



## FRESHMAN COURSE REQUESTS

*Please discuss your selections with your parent/guardian and consult ASD graduation requirements. Remember:*

- Freshmen will be placed in Lang Arts, Science, History and Math, based on MAP scores and teacher recommendations.
- Yearlong** courses are designated by a \*. Some (but not all) prerequisites are listed in superscript <sup>like this</sup>.
- Course descriptions** and grad requirements are online at [apps.asdk12.org/forms/uploads/hsprogram.pdf](https://apps.asdk12.org/forms/uploads/hsprogram.pdf). Some courses have prerequisites.
- Courses marked with **APPLICATION** require an application, available at [south.asdk12.org](https://south.asdk12.org) (click on the "Students and Parents" tab).
- Meeting **APS** (or other scholarship) requirements is YOUR responsibility. Visit [aps.alaska.gov](https://aps.alaska.gov) for more information.

**LANGUAGE ARTS**

☐ English I\*

☐ Honors English I\*

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

☐ Alaska Studies and Ancient Civilizations

☐ Honors Alaska Studies and Ancient Civilizations

☐ AP Human Geography\*

**MATH**

☐ Integrated Math\*

☐ Survey of Algebra\*

☐ Algebra I\*

☐ Geometry\*

☐ Algebra II\*

☐ PreCalculus w Trig\*

**SCIENCE**

☐ Life Science

☐ Biology\*<sup>PRE-REQ = ALGEBRA I</sup>

Physical Science

TEACHER: Please refer to math level

**PE and GENERAL ELECTIVES** *Remember to select ALTERNATES for semester courses.*

PE	ART	MUSIC	MISCELLANEOUS
Basketball	Art Studio <sup>§</sup>	Band, Concert*	Yearbook* <sup>APPLICATION</sup>
Cross Training	Drawing & Design <sup>§</sup>	Band, Jazz*	Media & Broadcast Foundations* <sup>APPLICATION southvote.com</sup>
Fitness Basics	Jewelry <sup>&amp;§</sup>	Choir, Mixed*	Student Government* <sup>BY ELECTION</sup>
Pursuing Wellness	Multimedia Design <sup>§</sup>	Orchestra, Concert*	PLTW Introduction to Engineering* <sup>§</sup>
First Aid	Painting <sup>&amp;§</sup>	Guitar, Beg & Intermediate	
Recreational Games			<b>AFJROTC I*</b>
Soccer	<b>CAREER TECH</b>		
Volleyball	Applied Tech I&II <sup>§</sup>	<b>WORLD LANGUAGE</b>	
Weight Training	Culinary Hospitality <sup>§</sup>	French I, II, III, IV, V, AP*	
Yoga	Robotics <sup>§</sup>	German I, II, III, IV, V, AP*	
		Spanish I, II, III, IV, V, AP*	

### KEY

\* YEARLONG  
\$ COURSE FEE  
& PRE-REQUISITE

## INSTRUCTIONS for selecting PE and general electives

Remember to provide alternates for semester classes, in the event your top choice is full or collapsed due to low interest.

# SOUTH'S ONLINE COURSE REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS for 2020/2021:

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You will have access to upload your course requests online only during the designated window:  
**8<sup>th</sup> graders selecting Freshman courses**      Tuesday 3/23 through Friday 4/9

1. Log in to your Student Connection account.
2. If you have two tracks (i.e., your main school and King Tech), select the South 2021-2022 track for your main school.
3. Select the "Requests" tab on the left side menu.
4. Click the "Add/Edit Requests" on the top right side of the section.
5. The course list window will appear below. When a course is selected, there will be a course description to the right (not all courses will have a description).
6. Select the course that is your first choice, then click "Add Selected Class" (Remember that the order in which you select your courses will delegate the priority of your choices).
7. Continue with step 6 until you have entered all of your choices in order, then click the "Submit" button at the top of the window.

**REQUESTING COURSES ONLINE:** You can go in anytime during your window to make changes. When the window closes, you will no longer have access to request your courses online, but can email your counselor directly to make updates.

**SOUTH COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:** You can find course descriptions here:  
<https://apps.asdk12.org/forms/uploads/HSprogram.pdf> (Not every class listed in the ASD High School Program of Studies is offered at South. Refer to the courses listed on your Student Connect online course request page.)

## **COUNSELOR EMAILS WITH ALPHA GROUPS:**

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If you do not submit your course requests, your counselor will have to select your courses for you. Be mindful of your window to complete this and your counselor's time.

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CREDITS NEEDED FOR GRADUATION:

ENGLISH (4.0 CREDITS)

- ☐ English I-1
- ☐ English I-2
- ☐ English II-1
- ☐ English II-2
- ☐ English III-1 / AP Lang
- ☐ English III-2 / AP Lang
- ☐ English IV -1 / AP Lit / Eng Elective
- ☐ English IV-2 / AP Lit / Eng Elective

MATHEMATICS (3.0 CREDITS)

(△ Full year of algebra required)

- ☐ Elective \_\_\_\_\_
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PE (1.5 CREDITS)

- ☐ PE Elective (or Gen Elective w/ 2K-waivers △△)
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SOCIAL STUDIES (4.0CREDITS)

- ☐ Alaska Studies
- ☐ Ancient Civilizations (or SS elective)
- ☐ World History 1
- ☐ World History 2
- ☐ US History 1
- ☐ US History 2
- ☐ Economics
- ☐ US Government

SCIENCE (3.0 CREDITS)

- ☐ Life Science \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Life Science \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Physical Science \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Physical Science \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Science Elective \_\_\_\_\_
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GENERAL ELECTIVES (7.0CREDITS)

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