



Academy Syllabus for Students

Academic **C**ollaboration **A**nd **D**edicated **E**ffort to **M**indfully support **Y**our Success!

Academy is designed to meet student and school needs by incorporating academic study time, interventions, extensions, and school improvement lessons. The class will contain a combined group of 9th-12th grade students who are assigned to the same Academy teacher for their four year high school career.

Objectives:

- Provide students the opportunity to receive additional support within the school day including: interventions, reteaching, test preparation, and retesting or any academic support teachers feel is important to learning.
- Students and teachers will work collaboratively to monitor student academic progress through the completion of weekly grade checks.
- Students will explore various topics to help prepare them for their future. These topics include: career exploration, college exploration, test preparation, etc.
- Utilize this time for School Improvement Lessons and other required student functions.

Course Requirements:

- Students are expected to come to Academy with work to complete, material to study, or a book to read. They will be provided approximately 45-minutes to focus on Academic Study Time.
- Students may receive academic support during Academy time from their teachers.
- Students are expected to participate in School Improvement Lessons/Activities to expand their knowledge base, improve school climate, and to prepare for the future.
- Attendance is required to earn credit.

Academy Collective Commitments:

- On Mondays and Wednesdays, all students will report to their assigned Academy classroom for the duration of the Academy period. No movement.
- Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, students will report directly to the teachers class that the student is requested to in FlexSched in StudentVue.
- All students will stay in the classroom assigned for the duration of the hour.
- All students requested for participation in a club/group meeting during Academy will be passing 6/6 class and have no missing assignments.

Grading:

Academy is a ½ credit pass/fail course per year; ¼ credit per semester. In order to earn credit students must meet the following criteria:

- 0- 9 unexcused, excused, and/ or unexcused late absences per semester will earn the student credit.
- 10+ unexcused, excused, and/or unexcused late absences per semester will result in no credit earned.