"Health is a state of complete physical, mental, and social well-being, and not merely the absence of disease and infirmity."
—World Health Organization, 1948

“When it comes to eating right and exercising, there is no “I’ll start tomorrow.” Tomorrow is disease.”
—Terri Guillemets

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.
—Nelson Mandela

“The physician should not treat the disease but the patient who is suffering from it.”
—Maimonides

“The doctor of the future will no longer treat the human frame with drugs, but rather will cure and prevent disease with nutrition.”
—Thomas Edison

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Graduation Cord and Strands

What You Will Find:
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**PATHWAY GRADUATION CORD REQUIREMENTS**

An Official Graduation Cord Qualification Form is available in the Career Center.

1. You **must** be enrolled in the Health & Education Pathway to qualify for a Graduation Cord.

2. **The 5 courses must include one course from each level** within a designated Strand. The 4th and 5th course will be selected from any level within the same designated strand.

3. Copy of your Unofficial Transcript with a Total GPA of 2.0 or higher and no F’s for any courses in your pathway strand.

4. 2 Recommendation Forms. One completed by a teacher in your strand and the other completed by a Community or Staff Mentor.

5. Pathway Related Project Presentation to be reviewed by a Selected Panel in January.

6. Final eligibility will be determined according to 3rd Quarter Grades by your Pathway Coordinator.

*Pick up Pathway Graduation Cord Application in the Career Center. Students will be recognized at Senior Awards Night and in the Graduation Commencement Ceremony Printed Program.

**Class of 2014 must have FOUR Health and/or Education courses within a STRAND. (See exception for #2 above.)**

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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STRAND**

**EDUCATION STRAND**

**Level 1**
- Intro to Health Science Occupations *CTE*
- Intro to Psychology or AP Psychology

**Level 2**
- Medical Terminology *CTE*
- Human Physiology
- Computer Applications *CCC/CTE/ROP*

**Level 3**
- Sports Medicine *CTE*
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Psychology
- AP Statistics
- Hire Me First (Certificate) *CTE/ROP*
- *CTE is Career Technical Education*
- *ROP is Regional Occupational Program*
- *AP is Advanced Placement*
- *CP is College Preparatory UC Requirements*
- *CCC is College Credit and Corporate Microsoft Office Specialist Certification*