

GRADE ADVANCEMENT PROCEDURE

Classification of Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors for the classes of 2012 and later

- Students who have fewer than 5 credits are classified as freshmen regardless of the student's age or number of years attending school.
- To be classified as a sophomore, a student must have completed at least two semesters of high school and must earn, prior to the start of the sophomore year, at least 5 credits, which must include one English credit and one math credit.
- To be classified as a junior, a student must have completed at least four semesters of high school and must earn, prior to the start of the junior year, at least 10 credits, which must include two English credits, two math credits and completed Algebra I or its equivalent, and one science credit.
- To be classified as a senior, a student must have completed at least six semesters of high school, and must earn, prior to the start of the senior year, at least 13 credits.

The classification of transfer students will be determined by the NCHS guidance counselors upon a review of transcripts.

The classification of students who have participated in home schooling or other alternative educational placements will be determined by the administration on an individual basis.