

NORTH SALINAS HIGH SCHOOL

9th Grade: Advanced Course Recommendations

2024 - 2025

Name: _____ Student ID: _____ Middle School: _____

Students must complete this recommendation form in order to be considered for advanced course placement in English 9+ and/or Mathematics 1+. Please submit to NSHS Counselors with your Pre-Registration Form.

ENGLISH 9 +

REQUIREMENT: Minimum grade of a B in English 8 or English 8+, in each semester of middle school.

The following expectations apply to English 9+ students:

- Students should enjoy reading for pleasure.
- Students should enjoy writing.
- Students should have good time-management skills and know how to balance schoolwork with activities.
- Students must be able to devote 30 minutes - 1 hour a day to English work.

Teacher Signature: _____ Student Initials: _____ Parent Initials: _____

Teacher Comments: _____

MATHEMATICS 1 +

REQUIREMENT: Minimum grade of a B in Math 8 or Math 8+, in each semester of middle school.

The following expectations apply to Mathematics 1+ students:

- Students will need to work in groups as well as independently.
- Students must be able to devote 30 minutes - 1 hour a day to Math work.
- Students should be able to understand most math concepts quickly (and be willing to ask for help when needed).
- Students understand that tests and quizzes count for a large portion of the final grade.

Teacher Signature: _____ Student Initials: _____ Parent Initials: _____

Teacher Comments: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name (Print): _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____